

Tropical Avenue Speed Humps

Project Timeline

Winter/Spring 2020 – Design

Summer 2020 – Construction

Project Funding

Design – In-house

Construction - \$55,000

Funding Source

Design – Operating

Construction – Traffic Calming

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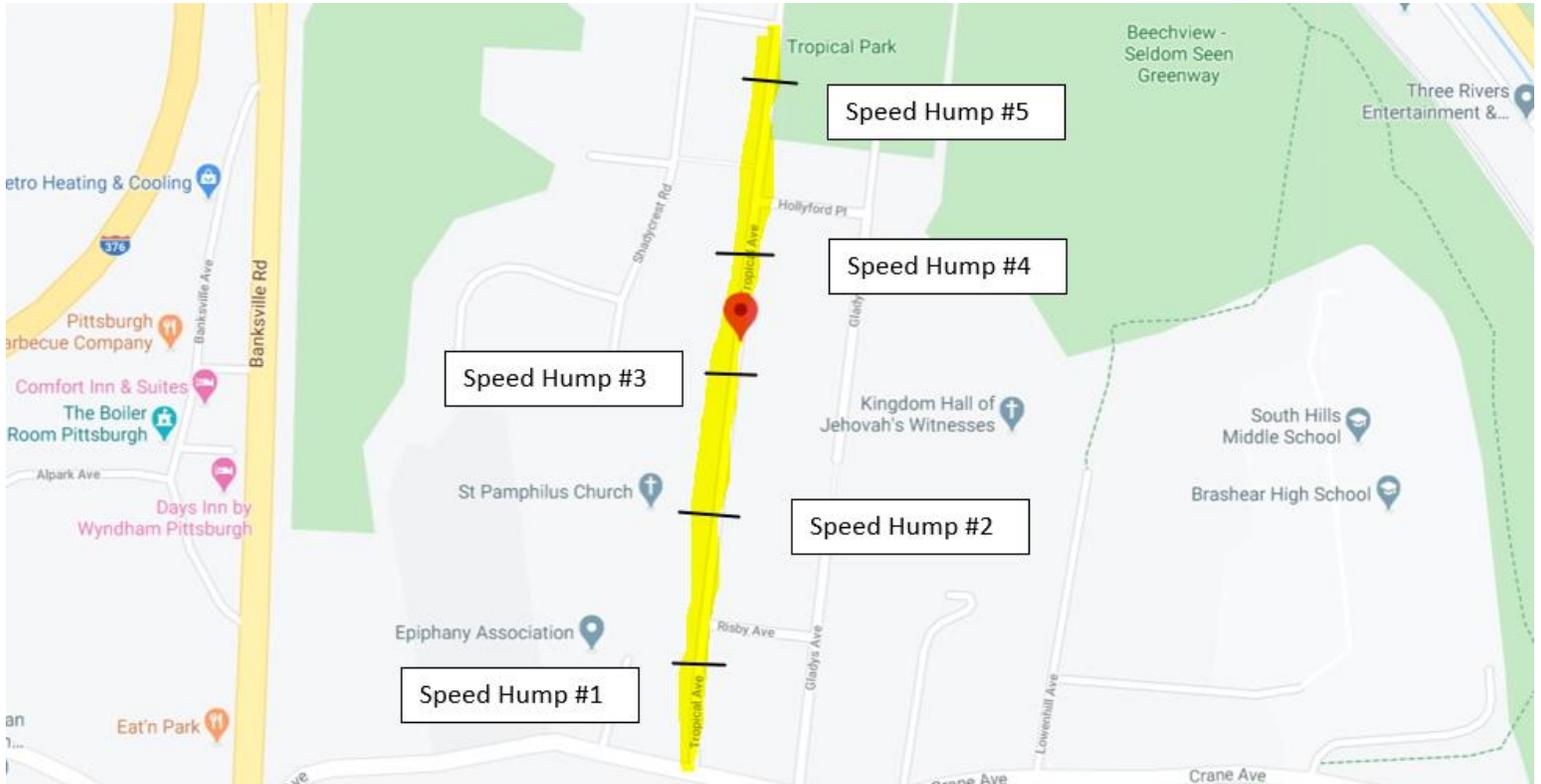
Tropical Avenue at Tropical Park

Beechview, District 4 – Tropical Avenue is a two-way street that serves as a minor collector street for residents in the Beechview neighborhoods in District 4 to access US19 (Banksville Rd) and SR 51 (Saw Mill Run Boulevard). Tropical Avenue is owned by the City of Pittsburgh and the posted speed limit is 25 mph.

Traffic data was collected from February 5-13, 2020. The Average Daily Traffic was found to be 1,446 vehicles per day. The 85th percentile Speed was found to be 32 mph, with 72% of motorists traveling over the posted speed of 25 mph. Both the ADT and 85th percentile speed meet the City of Pittsburgh DOMI requirements for Traffic Calming measures.

The city is proposing to install five (5) 20 feet wide speed humps on Tropical Avenue between Crane Avenue and Shadycrest Drive, along with speed hump signs and speed table pavement markings.

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Tropical Avenue - Project Layout



Speed Hump on Beechwood Boulevard