

HARRISON AVE (INK BLOCK) RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT

*Washington Harrison Neighborhood Association Meeting
September 16, 2026*



MEET THE PROJECT TEAM

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- Lydia Hausle, Design Director
- Michaela Nee, Neighborhood Services Liaison
- John Monacelli, Transportation Engineer
- Daniel Milbrandt, Transportation Planner
- Norman Parks, Chief Engineer
- Amidu Falade, Senior Civil Engineer

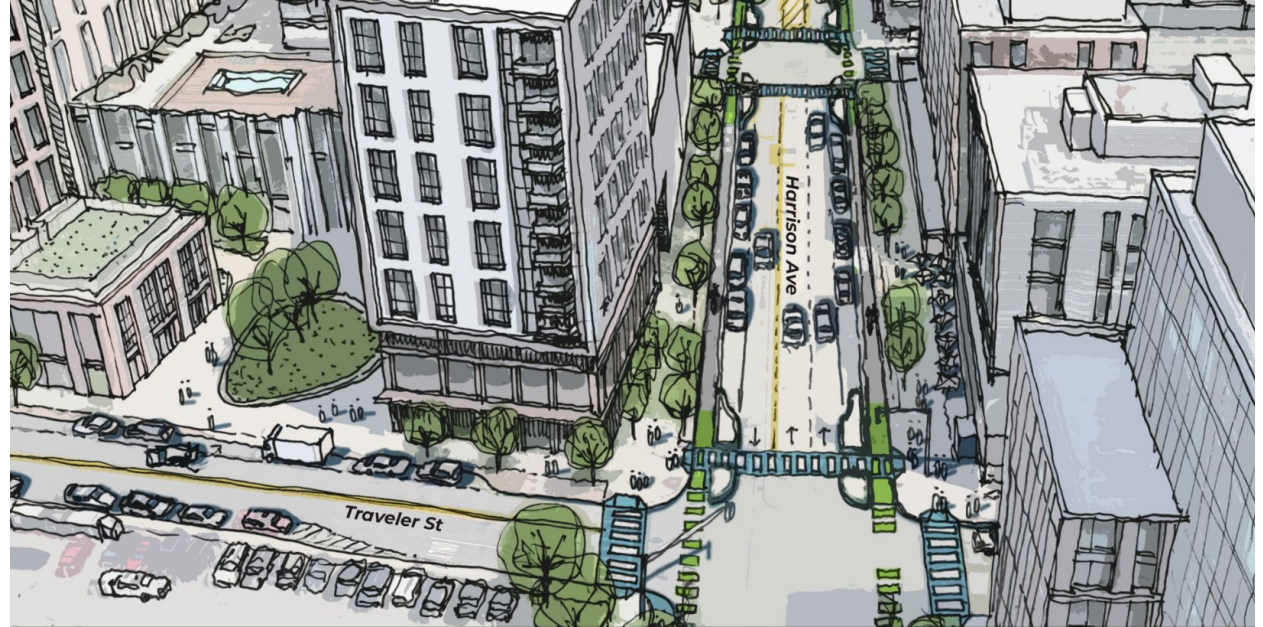
CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTOR

- Mario Susi & Sons



TONIGHT'S MEETING

1. Completed Work
2. Upcoming Work
3. What to Expect
During Construction
4. Q&A



CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Completed Work:

- 17 Ramps have been reconstructed at Mullins Way, Traveler Street, and East Berkeley Street
- 3 out of 5 new signal mast arms have been installed
- Median has been demolished and replaced with a temporary asphalt condition
- Meters updated to from single space to multi-space meters



CONSTRUCTION TIMELINE

Approximate timeline:

- **In September:**
 - Ramp work completing in the next few weeks
 - Excavation and repaving work to begin on or about the week of 9/21
- **October / November:**
 - Mast arm installation
 - Installation of pedestrian crossing islands to follow initial repaving.
- **To be determined / Spring 2027**
 - Final striping is dependent on weather and may be installed in the spring



WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

- **Anticipated Construction Schedule:** Substantial completion by end of 2026
- **Working hours:** 9am - 3pm
- **Work days:** Monday - Friday
- **Accessibility:** Access to all residences and businesses will be maintained throughout construction
- **Parking:** Any parking restrictions will be posted a minimum of 48 hours in advance

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- **Website:** boston.gov/harrison-ink-block
 - Information on the project design
 - Construction Updates
 - Common Questions
- **Newsletter:**
 - Sign up via the project website
 - Sent bi-weekly directly to your inbox and posted on the project website
 - Will recap complete work and provide a 2 week look ahead
- **Email:** harrison-avenue-reconstruction@boston.gov
- **Periodic Neighborhood Association Updates**

QUESTIONS? THANK YOU!



CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Upcoming Work:

- Ramp work at Herald Street
- Install remaining 2 signal mast arms
- Removal of remaining items in the median (Light posts, raised catch basins, etc...)
- Excavation and paving of the street
- Installation of pedestrian crossing islands
- Final asphalt top layer and striping
- Miscellaneous finishing tasks

