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FORT WORTH MODIFIED CENTRAL CITY PROJECT



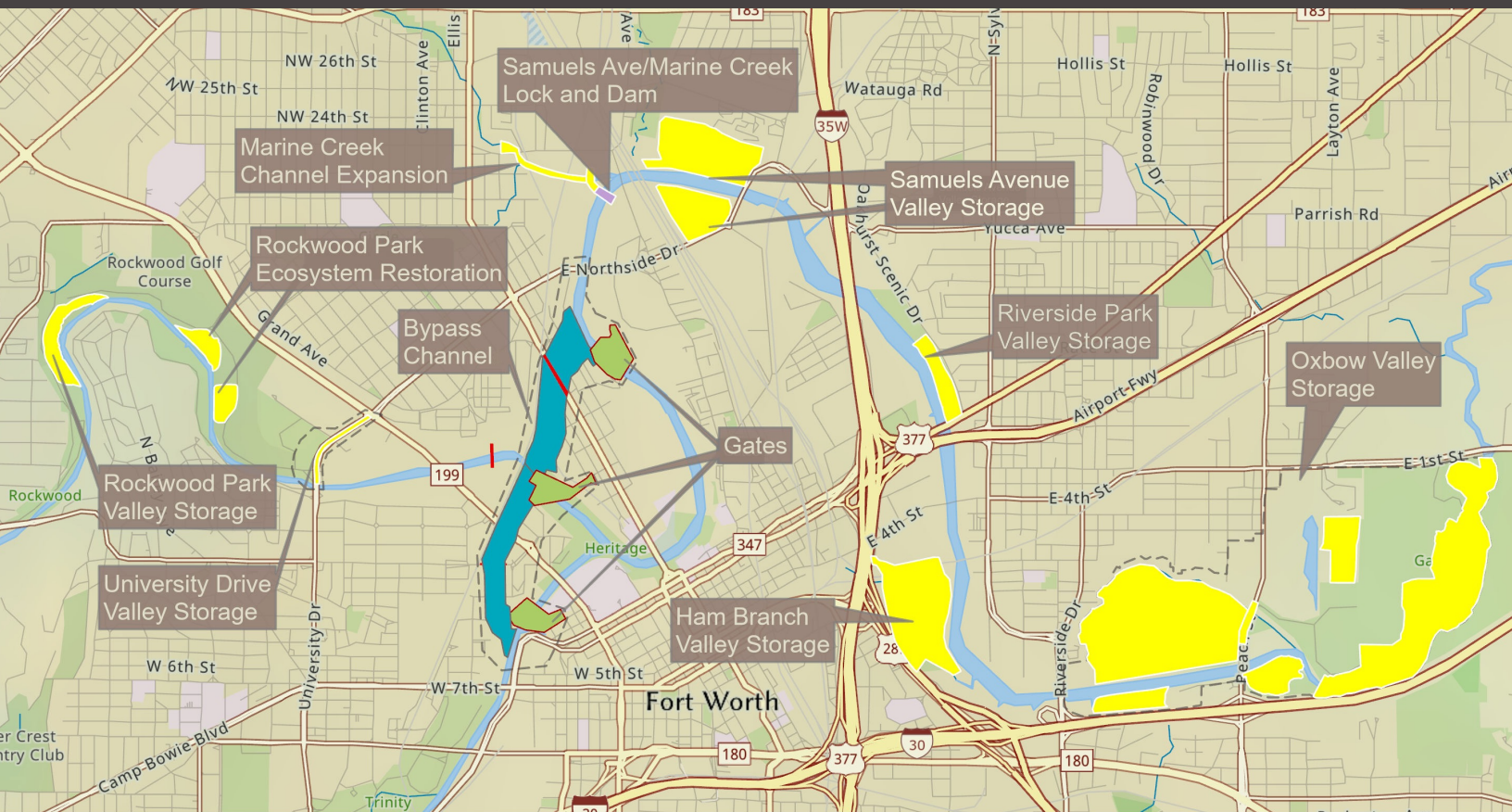
What Is the Fort Worth Modified Central City Project?

The Fort Worth Modified Central City (FWCC) Project is a vital initiative to manage flood risk to protect thousands of homes, businesses and over 1 million people in the 11th largest city in the country. The Project is led by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) in partnership with the Tarrant Regional Water District (TRWD) and the City of Fort Worth. The Project will work to improve key infrastructure and involves rerouting a section of the Trinity River and modifying Gateway Park to better manage future flood events.

Why Is the Project Needed?

Fort Worth is one of the country's fastest growing cities. Increased development results in higher flood levels during major storms and elevated risk to residents, homes and businesses. Fort Worth's population has nearly tripled from 350,000 people to more than 1 million since the 1960s, when USACE built the existing levee system for flood risk mitigation. While the existing levee system provides significant flood risk management, studies over the past 60 years have shown additional measures are necessary to maintain and expand the robust system.

FORT WORTH MODIFIED CENTRAL CITY PROJECT MAP



How Will the Project Protect Fort Worth?

The FWCC Project has multiple components that will address flood risks.

- **Regulating river flow:** The project's flood mitigation structures such as the Samuels Ave. Dam, isolation gates, and pump station, will regulate river flow in the bypass channel and interior areas to mitigate flood risk.
- **Rerouting a section of the Trinity River:** A 1.5-mile bypass channel has been designed to allow for more efficient water flow from the West and Clear Forks of the Trinity River.
- **Creating flood water storage sites:** Flood water storage areas will collect water and mitigate downstream flooding.

PROJECT TIMELINE

Design



Design for all project features is completed or currently underway

Construction



North Bypass Channel construction anticipated to begin in 2026 with remaining project features contingent on the pace of federal funding

CONTACT INFORMATION

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