PROJECT OVERVIEW

Northern Walnut Creek Trail Section 3 is one of two 2016 Mobility Bond projects within the Walnut Creek Trail System.

This

approximately 8-mile section will be located between IH-35 to Southern Walnut Creek Trail, connecting east and northwest portions of our trails network.



Walnut Creek Trail System Map

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Legend

Southern Walnut Creek Trail

(Govalle Park to Daffan Lane)

Northern Walnut Creek Trail Section 1

(Balcones District Park to Walnut Creek Metropolitan Park)

Northern Walnut Creek Trail Section 2

(Walnut Creek Metropolitan Park to IH-35)

Northern Walnut Creek Trail Section 3

(IH-35 to Southern Walnut Creek Trail)

Project Website: AustinTexas.gov/WalnutCreekTrail

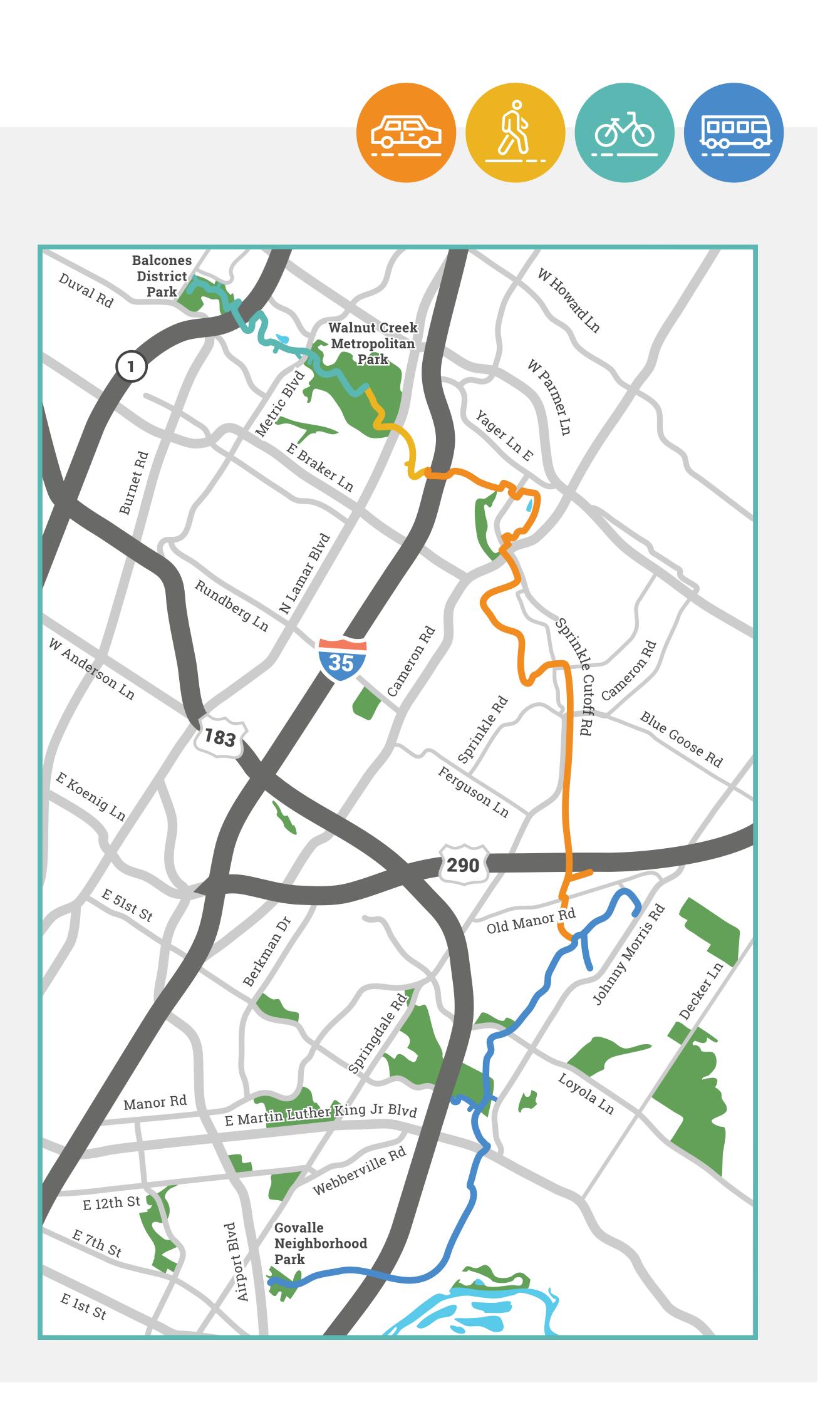








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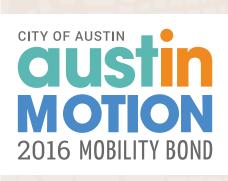
PROJECT BACKGROUND



Project Timeline

FALL 2017

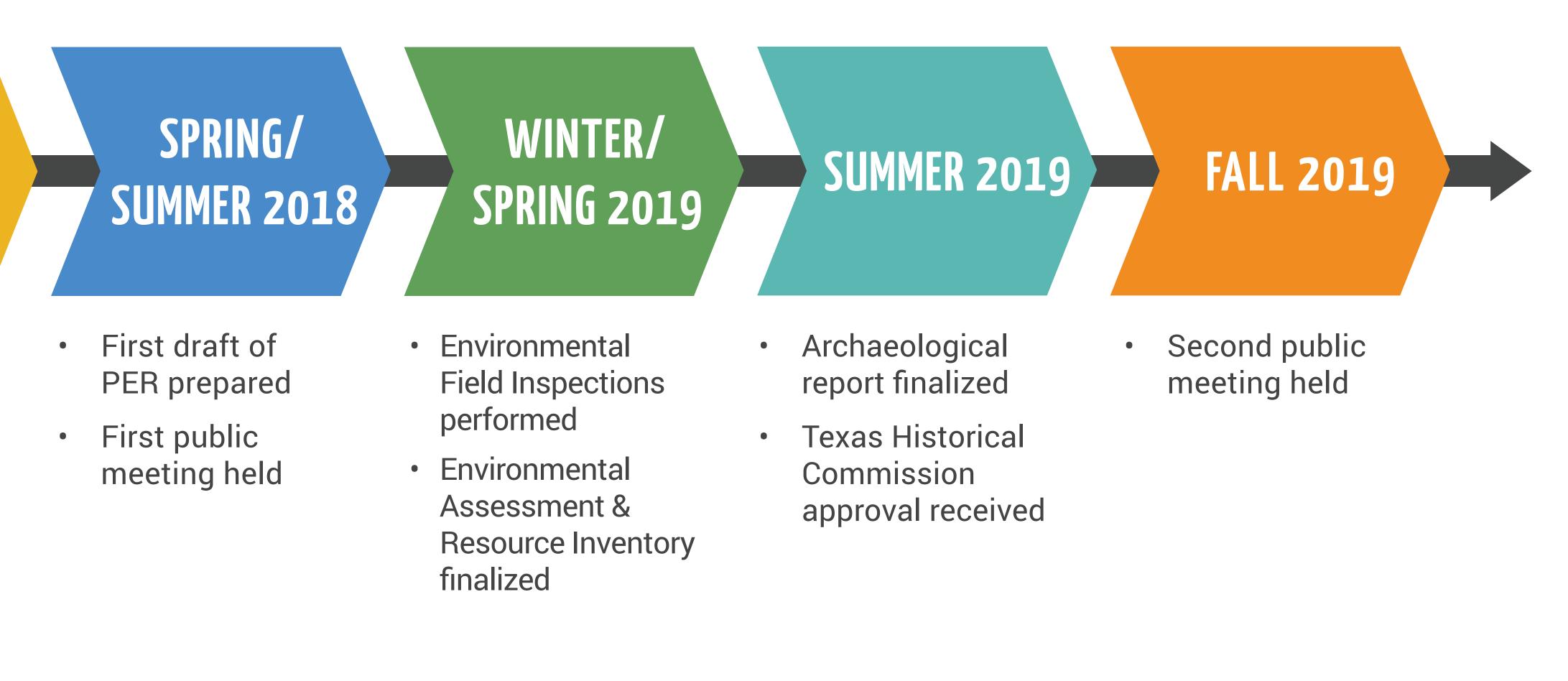
Preliminary Engineering Report (PER) process begins



• City staff are developing a Preliminary Engineering Report to identify a recommended route and project considerations like environmental concerns, wildlife, nearby property ownership and more

• No design or construction funds are currently allocated for this project, but having a plan ready allows the City to move forward quickly, if funding is identified

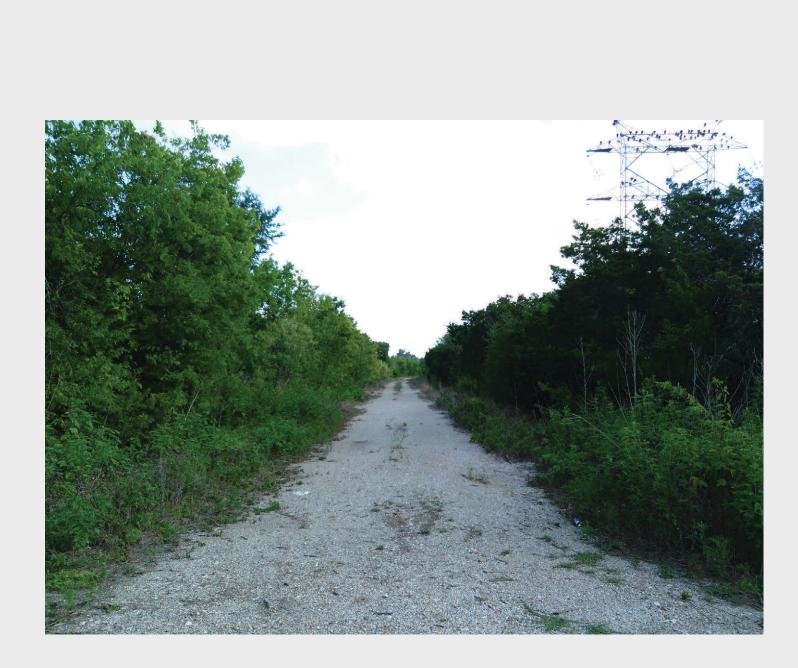
• Staff are working to identify funding opportunities for continued development of this project



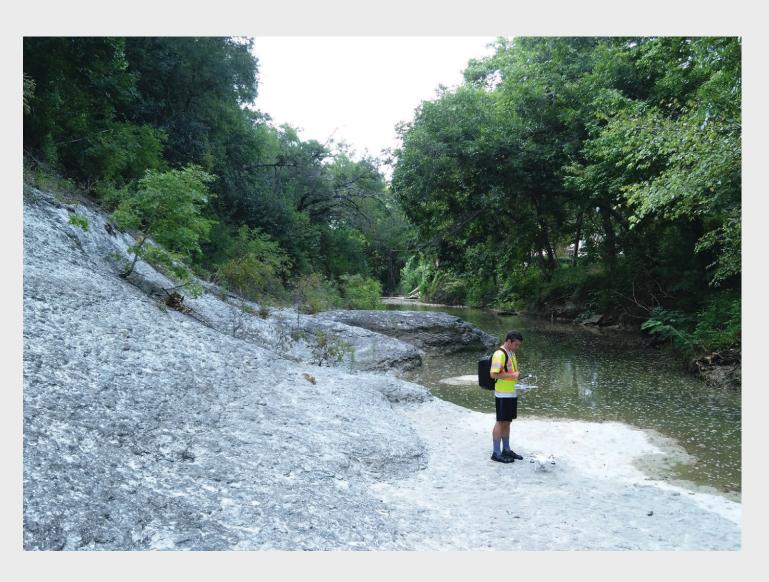
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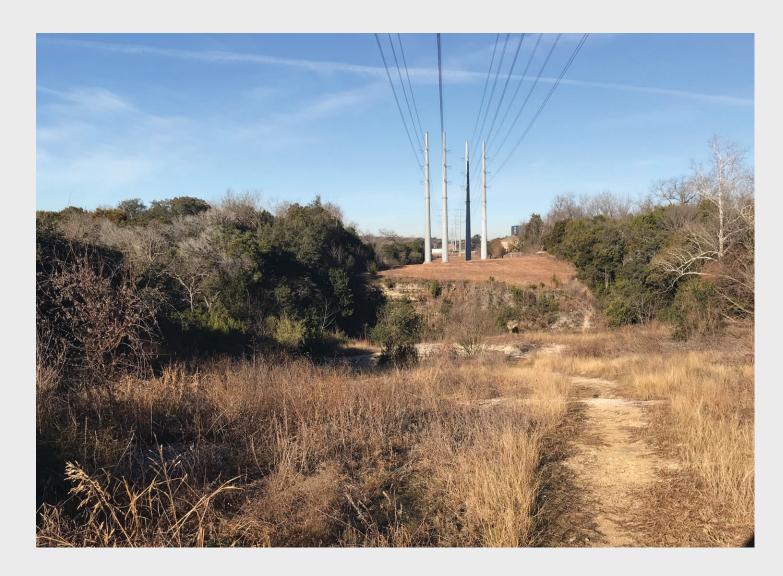
Existing Conditions & Considerations



Existing MoKan easements



Environmental concern: rimrock



Existing Austin Energy easements



Environmental concern: rimrock



IH-35 crossing



Existing wetlands

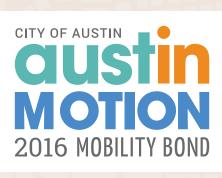
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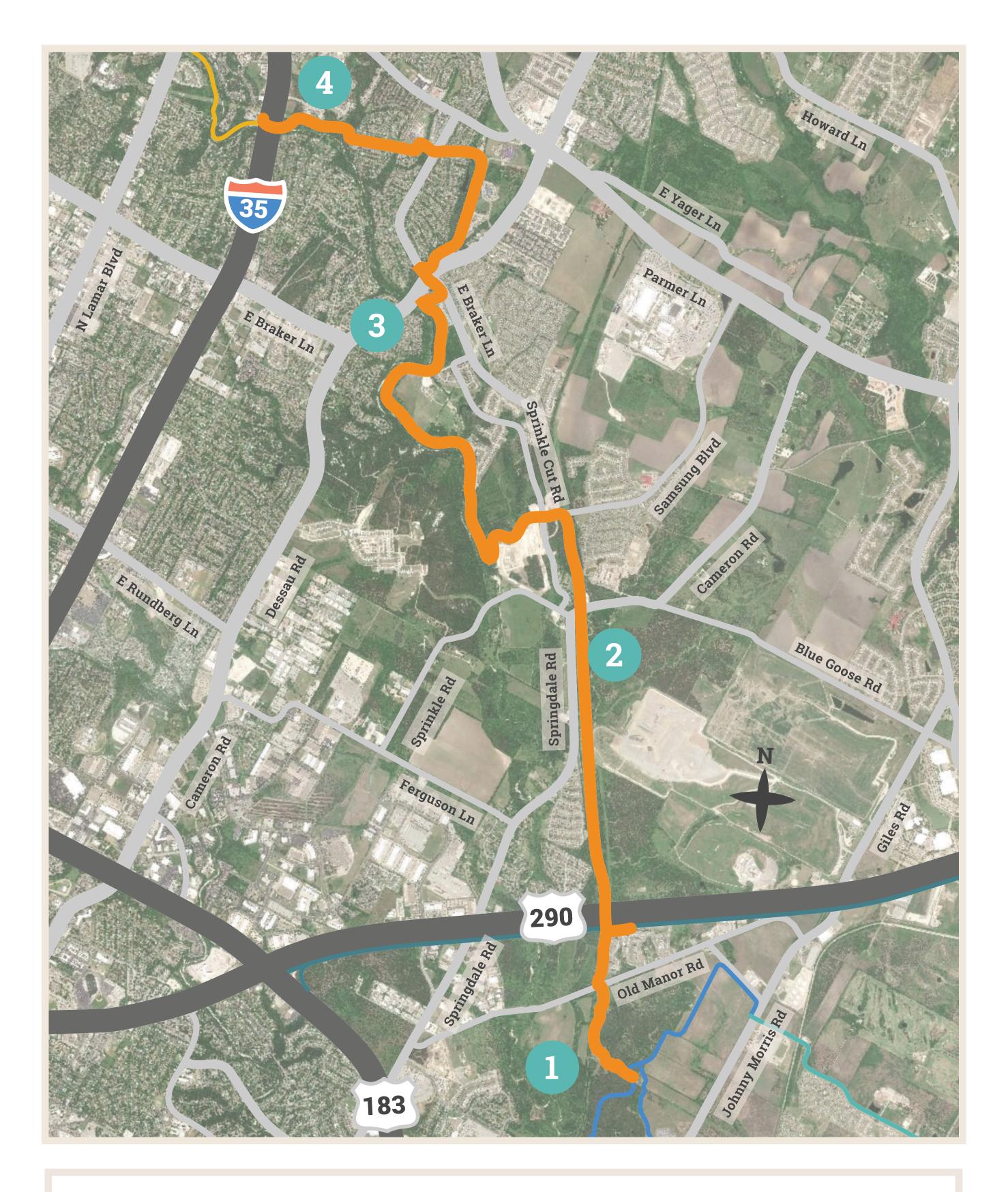
Trail Features:

- 8-mile concrete trail
- 12 ft. wide
- ADA accessible

Trail Segments

- Segment 1: Southern Walnut **Creek Trail to US 290**
- Segment 2: US 290 to Sprinkle/ **Cameron Rds**
- Segment 3: Sprinkle/Cameron Rds to Dessau Rd
- Segment 4: Dessau Rd to IH-35





Legend

Preferred Route

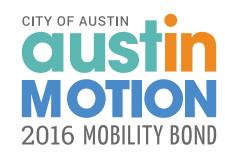
Connecting Project: NWCT Section 2

Existing Trail: Southern Walnut Creek Trail

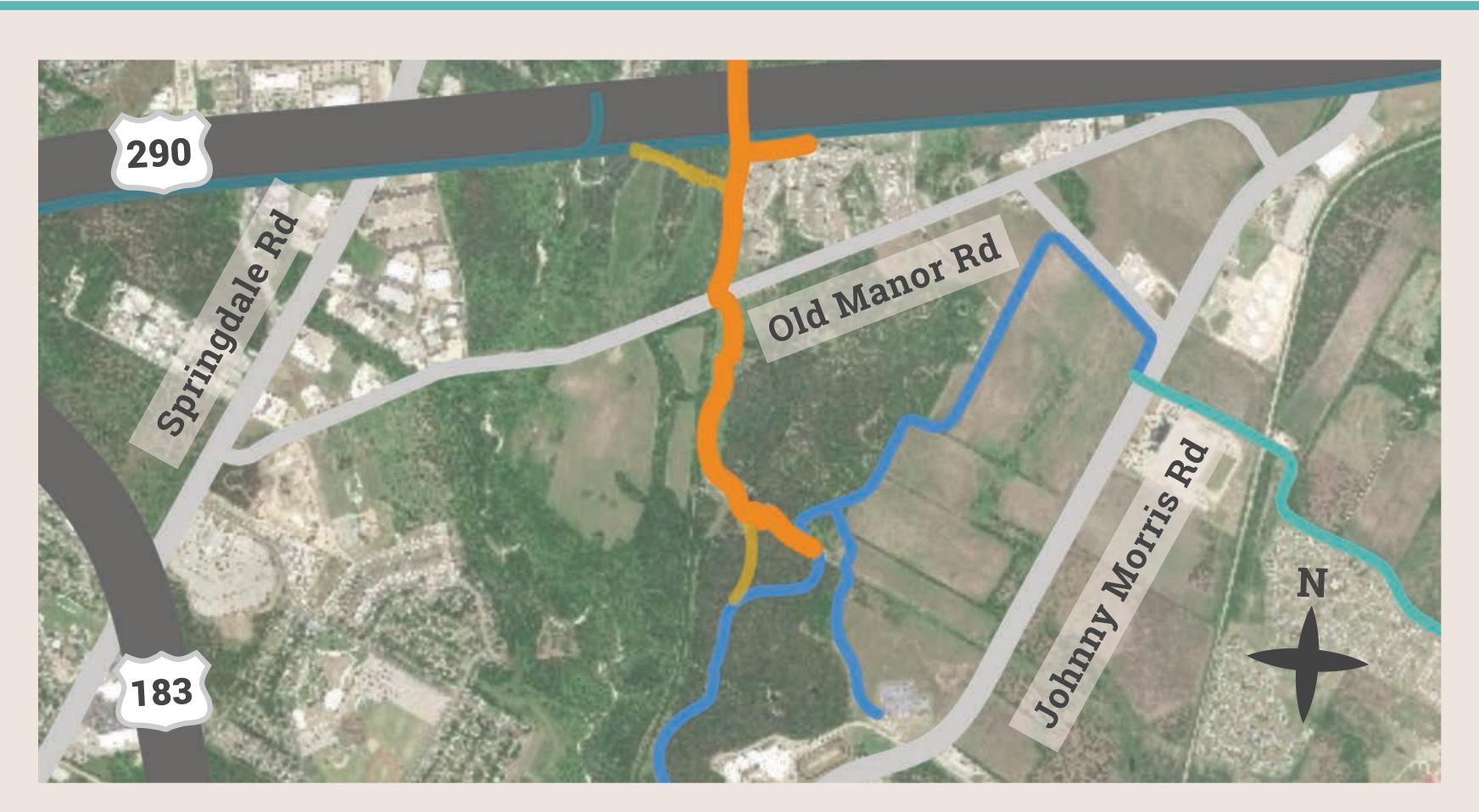
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Existing Trail: Austin to Manor Trail





Southern Walnut Creek Trail to US 290



Legend

Preferred Route

Non-preferred Alternative Route

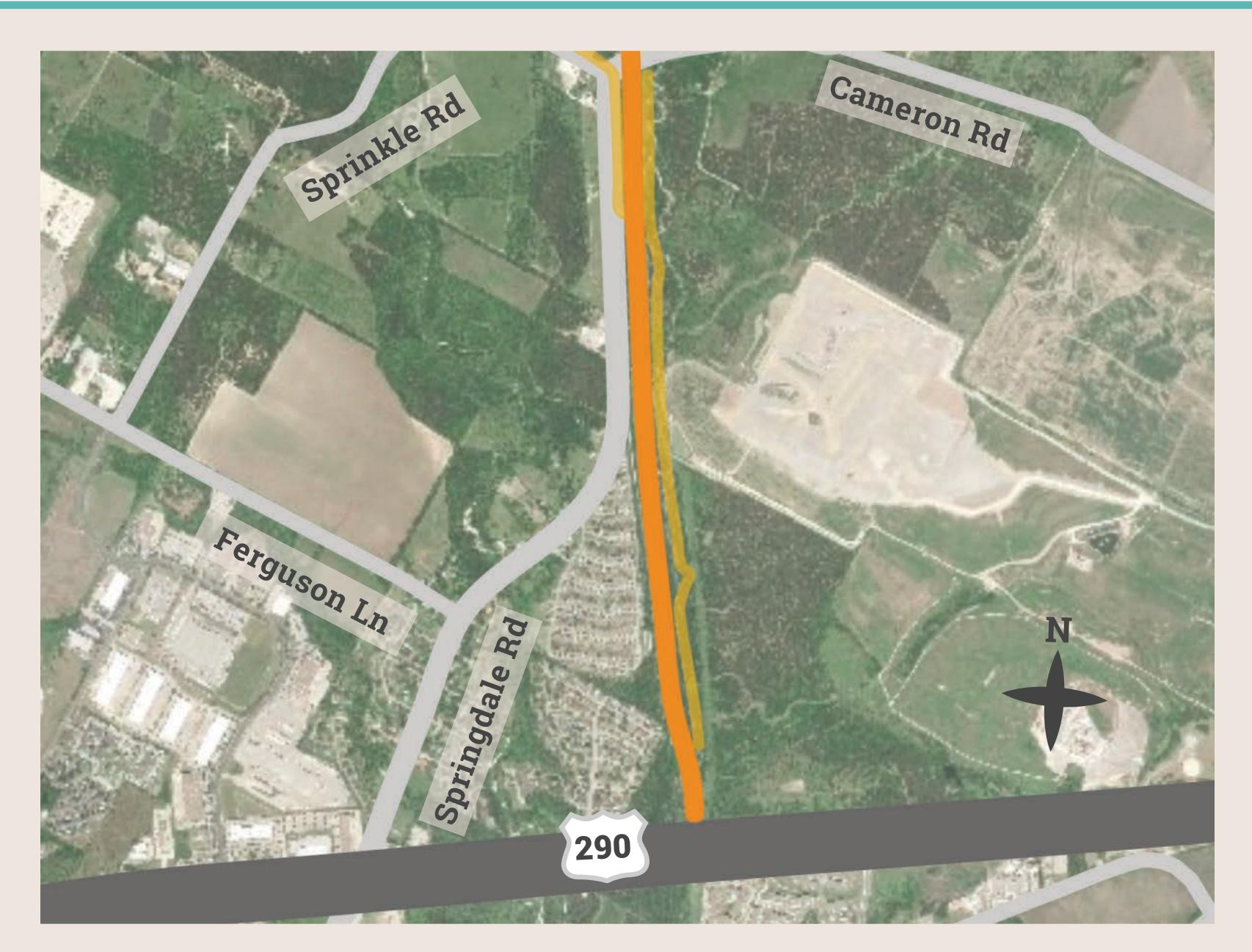
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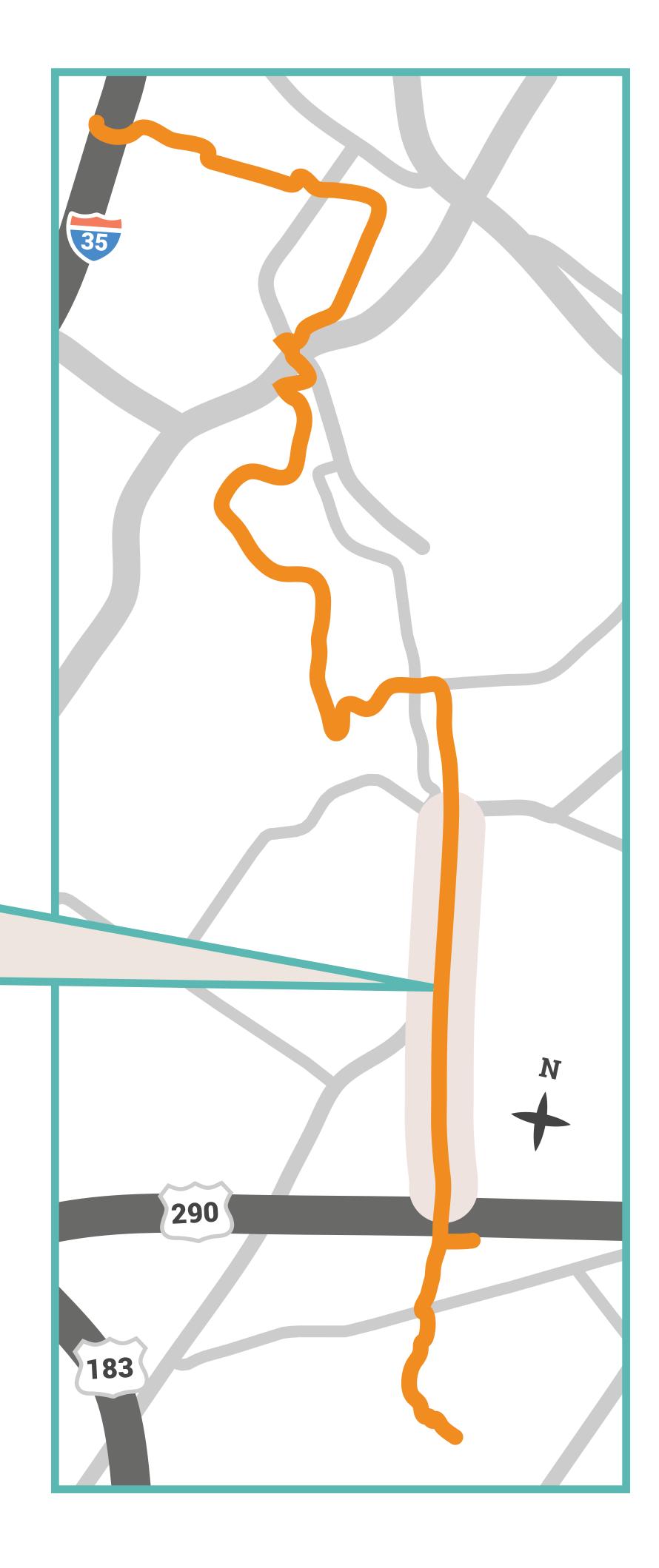


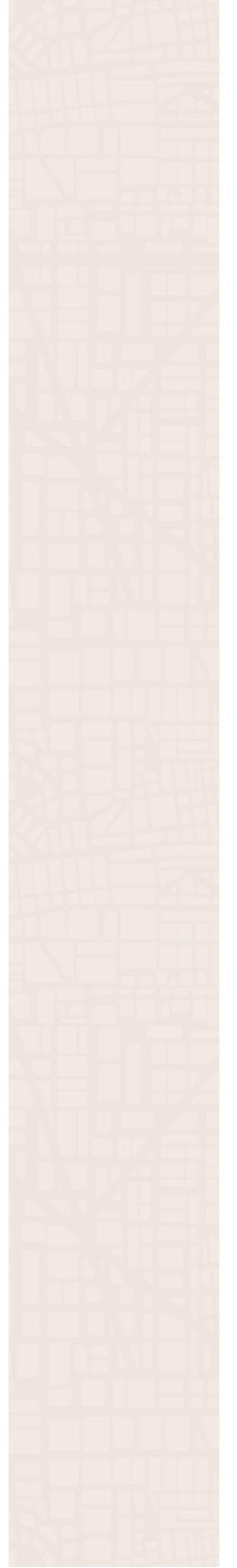
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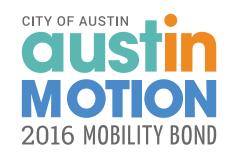


US 290 to Sprinkle/Cameron Rds

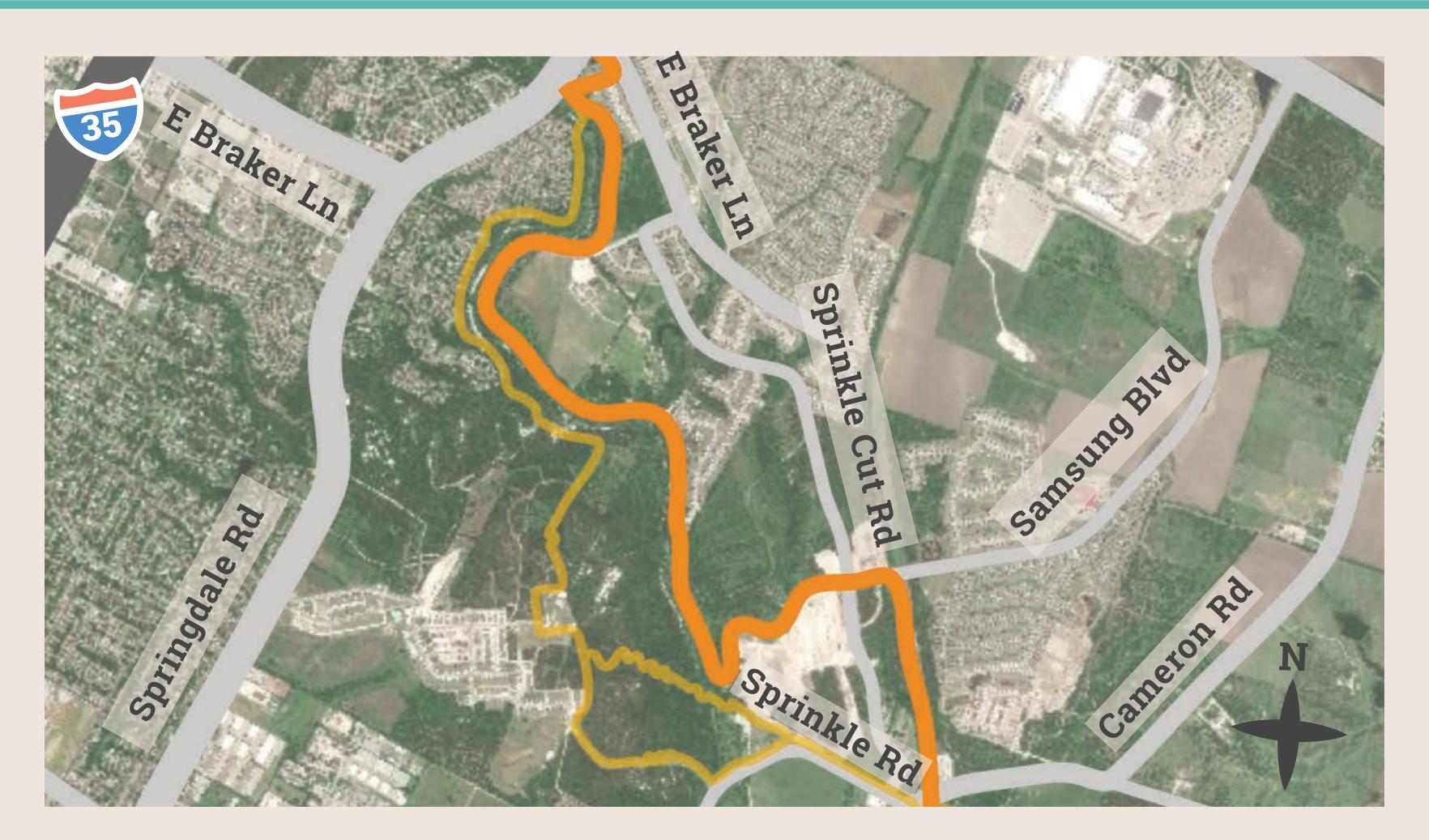
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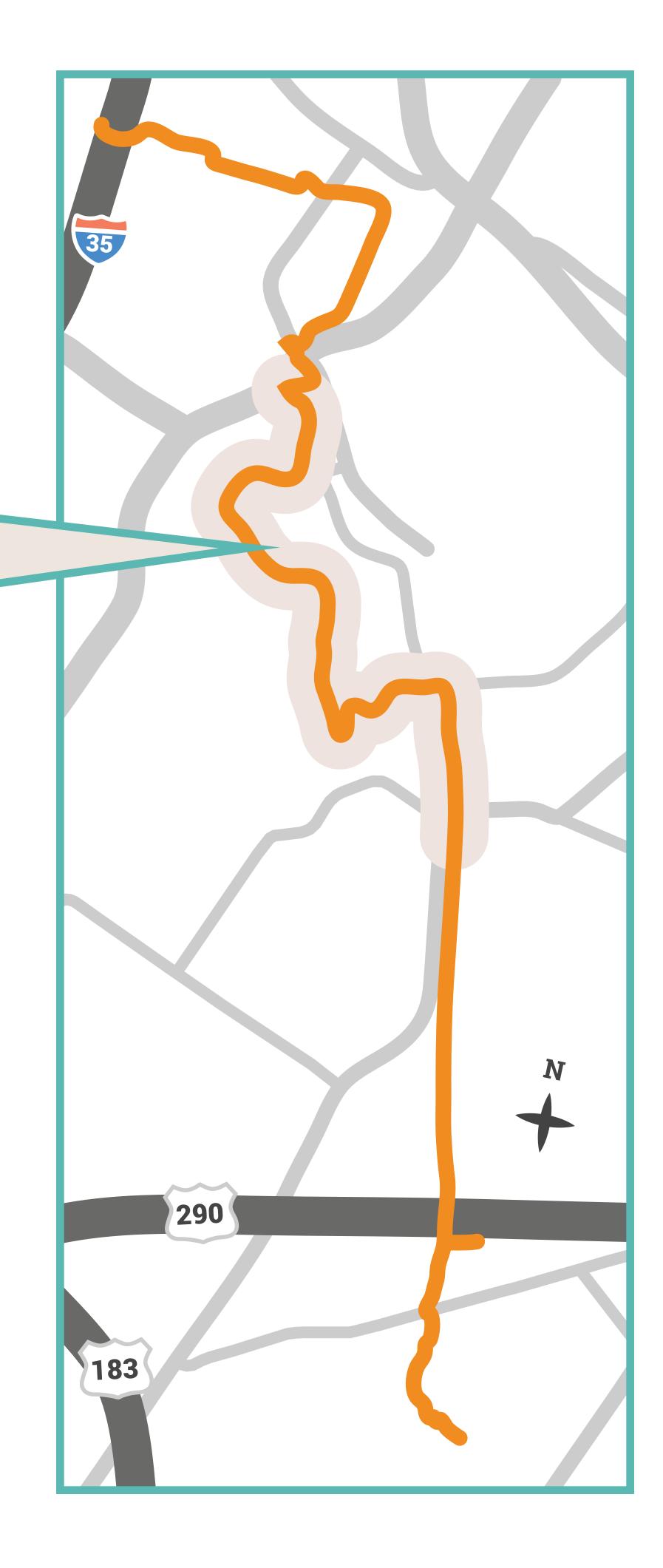
Sprinkle/Cameron Rds to Dessau Rd



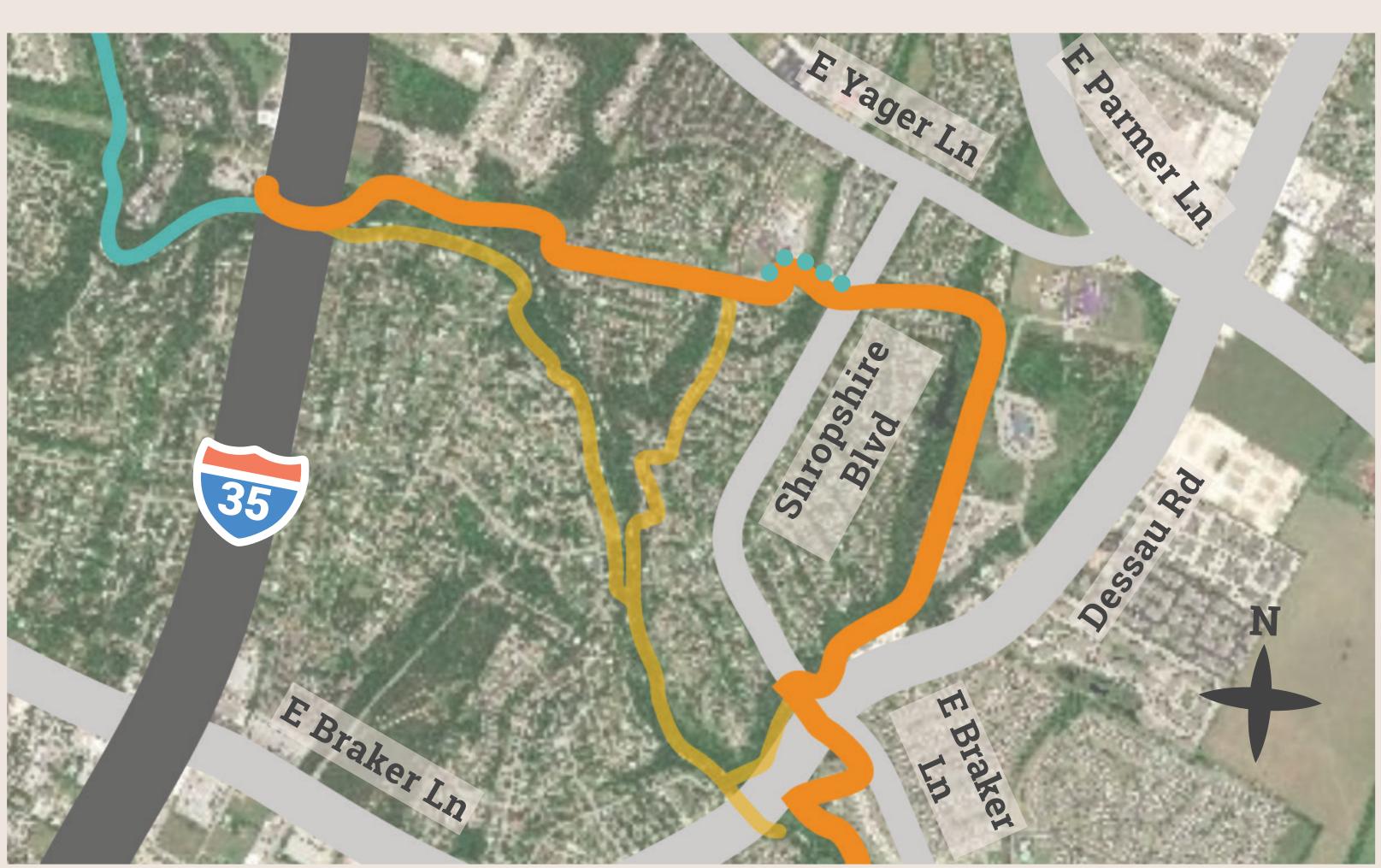
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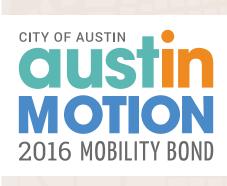


US 290 to Dessau Rd to IH-35



Legend **Preferred Route**

Non-preferred Alternative Route



Connecting Project: NWCT Section 2 (Walnut Creek Metropolitan Park to IH-35)

Connecting Project: Safe Routes to School Shropshire Blvd Trail Connection

