

# Newkirk Ave, Rugby Rd to E 18<sup>th</sup> St

## Pedestrian Access Improvements



### Background

- Newkirk Ave repaved in July 2016
- Community requests for additional crossings along Newkirk Ave
- Newkirk Ave between Rugby Rd and E 18<sup>th</sup> St is in a Vision Zero Priority Area with one pedestrian KSI (2010-2014)

### Location

- Residential area with some retail
- B/Q Subway stop at Newkirk Ave and Newkirk Plaza
- Post Office and C-Town grocery store on Newkirk Ave between Marlborough Rd and E 16<sup>th</sup> St
- Long distances between crossings: 800' between stop controlled crossings at Rugby Rd and E 17<sup>th</sup> St



Before: Newkirk Ave at E16th St



### Improvements

- Install enhanced crossings on Newkirk Ave at Marlborough Rd, E 16<sup>th</sup> St and E 18<sup>th</sup> St with 20 ft. daylighting on the approaches
- Install new ADA compliant pedestrian ramps at the enhanced crossings, and upgrade pedestrian ramps along the corridor to ADA standards
- Mark parking lane stripes on Newkirk Ave
- Upgrade all project area crosswalks to high-visibility

### Benefits

- Delineates pedestrian paths and improves visibility of pedestrian to approaching vehicles
- Improves accessibility and expands the pedestrian network