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Ardmore Avenue: Airport Expressway to Second Street (entrance to airport) Consultant: A&Z			City of Fort Wayne Public Works & Redevelopment Commission	Extend the trail from Airport Expressway to the entrance of the Fort Wayne International Airport. Trail will be constructed on the east side of Ardmore Avenue. Trail will be part of a road improvement project financed with Tax Increment Financing (TIF). A&Z Engineering was chosen to design this project.	2018 or 2019	1 mile	Engineering
Bass Road: Hillegas to Scott Consultant: American Structurepoint		?	Allen County	Intersection improvement project and road widening project from 2 to 3 lanes, which will include a 10 ft wide multi-use trail. The trail will be constructed in various phases from 2017 - 2023. The trail will be constructed on the north side between Hillegas and Hadley Roads. It will be located on the south side between Hadley and Scott Roads. Connection to Buckner Park. The Bass Rd Bridge over I-69 will be widened to include the trail. November 2016 bid date for first phase which includes roundabouts at Hadley and Flaugh, work on two bridges and several sections of trail. Completion is Fall of 2019 for first phase. Closure of Bass Rd at I-69 will occur on April 3rd for the construction season.	2017-2023	4.5 miles	Engineering & ROW & Construction
Becketts Run Trail: St Joe Center to Clinton Consultant: Design in-house	0187R		City of Fort Wayne Public Works	Trail along west bank of St Joe River from St Joe Center Road (where it will connect with Rivergreenway) to Becketts Run Stream and then westerly along Becketts Run to Clinton. AEP is currently upgrading their transmission line thru this corridor. They will leave gravel construction road intact and we will pave. We need funding for a pedestrian bridge and two boardwalks. We also need easements from Concordia Lutheran Seminary and AEP.	2019?	1.8 miles	ROW
Bluffton Road Trail: Lower Huntington Road to West Foster Park Consultant: V S Engineering	12498	local project	City of Fort Wayne Community Development partnering with Public Works	Walk Fort Wayne Project. Trail on east side and sidewalk on west side. Phase 1 is the sidewalk from 338 ft north of Lower Huntington Rd to 200 feet south of Old Trail (WO #0172N). Phase 2 is the sidewalk (wo# 0179N) from north of Old Trail to 800 ft south of Winchester. We had the pre-construction meeting for Ph 2 in late March. Construction will begin for both sidewalks in April. We will receive Regional Cities funding to construct the trail and the remaining sections of sidewalk in 2017 (Phase 3). <b>We will open bids for Phase 3 on April 26th with construction starting in early June.</b>	2017	1.5 miles	bidding
Cougar Trail, PH I: Swinney to USF Consultant: DLZ Contractor:	12008	local project	City of Fort Wayne Public Works	A 12 ft wide trail from the Rivergreenway and Yarnelle Trail at Swinney Park to the Univ of Saint Francis. Talked with Norfolk Southern in late August. They want the two billboard leases left out of the appraisals. Met with consultant to make changes to design plans and legal description/plat for railroad corridor. After this is completed, we'll get the corridor appraised. FWT recently met with University of St. Francis.	2021?	.82 miles	ROW
Dupont Road Trail: Lima to Coldwater Consultant: GAI Consultants	12227	901798	City of Fort Wayne Public Works	Road widening project that will include a 10 ft wide trail on the south side and a sidewalk on the north side. Will also include a below-grade Pufferbelly Trail crossing of Dupont Rd. Right of way acquisition is complete. <b>Utilities should begin relocations.</b> Letting in October 2017.	2017-2019	1.8 miles	Final design

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Gump Road Trail Contractor: Phend Brown		?	Allen County	Road improvement project from Old Lima Road in Huntertown to just west of Coldwater Road. Eight foot multi-use trail will be included on the south side. Letting on November 10, 2015. Intermittent completion on 10/14/17 and final completion on 6/16/18. Construction continues.	2016-2018	1.42 miles	Construction
Hanna Street: Pontiac Street to Rudisill Boulevard Consultant: In-house Contractor:	0113-R	local project	City of Fort Wayne Public Works	Eight foot wide concrete trail on east side of Hanna from Pontiac to Oxford and west side from Oxford to Rudisill. Will connect with Weisser Park; Weisser Park Elementary School; bike lanes on Rudisill; and Foster Park & Rivergreenway via Rudisill bike lanes and sidewalk. Buying right of way continues. Submitted Rule 5 permit. <b>Ready to bid as soon as right of way is acquired, hopefully in April or May.</b>	2017	0.72 miles	ROW
Hanna Street: Burns Blvd to US 27 Consultant: Design in-house	0072-R		City of Fort Wayne Public Works	Ten foot wide asphalt trail on west side of Hanna Street. Design is complete. Right of way will be needed from one parcel (AEP). We presented the legal description and plat for an easement to AEP on 12/8/16. AEP still reviewing easement. They did give us a Right of Entry. We will bid in late 2017 or early 2018 when funding is available.	2017 - 18	0.51 miles	ready for bidding
Hanna Street: US 27 to Tillman Rd and Southtown Centre Design in-house	0188R		City of Fort Wayne Public Works	Ten foot wide trail on west side of Hanna from US 27/Lafayette to Tillman Rd and Tillman Park where the trail will tie into the Rivergreenway. From the intersection of Tillman Rd and Hanna to Southtown Centre, a sidewalk will be constructed on the south side of Tillman to North Phoenix Parkway and along North Phoenix Parkway to connect to existing sidewalk at Southtown Centre. Survey work is needed before design can begin.	2018-19	0.35 mi trail; 0.3 mi sidewalk	Survey
Illinois Road Trail & Sidewalk: Lagro to Magnavox Way Consultant: Eng Resources Contractor:	12275	local project	City of Fort Wayne Public Works partnering with Redevelopment Commission	<b>We would like to re-bid in May.</b>	2017	0.73 mi trail; 0.23 mi sidewalk	Bidding
Illinois Rd Trail and Sidewalk: Lagro to Rockhill Park Consultant: Engineering Resources, Inc Contractor:		local project	City of Fort Wayne Public Works partnering with Redevelopment Commission	Engineering is 60% complete. Includes trail on north side from Rockhill Park to west of Thomas Rd and trail on south side from Reckeweg to West Jefferson. Also, includes trail on west side of Hillegas from West Jefferson to Illinois Rd. Right of way needed from 6 parcels.	2019 or 2020	1.91 miles of trail	Engineering
IPFW Pedestrian Bridge over Coliseum Blvd Consultant: Engineering Resources, Inc Contractor: Primco		1173219	IPFW	Pedestrian bridge over Coliseum Boulevard to link Ivy Tech and IPFW campuses. This bridge will also tie into the Rivergreenway. <b>Ground-breaking ceremony on 4/21.</b>	2017		Construction

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Johnny Appleseed to Shoaff Park, Ph 1-C, Consultant: GAI Contractor:	0186R	local project	City of Fort Wayne Public Works partnering with Parks and FWT	Trail is designed from St Joe Center Rd to south of California Road. We need to wait for AEP's Transmission project to be completed before we can construct the trail. Met with AEP on 9/8. Looks like their project will be completed in the summer of 2017. We walked the project limits in late January to determine what might be needed to finish the trail in 2018. We will need to revisit the site once AEP is finished to assess the condition of the gravel construction road and riverbank erosion before moving forward with the construction plans.	2018	1.2 miles	on hold
Lake Avenue Trail and Sidewalk Consultant: In- house Contractor: Mallott	12414	local project	City of Fort Wayne Public Works partnering with Community Development	Walk Fort Wayne Project. Trail on north side and sidewalk on the south side of Lake Avenue from Randallia Drive to Coliseum Blvd. Trail length along Lake is 1.24 miles. Sidewalk length is 0.54 miles. Design is complete. Bridge foundation design is complete and permitting is complete. We have 18 parcels to acquire. We have secured 8 parcels, including all parcels on the south side for the sidewalk. Donated trail easement received from Veteran's Administration. City is reviewing easement. City has requested donated right of way from Parkview. Sidewalk bids came in 22% lower than engineer's estimate (work order number 0191N). <b>Contractor will begin constructing sidewalk in April.</b> Trail will be bid in phases from 2018-2020.	2017-2020	1.24 miles	Construction for sidewalk; ROW for trail
Landin Road, Phase 2 Consultant: A&Z Engineering			New Haven	Road diet (4 lanes to 2 lanes) with 8 ft wide trails on each side (possibly) from bridge over Maumee to Powers.	2020		Engineering
Liberty Mills Rd: Middle Grove to Falls Drive Consultant: A&Z	0168-N	local project	City of Fort Wayne Public Works partnering with Redevelopment Commission	TIF District will generate funding for construction in 2022. Met on 1/9 to discuss funding and timeline for project. Redevelopment Commission awarded engineering contract to A&Z on 2/27. A notice to proceed was issued on 3/1. <b>We walked the project with A&amp;Z on 3/15. Met with our surveyor and A&amp;Z on 3/30 to discuss additional survey data needed.</b>	2022	0.55 miles	Survey
Main Street Bridge over Trier Ditch			New Haven/Allen County project	New bridge over the Trier Ditch. Project will include an 8 ft wide trail on north side and trail will extend to Moser Park.	2017	0.11 mile	Construction
Maplecrest Road: State Blvd to Stellhorn Rd Consultant: A&Z Contractor:	12269 ?		City of Fort Wayne Public Works	City will be widening this section of Maplecrest Road. Letting is scheduled for September of 2018. An 8 ft wide trail will be included on the west side and a sidewalk on the east side. A trail will also be constructed along sections of Stellhorn to make connections to shopping and restaurants. Trail length along Maplecrest will be 7140 lineal feet. Trail length along Stellhorn will be 1260 lineal feet. We have 109 parcels to acquire. <b>Appraising has begun.</b> Letting in September of 2018.	2019-2020	1.6 miles	ROW
Maysville/Trier/Landin Roundabout Contractor: E&B Paving		local project	City of Fort Wayne Public Works	Roundabout to be constructed at this intersection. Will include sidewalk and trail connections. Construction will begin in April.	2017	0.22 mile	Construction

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Maysville Road: Stellhorn to Meijer Dr Consultant: Butler Fairman & Seufert	12417	local project	City of Fort Wayne Public Works partnering with Redevelopment Commission	City will widen the roadway to five lanes where needed; where not needed, we'll have a landscaped median. Ten foot wide trail on NW side and sidewalk on the other side. Project funded with TIF. Project also includes trail on south side of Stellhorn from Maysville to Wheelock (0.26 miles) and sidewalk on west side of Maysville from Stellhorn south to Marathon Gas Station to tie in with existing walk. Right of way is secured except billboard parcel. Project will bid later this year after the utility duct bank is constructed. Two-year construction project.	2017 - 2018	0.91 miles	Construction on utility duct bank
Pemberton Levee Trail Consultant: In-house Contractor: Brooks	0171R		City of Fort Wayne Public Works	Trail on top of levee from Rivergreenway - Maumee Pathway to intersection of Lake and Randallia, where it will tie into Randallia Trail and Parkview Campus and Lake Ave sidewalk. Army Corps permit was approved. Rule 5 permit was submitted. <b>Had pre-construction meeting in late March. Construction will begin in early June after school gets out.</b>	2017	0.47 miles	Construction
<b>Pufferbelly Trail, Phase I</b> Consultant: <b>Engineering Resources, Inc</b> Contractor: <b>E&amp;B Paving</b>	12007	710990 & 1600772 (bridge)	City of Fort Wayne Public Works partnering with FWT	Project is on former railroad corridor just north of State Blvd to Fernhill with a trail spur to Franke Park. We have been awarded Regional Cities funding to help construct this trail in 2017. INDOT opened bids on February 8th. <b>Had pre-construction meeting on March 20th. Construction has begun with signage and tree removal.</b>	2017	1.6 miles	Construction
Pufferbelly Trail, Phase 1A Consultant: In-house Contractor:	0010-R		City of Fort Wayne Public Works	Twelve foot wide trail from State Boulevard to intersection of Fourth and Clinton. Will connect with Science Central, Lawton Park, Headwaters Park, Downtown and Rivergreenway. Design is 95% complete. Need to acquire right of way from AEP and INDOT and secure permits. We have been awarded Regional Cities funding to help construct this trail in 2017. Rule 5 permit was submitted and Construction in Floodway permit was submitted. Final utility routing completed. Working on ROW acquisition. Have secured Right of Entry from AEP. INDOT will issue a Right of Entry if parcels are not secured by construction time. Bid in April or May.	2017	0.63 miles	ROW
Pufferbelly Trail: Wallen to Washington Center Contractor:	0167-R	local project	City of Fort Wayne Public Works	We have been awarded Regional Cities funding to construct the trail in 2017. Working with Airport Authority attorney on extending the license agreement to include trail portion on east side of railroad corridor by Cook Rd. Submitted wetland delineation report to IDEM and Army Corps of Engineers. They met us onsite. We now have to submit a 401 and 404 permits for wetland impacts. Submitted Rule 5 permit. Right of way (vegetation) was cleared by volunteer (B&W Equipment). This donation of time and equipment saved the taxpayers about \$70,000! <b>Working on design and permitting. Will bid in April or May.</b>	2017	2 miles	<b>Permitting and Engineering</b>

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Pufferbelly Trail: Washington Center to north of Coliseum Blvd. (Stable Drive)			City of Fort Wayne Public Works & City Utilities	The Northwest Feeder Water Main will be constructed in 2018. There are potentially 16 property owners for the trail project. The trail will follow the water main alignment on only about six of those 16 properties. Dawn has talked with nine of the property owners. All but one are supportive of the trail. We'd like to build the trail along with the water main if funding can be identified. No funding right now to move forward with project.	2018 or 2019?	0.95 miles	ROW
Pufferbelly Trail Right of Way Acquisition: Payton County Park to County Line			Allen County and Fort Wayne Trails, Inc	County secured the Good Earth Farms parcel north of Payton County Park and the Whisper Rock parcel. County is close to securing Russell parcel, Stein parcel and Indiana Trails Fund parcel. FWT and County have had several meetings with the three Twin Eagles homeowners' associations. They are supportive of the trail.	?		ROW
St. Joe Center Road Trail: Meijer Drive to Chiswell Run and Wheelock Rd Trail from St. Joe Center Rd to Mill Ridge Run Consultant: DLZ	0183N	local project	City of Fort Wayne Community Development partnering with Public Works	Walk Fort Wayne Project funded with TIF. Ten foot wide asphalt trail that will run along the south side of St Joe Center Road from the existing trail at Meijer Drive to the sidewalk at Chiswell Run (entrance to Arlington Park). The trail will also extend south along the west side of Wheelock Road from St. Joe Center Road to south of Jefferson Middle School, where it will end at the existing pedestrian road crossing at Mill Ridge Run. Redevelopment Commission approved ROW and Construction budget on 2/27. Appraising has begun. Met with consultant on 2/3 to review 80% plans.	2017-2018	1 mile	ROW
<b>Six Mile Creek Trail: Southtown Centre to Tillman Rd/Lemar Drive Consultant: A&amp;Z Contractor: Brooks</b>	12009	810457	City of Fort Wayne Public Works with Fort Wayne Trails, Inc	Pre-construction meeting took place on October 7th. Construction began in mid-October. Ground-breaking held on 10/19. Signal work was done in December. <b>Trail construction will resume in mid-April. Progress meetings will resume on 4/6. Construction is about 55% complete.</b>	2017	0.93	Construction
Southtown Centre, Ph II Consultant: In-house Contractor: Brooks	0011-R	local project	City of Fort Wayne Public Works	Southbridge Apartment's Private Drive to Anthony Blvd. We've decided to narrow the wide lanes and remove a hatched area on South Phoenix Parkway to avoid acquiring right of way. Had pre-bid meeting. Project awarded to Brooks Construction. Completion by the end of June. <b>Pre-construction meeting held on 3/29. Brooks will begin work either 4/10 or 4/17 and will be finished in early June.</b>	2017	0.58 miles	Construction
State Boulevard: Cass to Spy Run Consultant: American Structurepoint	12030	400587	City of Fort Wayne Public Works	Road widening and straightening project that will include a sidewalk, trail and the Pufferbelly Trail bridge. Eight - ten foot wide trail will run from the Pufferbelly Trail to the Rivergreenway on the south side of State. We have acquired 66 of 67 parcels. Last parcel is Norfolk Southern. Project will be bid in 2 phases (lettings in Aug of 2017 and February of 2019). Western phase (with Pufferbelly Bridge) will be constructed in 2019. Right of way has been certified for Phase 1.	2017	0.4 miles	ROW

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Summit Park Project, Phase 1 Consultant: Fleis & Vandenbrink	0073N		City of Fort Wayne Public Works partnering with Redevelopment Commission	Trail (1.19 miles) and sidewalk (0.6 mile) project funded with TIF. Project will connect three mobile home parks (1300 mobile homes) with existing bike and pedestrian infrastructure on Lima Road. Includes sidewalk on north side of Washington Center from Village of North Oaks Mobile Home Park to former Grand Rapids-Indiana RR corridor; 10 ft wide trail along RR corridor from Washington Center to Ludwig; 10 ft wide trail from RR corridor to intersection of Ludwig and Lima on south side of Ludwig. Have been in contact with 4 of 10 property owners requesting donated right of way or easements. Final utility routing completed. Draft trail easement (donation) received from Meijer. City is reviewing easement. <b>Buying of right of way continues. Engineering is 98% complete. City is reviewing the final plans.</b>	2017	0.6 mile sidewalk; 1.19 miles trail	ROW
West Hamilton Road: Vera Cruz to SR 14		local project	Allen County	The County will replace the W Hamilton Rd Bridge over the Beal-Taylor Ditch and extend the existing trail from the entrance to the Vera Cruz subdivision (Ridge Crest Crossing) to the new trail on SR 14. Final field check meeting with designer on 11/9. Will be bid soon. <b>County acquired final parcel.</b>	2017	0.38 miles	<b>Final design</b>