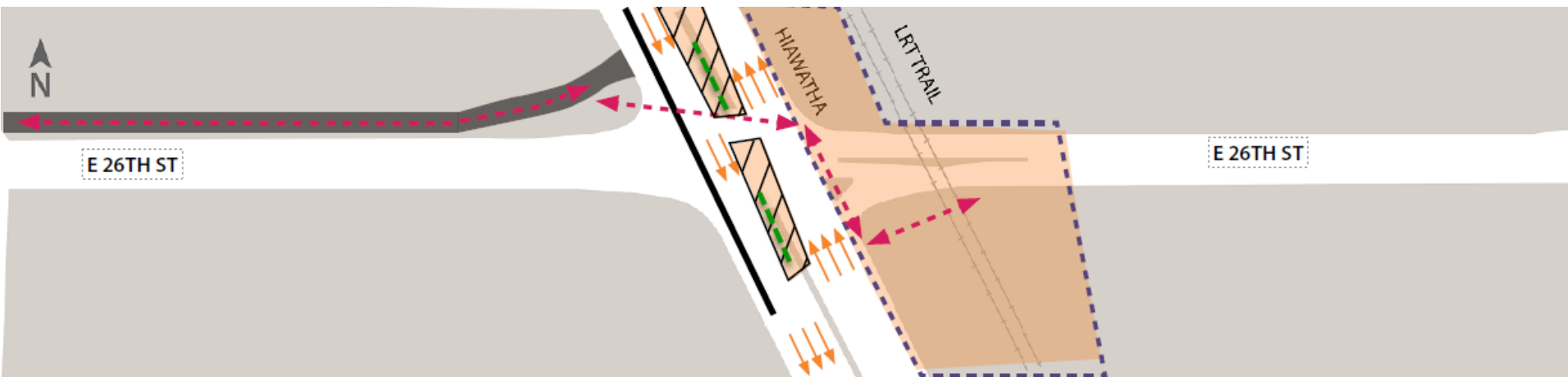


E 26th St and Hiawatha Intersection Improvements

(E 26th St to Hiawatha Ave)

Construction progress
update August 10-16, 2026



Construction work:



Partial Intersection Restriction



Shared-use trail

Conduit work

Local ped/bike detour

Traffic impact:



Lane Closures/Work Zone



Travel Lanes



Roadway Closure



Roadway & Sidewalk work



What's happening

E 26th St & Hwy 55

- Metro Transit "State of Good Repair" project is performing work at the LRT crossing on E 26th • Street. Estimated duration for closure is August 20, 2026.
- E 26th Street between Cedar Ave and Hiawatha Ave is now open to traffic.
- Completion of sidewalk and shared use trail once Metro Transit has completed their LRT work.
- Storm sewer work at North and South medians of E 26th Street and Hiawatha



What to expect

E 26th St & Hwy 55

- Roadway and utility work will continue on the E. side of Hiawatha and E 26th Street.
- Access to Jefferson Lines will be maintained during construction.
- Pedestrian detours will be set up as needed. Greater impacts can be expected at intersections where work is occurring.
- Topsoil and seeding for NE and SE corners of Hiawatha Ave and E 26th Street.
- E.side of Intersection of E 26th Street and Hiawatha will remain closed until permanent signal poles are received. Anticipated this fall.



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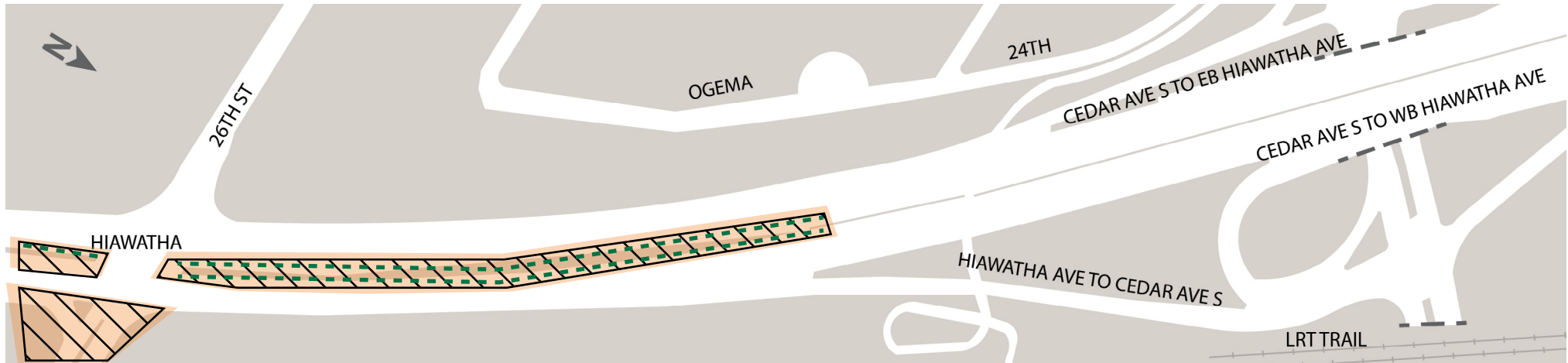
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Construction work: Partial Intersection Restriction Sanitary Sewer Conduit Work Storm Sewer

Traffic impact: Lane Closures/Work Zone Travel Lanes Roadway Closure Roadway & Sidewalk work



What's happening

Hiawatha Ave

- Drilling pavement reinforcement bars
- Grading and base
- Metro Transit "State of Good Repair Project" is working on the LRT crossing at E 26th Street
- Storm sewer work on Hiawatha Ave between E 24th Street pedestrian bridge and E 26th Street in the center median area
- Concrete paving for NB Hiawatha bump outs



What to expect

Hiawatha Ave

- Grading and Base
- Concrete paving for NB & SB Hiawatha



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