

#### Neighborhood Association Irondequoit, NY

### Neighborhood Enhancement Project

**Application by** 

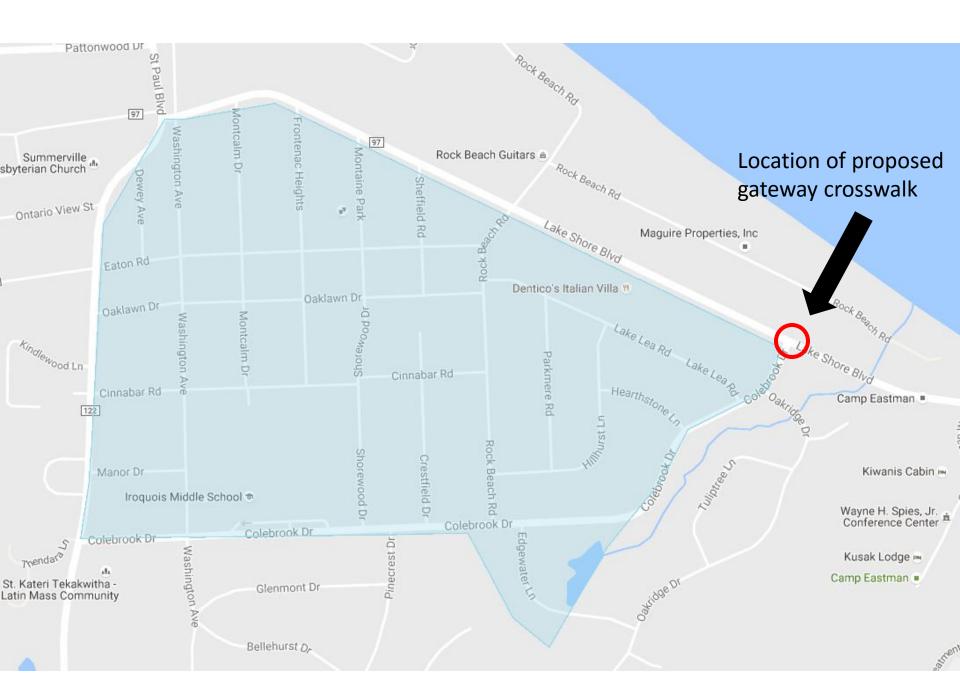
Lakeside Neighborhood Association

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## **Project Description**

- The residents of the Lakeside neighborhood are bounded on two sides by two busy roads. We would like to welcome the flow of traffic to the neighborhood with a sign. We would like this sign to also serve as a pedestrian cross walk. As the Lakeside neighborhood, residents wish to have a safer opportunity to cross Lakeshore and access Lake Ontario.
- Therefore the proposal is a crosswalk across Lakeshore Blvd, located at Colebrook, the eastern boundary of the neighborhood. There currently are crosswalks at the western boundary, but at Colebrook, cars come through fast. A painted pedestrian crosswalk, with signs, and preferably a flashing light is something all residents felt would preserve the appeal of the neighborhood. Additionally, to promote the Lakeside Neighborhood, a sign should also be placed with the crosswalk welcoming traffic to the Lakeside neighborhood.





# Why is this project important for your neighborhood?

- Access to our neighborhood's best resource -Lake Ontario and trails.
- Safety for bikers and pedestrians, as well as getting the Lakeside neighborhood name seen by the traffic down Lakeshore Blvd.



### 2015 Comprehensive Plan Strategies met by project

- Improve the community's gateways so they are attractive and present visitors and residents with a favorable image of the Town.
- Increase residents' and property owners' interest and involvement in their neighborhoods.
- Provide greater opportunities for alternative modes of transportation, including walking, biking, and public transit.
- Enhance and expand recreation, parks and trails.



### Costs

- \$3000 total
  - \$1000 plus labor for two signs on either side of the street
  - \$2000 for the painted crosswalk
- If our project is not awarded, we would like to be able to call upon \$500 to support ongoing literature drops/mailings and temporary neighborhood signage to inform our neighbors of upcoming association meetings. We feel that we need to continue these tactics to grow the base of our association.



