

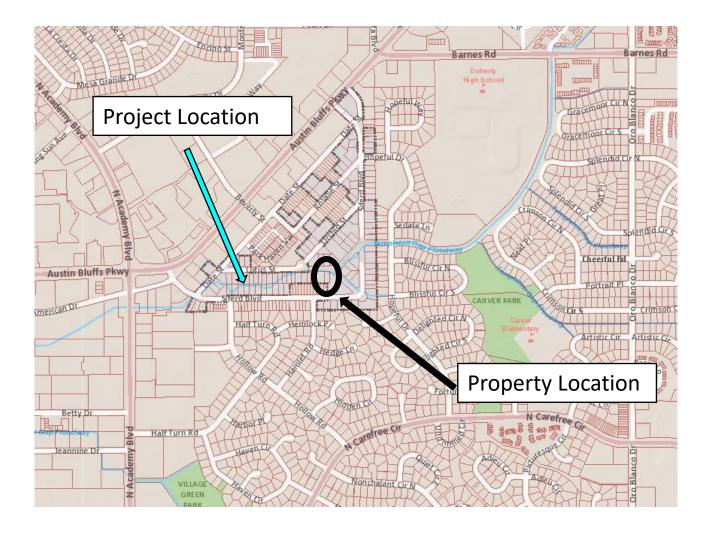
PARK VISTA DRAINAGE CHANNEL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT

Property Acquisition from Michael J. Mussman

October 8, 2024

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PROJECT LOCATION





PROJECT BACKGROUND



Siferd Blvd. and Date St. Intersection

- Tee intersection at the bottom of Templeton Gap
- Vehicles enter intersection during flooding
- Most dangerous swift water rescue that CSFD does



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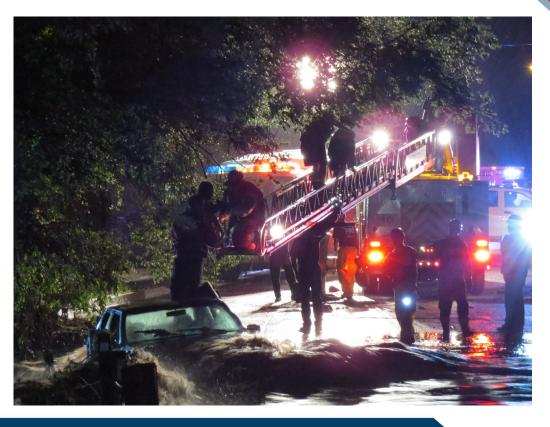




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PROJECT PURPOSE

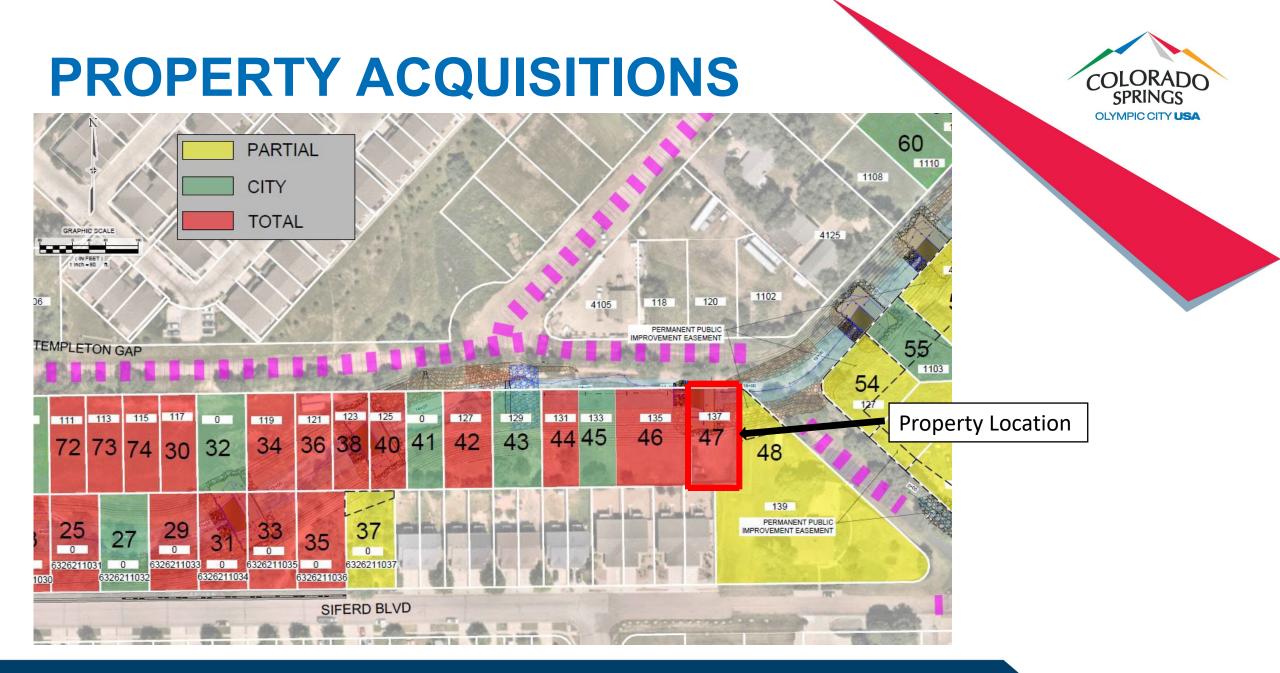


- Improve safety through Park Vista South along Templeton Gap
- Remove properties out of FEMA Floodplain
- Create a long-lasting low maintenance drainage channel
- Protect existing utilities

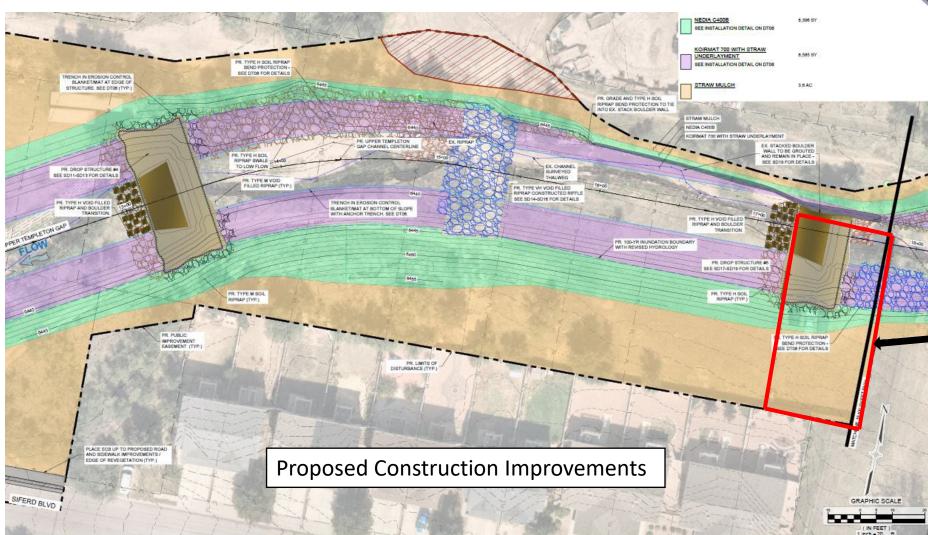
PROPERTY ACQUISITIONS

- Over 40 parcels affected
- 24 total parcel acquisitions
 - All located between Lotus and Siferd
 - All partially or totally in the existing Floodway





PROPERTY ACQUISITIONS





Property Location

137 LOTUS





• 7,200 SF

NEGOTIATION HISTORY



- January 22, 2024 Notice of Intent to Acquire sent to property owner
- May 24, 2024 Initial offer to property owner
 - Owner appraiser not accepted
- May 23, 2024 Verbal counteroffer from owner
- July 15, 2024 Last written offer to property owner

PROJECT TIMELINE

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- January 2025 Begin Construction
- July 2026 Finish Construction
- 137 Lotus is in the middle of project and is critical for the project
- Protracted negotiations will delay construction

NEXT STEPS



- Resolution authorizes staff to utilize Possession and Use Agreement and/or Eminent Domain to acquire property
- Project and property acquisition funded by ARPA and SWENT funds