

W 37th St, 9th Ave and 10th Ave Pedestrian Safety Improvements



Background

- Community requests from Community Board 4 and Hudson Yards/Hell's Kitchen Alliance BID to make W 37 St more pedestrian-friendly
- BID presented proposal to Community Board 4
- BID will maintain and beautify new pedestrian spaces
- W 37th St between 9th Av and 10th Av is a VZ Priority Area
- Roadway resurfacing scheduled for October 2017

Location

- Jacob K. Javits Convention Center, Hudson Yards Park, and Highline Entrance located within the project area
- Parking for Theater District entertainment and dining
- Located between Port Authority Bus Terminal and Penn Station
- Close proximity to Lincoln Tunnel entrances and exits



Before Conditions: W 37th St

Improvements

- Install 5 painted spaces, including 1 street seat
- Signal Reconfiguration
- Install midblock enhanced crossing with asphalt ramps
- Install wide parking lanes

Benefits

- Reduces speeding / calms traffic
- Simpler, safer turns
- Safer, shorter pedestrian crossings

