CIVIL AND ENVIROMENTLAL ENGINEERING

CEE1 South Central Avenue Project

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Project Vision

GOALS

Create a case study by exploring a suitable and feasible alternative to the current conduit system that allows for creativity and flexibility in design that improves the original design's cost, scheduling, and social impacts

OBJECTIVES

- Reduce construction time to be less than the original 4year construction duration to limit disruptions to the local community.
- Reduce costs to be less than the original 4.5-milliondollar cost of the current conduit system.

Original Project Problem

- Long Pedestrian Detours.
- Duration of the project.
- · Lack of Updates.
- Worker Safety Concerns.
- Unorganized Utility Occupancy.

Project Approach

- Survey Project Stakeholders.
- Explore Construction Methods & Design Requirements.
- Draft Alternative Design.
- Determine Economics of Alternative Design.
- Develop Construction Schedule.
- Conclude Major Findings Between Both Designs.

Agree Natural The project was relevant to your job, business, or day to day life 16% 30%

18%

20%

72%

65%

11%

6%

11%

Duration of the project was

acceptable

There were regular updates on

construction progress

You prefer townhall meetings to get

updates on the project's progress

You prefer the entire street closed for

a shorter duration

Disagree

54%

70%

74%

17%

35%



Cost Results

Major Findings

The alternative design adds value by:

- Reducing Construction Costs by 38%.
- Reducing Construction Time by 30%
- Increasing Worker Safety.
- Decreasing Inconveniences to Stakeholders.
- Extending The System Lifespan.

The research highlights the value of constructing new conduit systems instead of rehabbing existing ones around Baltimore City

