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bicycle master plan



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Planning Board Meeting
September 17, 2015

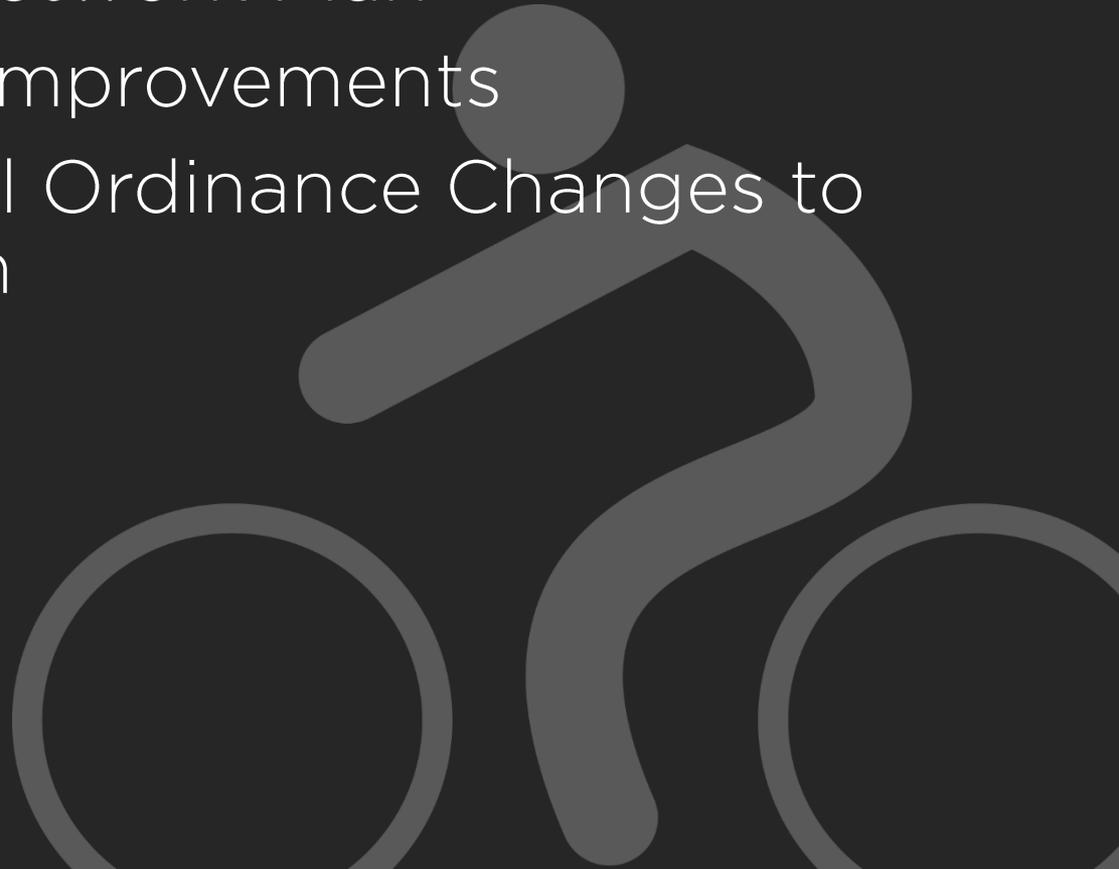
Plan Goals & Objectives

- Improve Safety and Create a Comfortable Bicycling Environment
- Encourage Higher Rates of Bicycling
- Advance Complete Streets Policy
- Create a Network of Safe, Accessible, Multimodal Streets

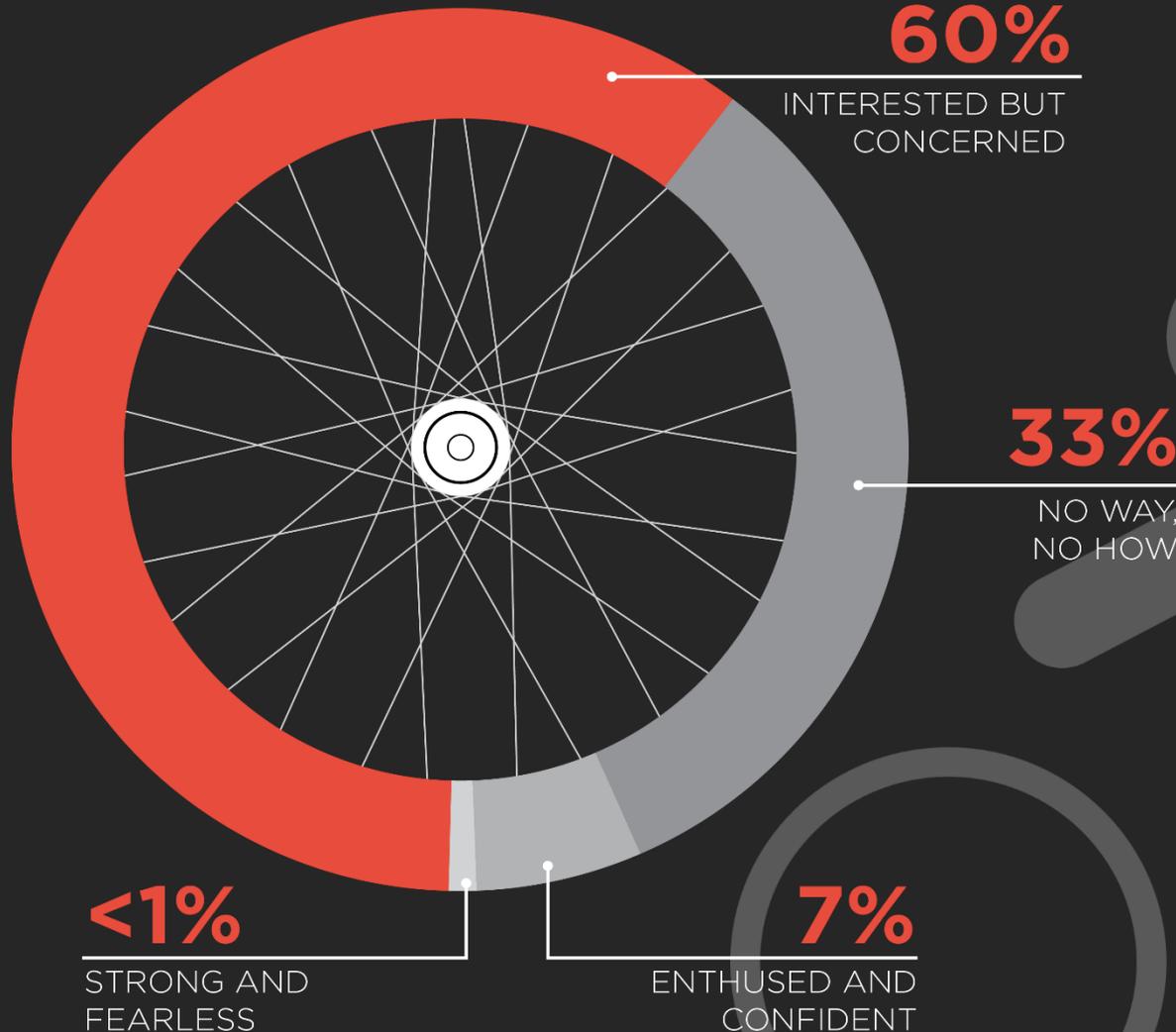


Desired Plan Outcomes

- Adopt Bicycle Master Plan
- Adopt Bicycle Network Plan
- Identify Capital Improvements
- Identify Potential Ordinance Changes to Support the Plan



Four Types of Riders



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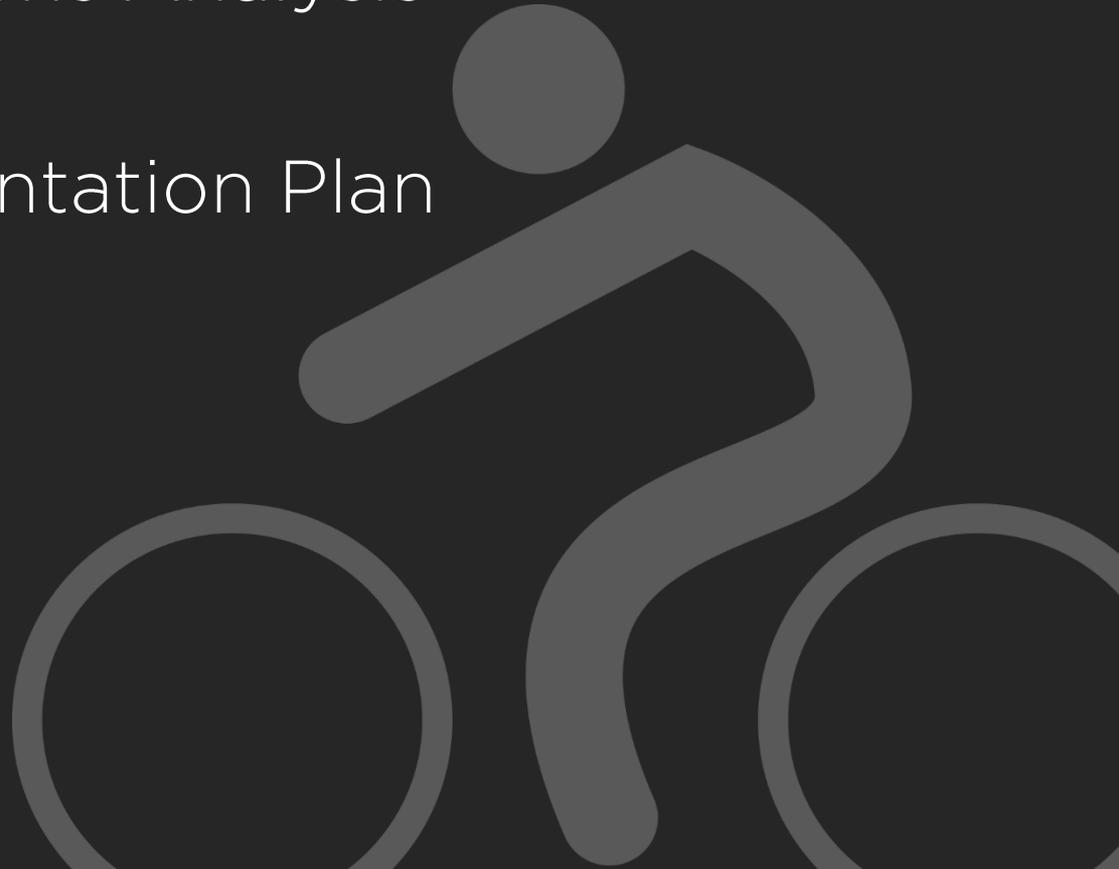
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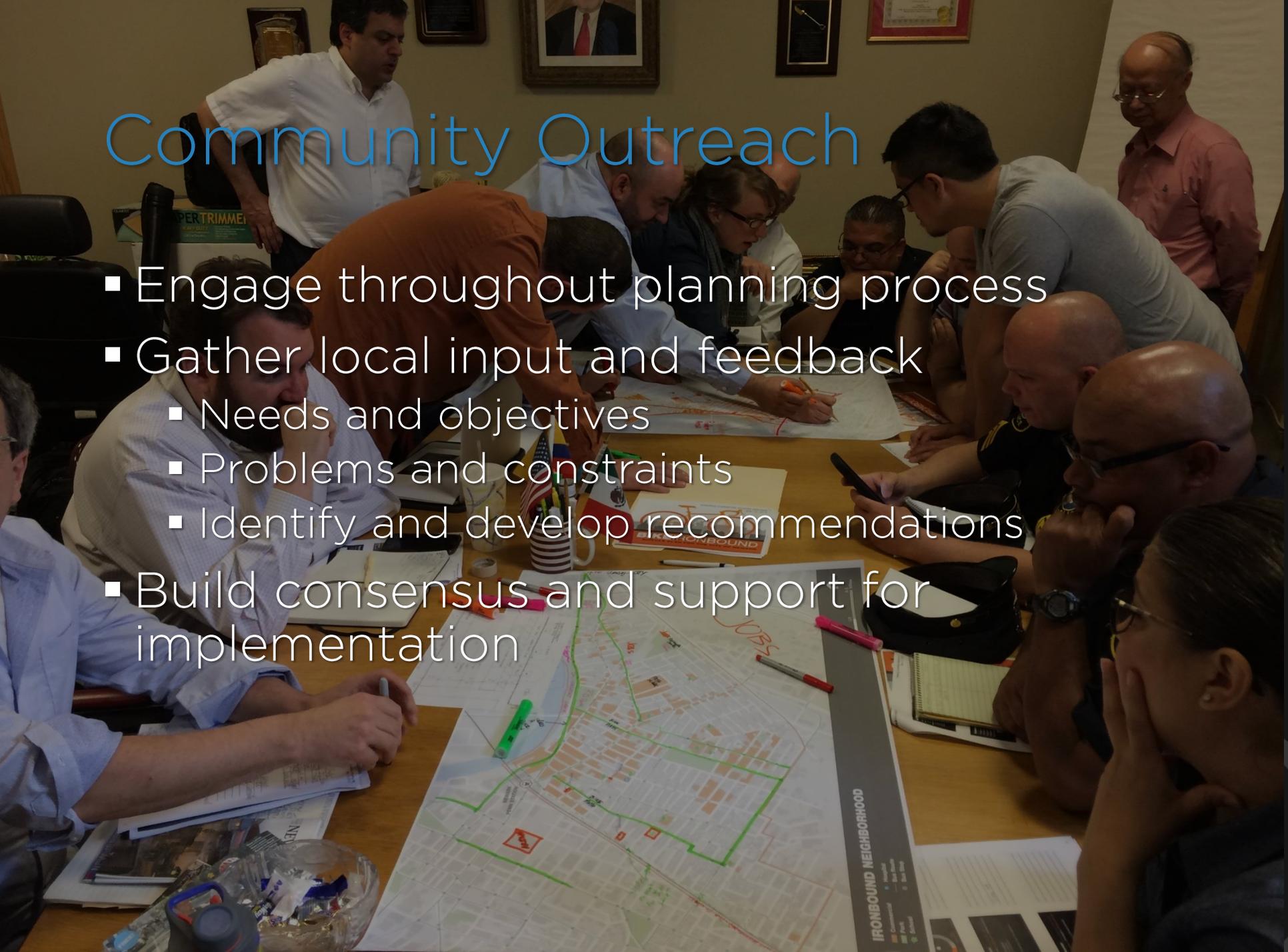
Study Outline

- Community Outreach
- Existing Conditions Analysis
- Bicycle Network
- Bicycle Implementation Plan



Community Outreach

- Engage throughout planning process
- Gather local input and feedback
 - Needs and objectives
 - Problems and constraints
 - Identify and develop recommendations
- Build consensus and support for implementation



Community Outreach

- Planning Board (4 mtgs)
- Local Steering Committee (3 mtgs)
- Public Meetings (3 mtgs)
- Informal Focus Groups/Interviews (5)
- Community Events (1)
 - National Night Out, August 4
- Crowdsourcing (wikimapping)



Existing Conditions

- “Level-of-Stress” analysis
- Crash analysis
- Current bicycle facilities
- Roadway characteristics
- Map key destinations
- Previous studies



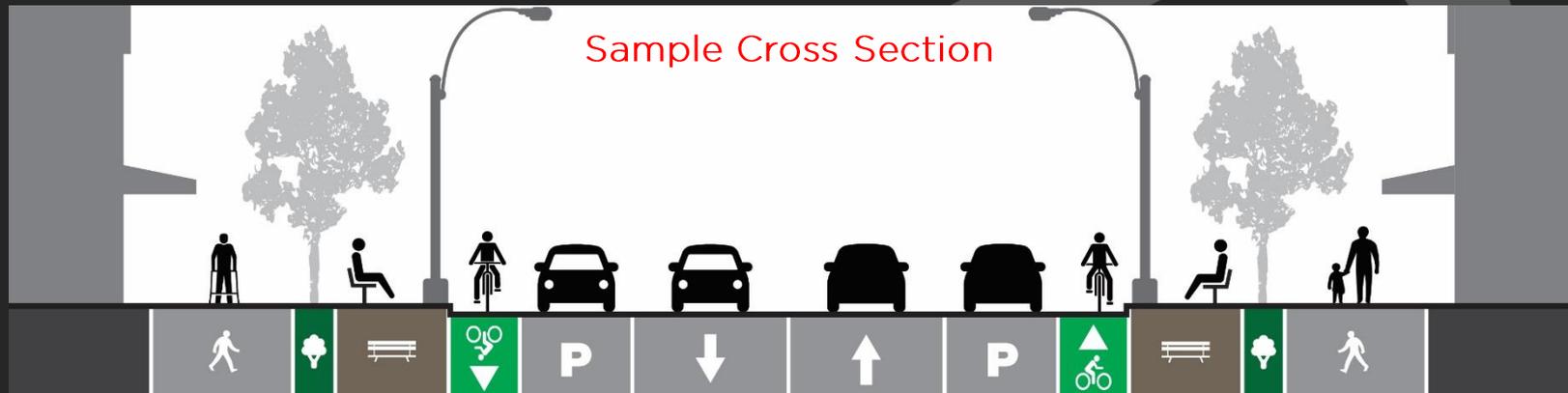
Bicycle Network

- Link major destinations
- Review constraints and opportunities
- Assess off-road connections
- Community input essential



Bicycle Implementation Plan

- Identify improvements
- Municipal-wide network
- Typical cross sections
- Sample photo simulations

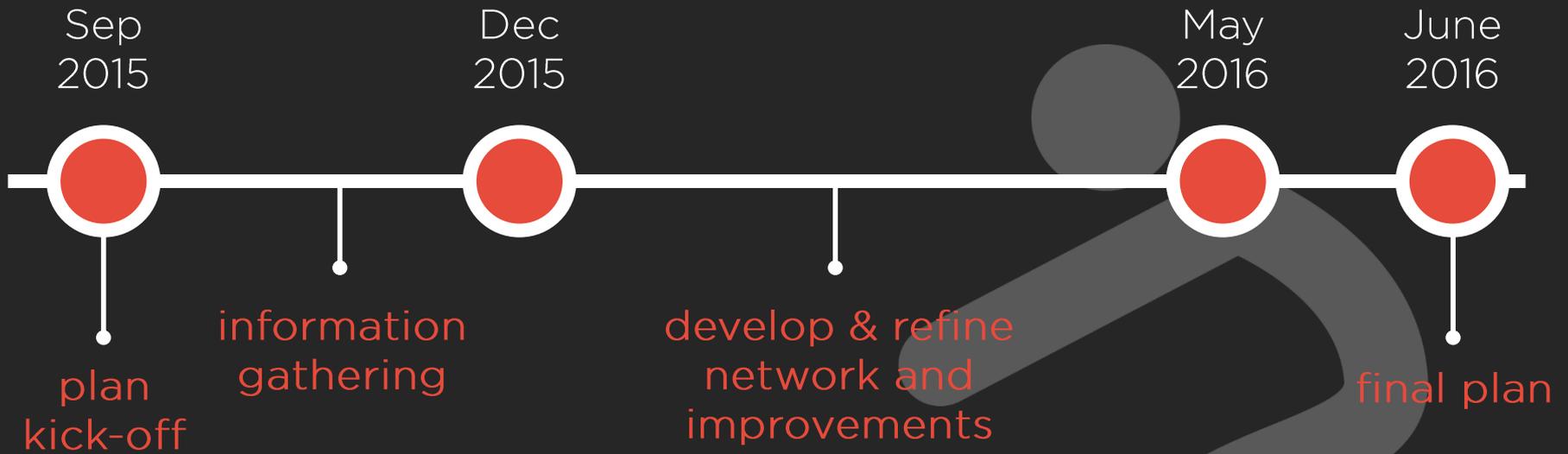


Role of the Planning Board

- Provide input
- Bring community into the study
- Provide feedback on draft products
- Adopt the Bicycle Master Plan
- Oversee implementation



Study Timeline



Next Steps

- Steering Committee Kick-Off mtg – Oct
- Launch wikimapping site – Oct
- 1st Public Meeting – Oct/Nov
- Focus Groups/Interviews – Oct-Dec
- Draft Existing Conditions analysis – underway

