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181st St. Busway Pilot

DOT will pilot a bus and truck priority corridor on 181st St, from Amsterdam Ave to Broadway. Busway regulations will be in effect starting April 26, 2021.

This project will:

- Improve bus speeds for 42,000 daily passengers
- Improve truck travel, expand commercial loading and unloading
- Maintain local access for all vehicles
- Increase parking and improve curb access

How it works:

- Only buses, trucks, and emergency vehicles may use 181st St as a thru street
- All vehicles may turn onto the Busway for local access, but cars and vans must turn right at the next block
- Parking and loading activities will be allowed throughout the corridor
- The busway restrictions will be in effect from 6 AM – 10 PM, all days
- Extents of the busway are:
 - Eastbound: Broadway to Amsterdam Ave
 - Westbound: Amsterdam Ave to Wadsworth Ave
- Restrictions are enforced through warnings and summonses given by NYPD traffic agents in addition to automated cameras

Community Outreach:

- DOT is committed to public engagement throughout the one-year pilot
- Adjustments to the design and/or regulations may be made in response to traffic monitoring and community feedback
- The project's Community Advisory Board has been involved in the planning process and will continue to provide input after implementation

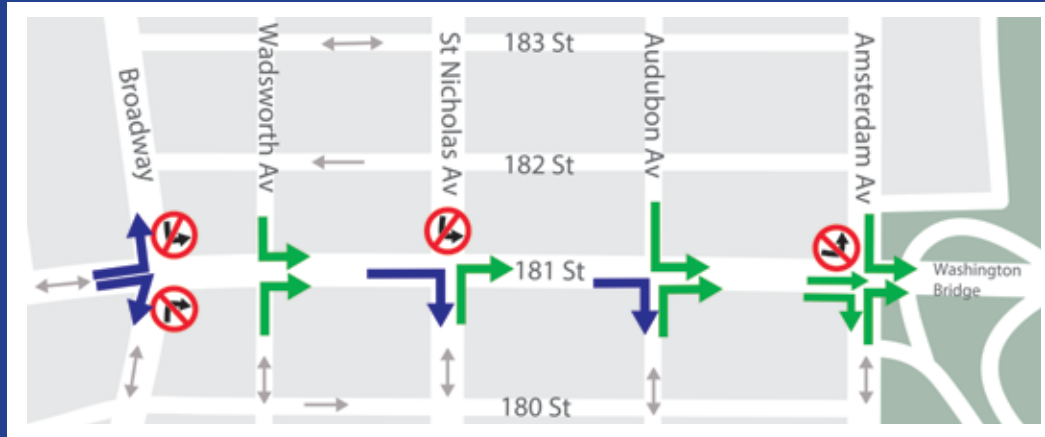


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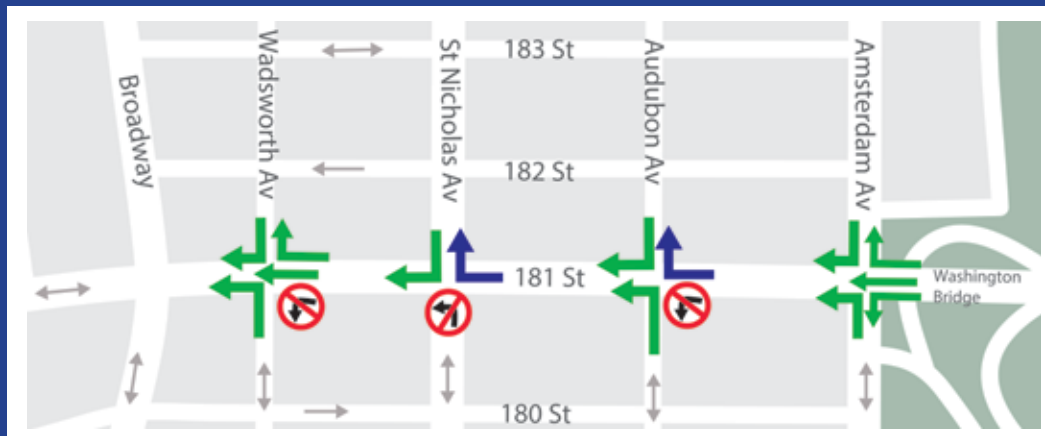
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Traveling on the Busway: How to Reach Your Block

Eastbound



Westbound



Busway Regulations for Private Vehicles

If you enter 181st St from:	You must exit on:
Wadsworth Ave. (headed Eastbound)	St. Nicholas Ave.
St. Nicholas Ave.	Wadsworth Ave. or Audobon Ave.
Audubon Ave.	St. Nicholas Ave., Southbound Amsterdam Ave, or the Washington Bridge
Amsterdam Ave. (headed Westbound)	Audubon Ave.

Eastbound 181st Street between Broadway and Wadsworth Ave:

- Only buses, trucks, and emergency vehicles may travel eastbound on this block
- If you are approaching 181st St from Broadway, you cannot continue eastbound

Legend

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