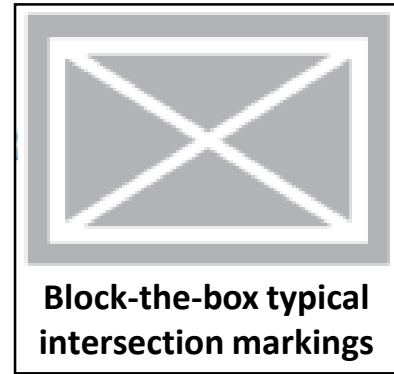


# INITIATIVES TO REDUCE CONGESTION

**Clear Intersections:** Expanding Block-the-Box enforcement to reduce gridlock

*Locations: 50 key intersections citywide*

- DOT will install updated block-the-box markings and signage to increase driver awareness
- NYPD will hire additional officers to increase enforcement at these locations to keep traffic moving
- Implementation will focus on major routes leading to river crossings, highway on-ramps, and commercial centers
- DOT will install signs only at locations with priority intersection safety markings



**Clear Curbs:** Piloting curbside access restrictions to reduce travel lane blockages

*Pilot Locations:*

*Midtown (MN), Flatbush Ave (BK), Roosevelt Ave (QN)*

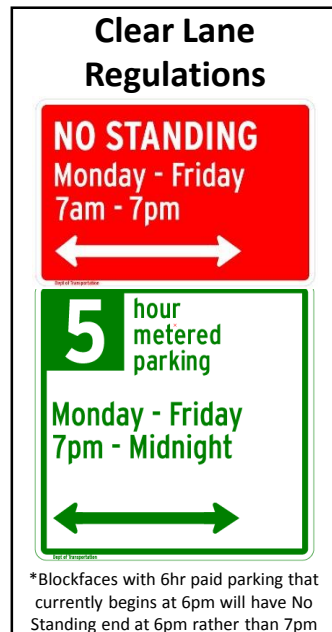
- DOT will restrict curbside parking and loading on both sides of the street during weekday peak hours (7-10AM and 4-7PM)
- Regulations will allow expeditious pick-up and drop-off of passengers and deliveries to off-street loading docks
- NYPD will assign additional staff to enforce curb regulations at the pilot locations
- DOT will monitor operations during pilot and reassess in 2018



**Clear Lanes:** Keeping traffic moving in Manhattan's CBD

*Locations: 11 key crosstown streets in Midtown*

- DOT will streamline curbside regulations on one side of the street to create a continuous curbside moving lane during weekday peak hours (7AM – 7PM)
- Regulations will permit deliveries on the opposite curb and DOT will investigate new loading zones
- NYPD will hire additional officers to focus on moving and parking violations, double parking, and off-route trucks
- DOT will expand off-hour delivery program to assist businesses that opt to shift deliveries to less busy times
- DOT has restored turns along Clear Lane corridors where turns had previously been restricted (complete)
- DOT will install turn lanes on cross streets where turns have been restored
- DOT will study restored turn intersections for signal timing changes



\*Blockfaces with 6hr paid parking that currently begins at 6pm will have No Standing end at 6pm rather than 7pm



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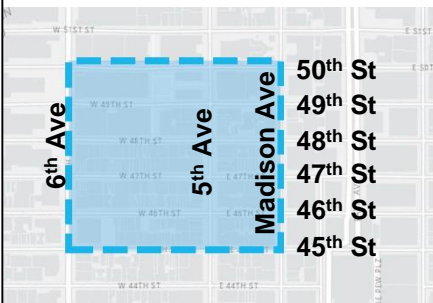
## Timeline:

*Initiative will begin on Monday, April 2, 2018 (Six Month Pilot)*

## Locations:

### Clear Curbs

#### Midtown, Manhattan



#### Flatbush Ave, Brooklyn



#### Roosevelt Ave, Queens



### Clear Lanes

