



Hogans Creek Restoration Project

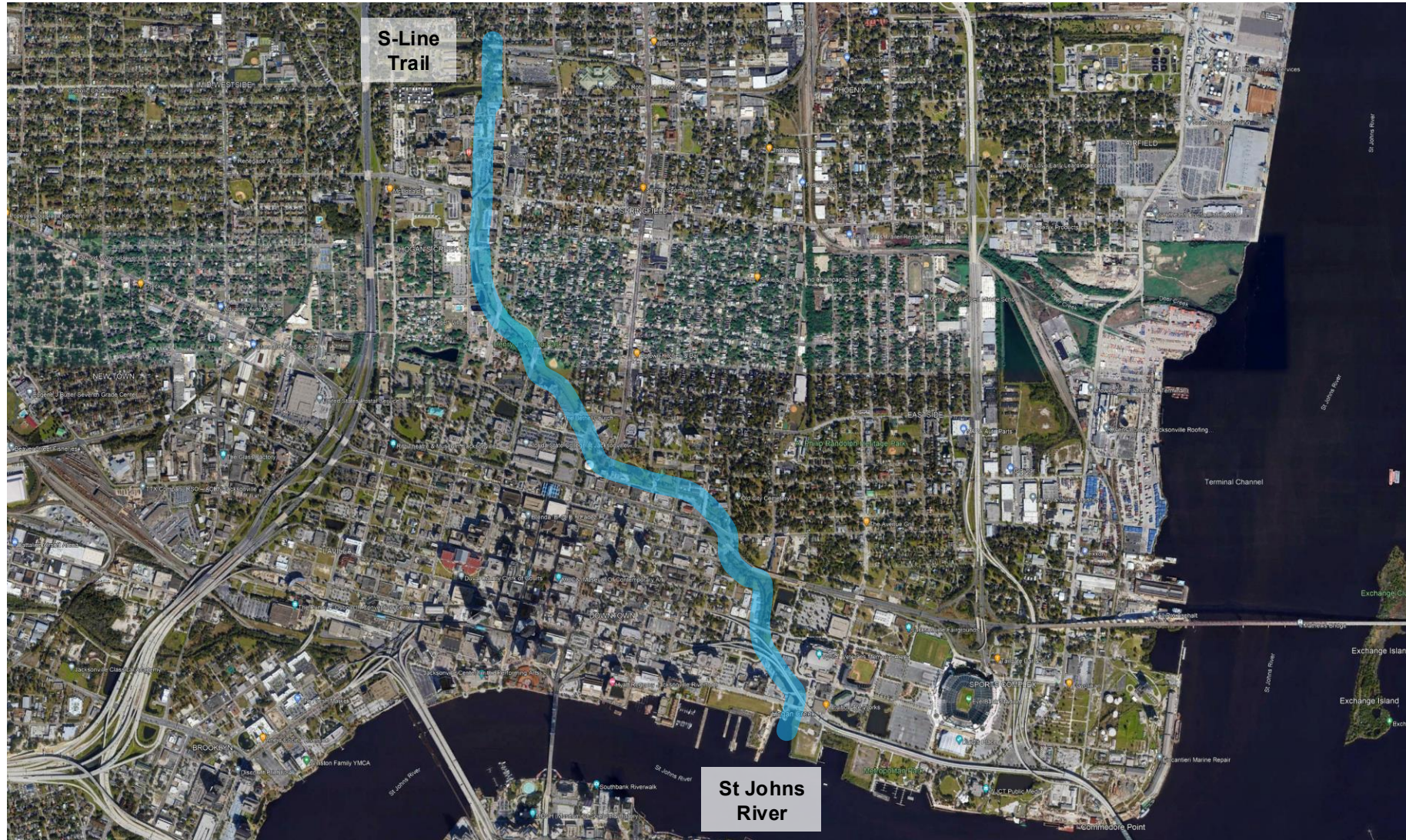
Community Conversation

November 5, 2025

Hogans Creek Overview & Goals



PROJECT OVERVIEW



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- 2.6 Miles of Creek Restoration
- 1,300 ft. Daylighted Creek Restoration
- 24 Acres of Wetland Habitat Restoration
- 19 Acres of Upland Buffer Restoration



PROJECT GOALS

Ecological Restoration

- *Hogans Creek Restoration*

Mitigate Flooding

- *Storm event modeling informs new creek design*

Improved Water Quality

- *Cleaner for plants and animals*

Increase Habitat for Wildlife

- *Improve habitat for fish and birds, and reduce hazards*

Access to Hogans Creek & Recreation

- *Emerald Trail expansion, maintain active recreation, and provide passive recreation*

Build Community Resilience

- *Use nature-based solutions to help Hogans Creek restore and maintain*



Hogans Creek History



HOGANS HISTORY - 1833



1878



STATE STREET

MARKET STREET

Marsh

HOGANS CREEK

HOGANS HISTORY 1929

IN 1927 THERE WAS PASSED A BOND ELECTION BY WHICH \$500,000 WAS VOTED FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO HOGAN'S CREEK - HERETOFORE AN UNSIGHTLY AND RATHER FILTHY STREAM. A GENERAL OPINION PREVAILED THAT A LARGE UNDERGROUND DUCT SHOULD BE DESIGNED - A PURELY ENGINEERING PROBLEM. NEARLY TWO YEARS HAD PASSED BY WITH NOTHING DONE AND THE 500,000. JUST ABOUT TO PASS INTO OBLIVION WHEN I WAS CALLED UPON, AS A MEMBER OF THE SPRINGFIELD BOOSTER'S CLUB, TO REPORT AT ITS NEXT MEETING WHY NOTHING HAD BEEN ACCOMPLISHED. I FOUND A LACK OF INTEREST IN THE PROBLEM AMONG THE ENGINEERS. THE GENERAL OPINION WAS "NOT ENOUGH FUNDS" FOR SO LARGE A DUCT. THIS GAVE ME THE IDEA TO MAKE AN ARTISTIC OPEN AIR CANAL OUT OF IT WITH ARCHITECTURAL EMBELLISHMENTS. I SHOWED MY SKETCH TO C.V. IMESON, WELL KNOWN ENGINEER AND PROPOSED THAT WE COLLABORATE, WITH THE RESULT THAT THE SPRINGFIELD BOOSTER AND THE SPRINGFIELD WOMEN'S CLUB, UNDER THE ABLE LEADERSHIP OF MRS. W.S. JENNINGS, STORMED THE CITADEL OF THE CITY COMMISSION AT ITS NEXT MEETING AND WITH MY SKETCHES, SUCCEEDED IN CONVINCING ITS MEMBERS OF THE PLAUSIBILITY OF THE SCHEME AND SO ANOTHER SORE SPOT ON THE FACE OF THE CITY'S MAP WAS ELLIMINATED AND THE BOND ISSUE SAVED FROM BEING PLACED BACK ON THE SHELF OF "TIME LIMITATIONS" OR "FORGOTTEN THINGS".

1929-HOGAN'S CREEK PROJECT-1929.

APPROACH AT JULIA STREET BRIDGE

LIBERTY ST. BRIDGE 1929

SAME STREET LOOKING WEST

MARKET ST. LOOKING EAST

PEARL ST. LOOKING EAST

BEFORE

AFTER

CHAS. V. IMESON
ENGINEER

H.J. KLUTHO
ARCHITECT

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DESIGNS BY H.J. KLUTHO ARCHITECT.
MEMBER - AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS - JACKSONVILLE FLA.

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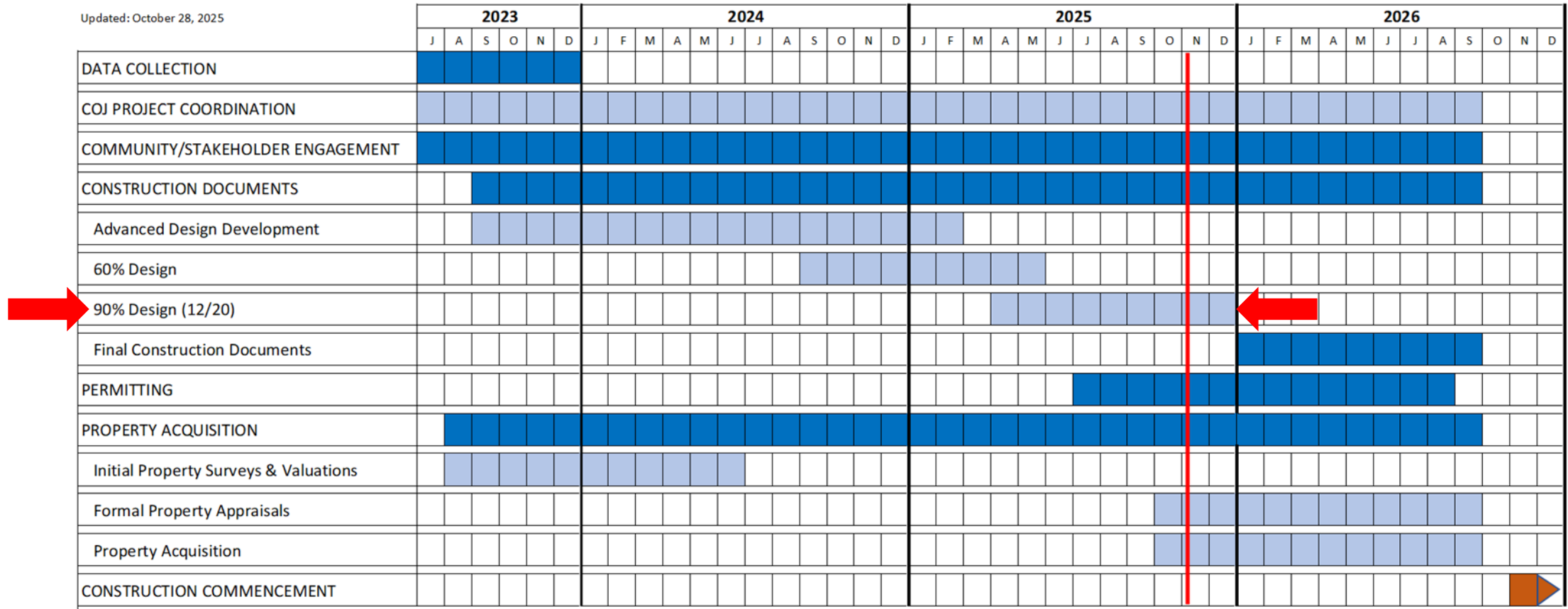
Hogans Creek What's Next?



What's Next?

HOGANS CREEK RESTORATION PROJECT Abbreviated Project Schedule

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INFORMATION STATION 1 – Overall Project



INFORMATION STATION 2 – Creek Restoration Design, Creek Planting, and Tree Impact Mitigation

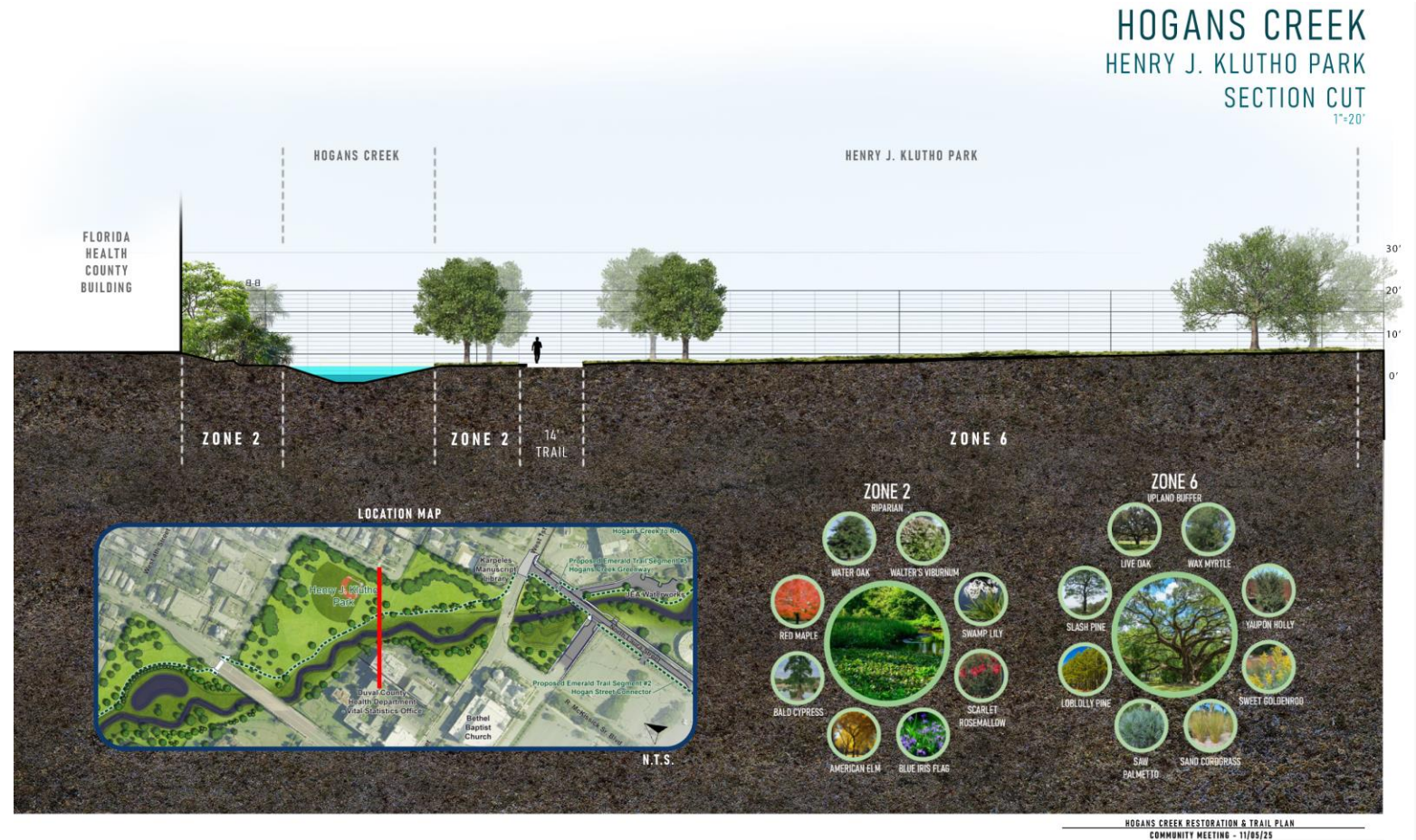
ZONE 4: BRACKISH/SALTWATER LOW TIDAL MARSH



ZONE 5: BRACKISH UPPER TIDAL SALT MARSH



ZONE 6: UPLAND BUFFER



INFORMATION STATION 3 – Roadways & Bridges

Roadway Bridges



Laura Street Bridge & Roadway Reconstruction



Existing Bridges Remaining

INFORMATION STATION 3 – Roadways & Bridges

New Pedestrian Bridges



Pedestrian Bridges



Market Street Pedestrian Bridge