

# An Introduction to Civic Crowdfunding with ioby





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- Crowdfunding Overview
- About ioby
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# What is Crowdfunding?

- Lots of small donations
- Single Project
- Online



## Federico Garcia Lorca "Sleepless City" Mural Project

We are celebrating the neighborhood's multiculturalism by depicting Federico Garcia Lorca's "Sleepless City" poem in a 4-part mural series.

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TOTAL FUNDING NEEDED: \$1,861

**OVERVIEW** 

BUDGET

UPDATES

DONORS

NEARBY PROJECTS

project leader

Klwelbanks

location

Knickerbocker Ave and Himrod St Brooklyn (Bushwick)

latest update 📉

No updates yet.

\$2,290

funded!

This project has been fully funded and is no longer collecting donations.

#### the project

As part of a street beautification project by Artmakers, Inc. and under the direction of NY Artist Camille Perrottet, we are celebrating Bushwick's unique multicultural character by showcasing Federico Garcia Lorca's poem "Sleepless City". Established in 1984, Artmakers, Inc. collaborates with community organizations to create high quality public art relevant to lives and concerns of neighborhood residents.

#### about the project leader

As part of a street beautification project, we are a group of artists creating a 4-part mural series in Buchwick Soo full profile "

# ioby



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## **SHORT TERM**

Deliver resources directly to the grassroots for immediate results

## **LONG TERM**

Build fundraising capacity, connect neighbors, support long-term change



"It was the fundraising campaign that began the community engagement."

-Georgia Southworth
Jackson Heights Green Alliance
Queens, New York



# ioby Projects Are:

resident led
resident designed
resident funded
resident implemented







# ioby Eligibility

- 1. Not-for-profit
- 2. Helps make your community stronger, safer, healthier, more sustainable, or more awesome
- 3. Specific

# When you crowdfund with ioby, you can:

- a) Fundraise without losing a big cut in platform fees
- b) Receive 1-on-1 customized support and advice throughout your campaign
- c) Create suggested donation levels instead of offering cash-value incentives
- d) Seek new donors and new volunteers at the same time
- e) Always keep what you raise with our flexible finish policy
- f) Access all your donor contact info



# Fiscal Sponsorship

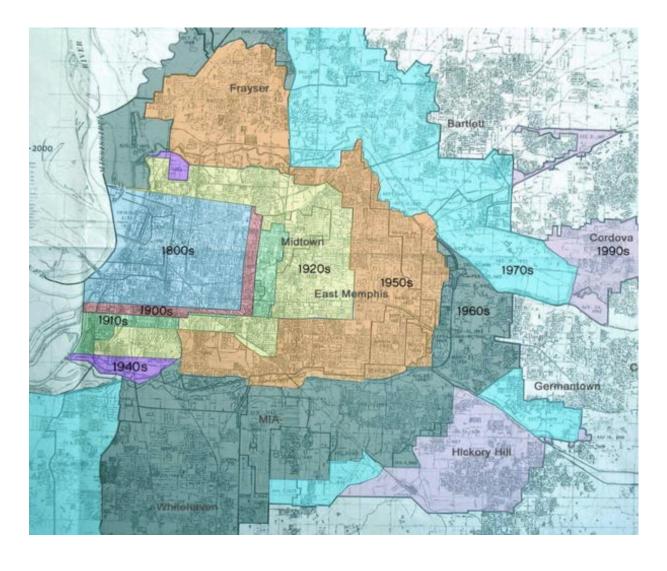
Not a nonprofit?
No worries!



# Case Study The Hampline

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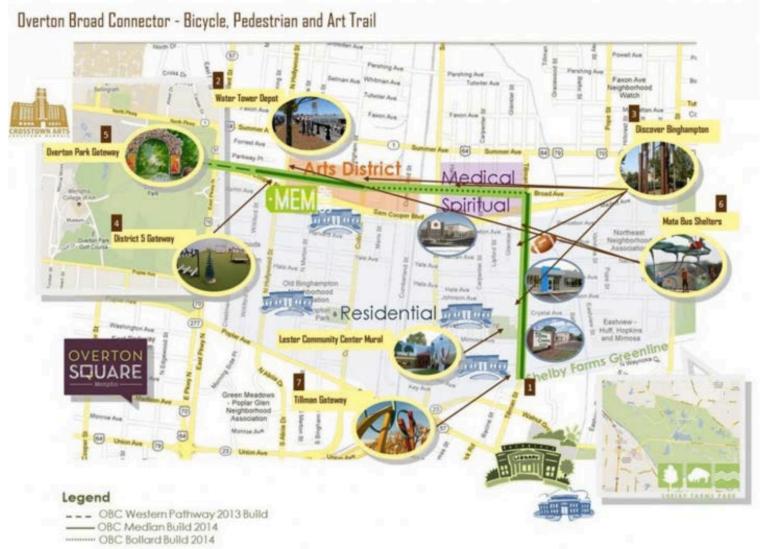








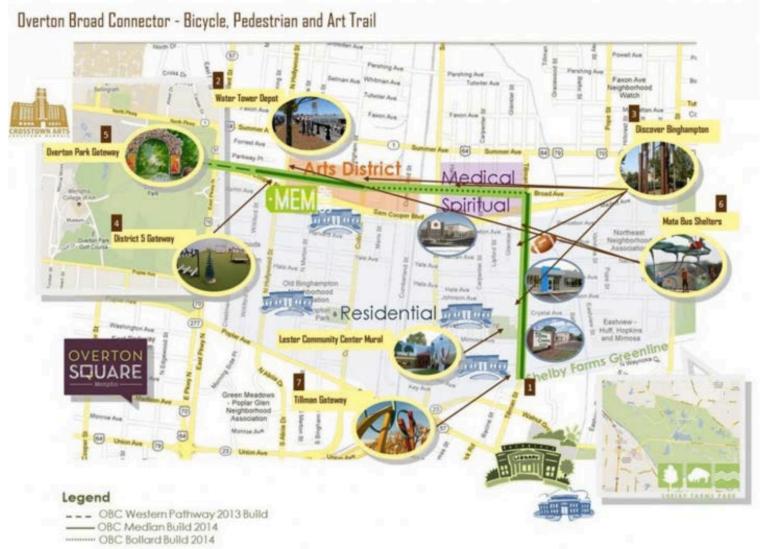




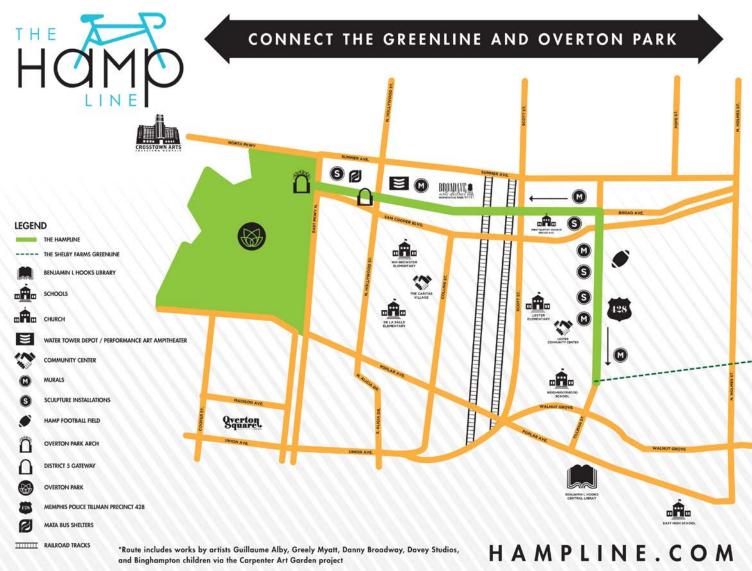




















#### The Hampline

Go Hampline! We reached our goal but every dollar more still goes directly to The Hampline. We're grateful for you to keep giving!

SHARE THIS PROJECT



This project was sponsored in part by the people of Memphis

**NEARBY PROJECTS** 



**BUDGET UPDATES DONORS** 

**TOTAL FUNDING NEEDED: \$68,643** 



STILL NEEDED

#### YOU MADE IT HAPPEN

Help us exceed our goal!



project leader overtonbroad

location 175 Tillman (Binghampton)

latest update 5 Thank you to our donors!

the project

Help us exceed our goal by \$3500 and bring this to The Hampline!



### funded!

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#### about the project leader

Livable Memphis, Broad Avenue Arts District & Binghampton Development Corp. See full profile »

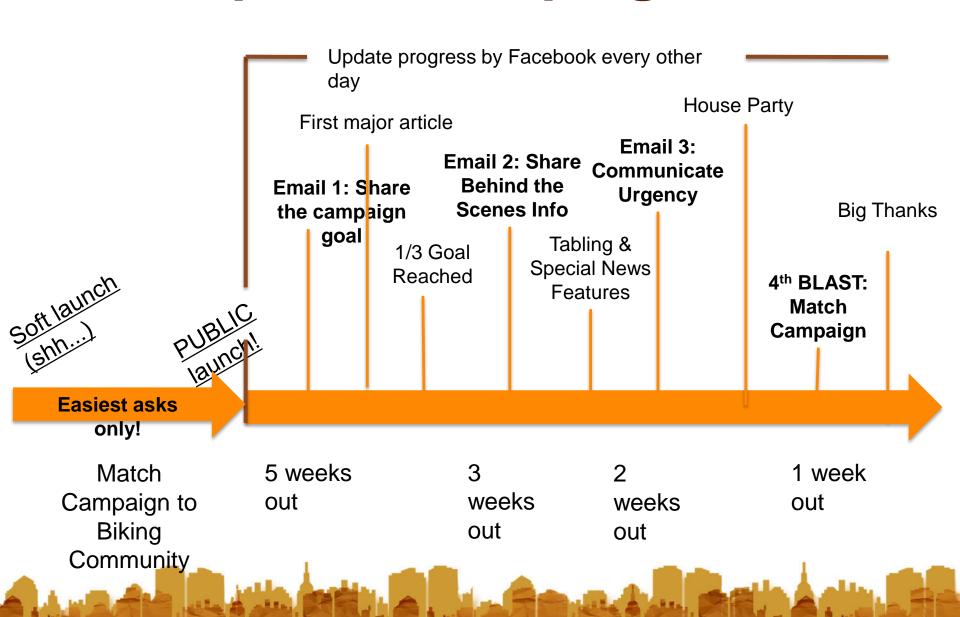
#### where it's at







# "Hampline" Campaign Plan





# Hampline

## The Hampline: Memphis's protected bike land to crowd-source last \$75,000 By Thomas Bailey Jr.

Posted October 14, 2013 at 3 a.m.















Illustration depicts how the Hampline — named for the Binghamton neighborhood it crosses — might loo Broad Avenue. The two-way track will be protected from traffic as it connects the Shelby Farms Greenline Overton Park.

#### Hampline faces deadline for crowd-source donors

BY: Thomas Bailey Jr. POSTED: 2:10 PM, Nov 20, 2013 UPDATED: 2:21 PM, Nov 20, 2013 TAG: metered | business news



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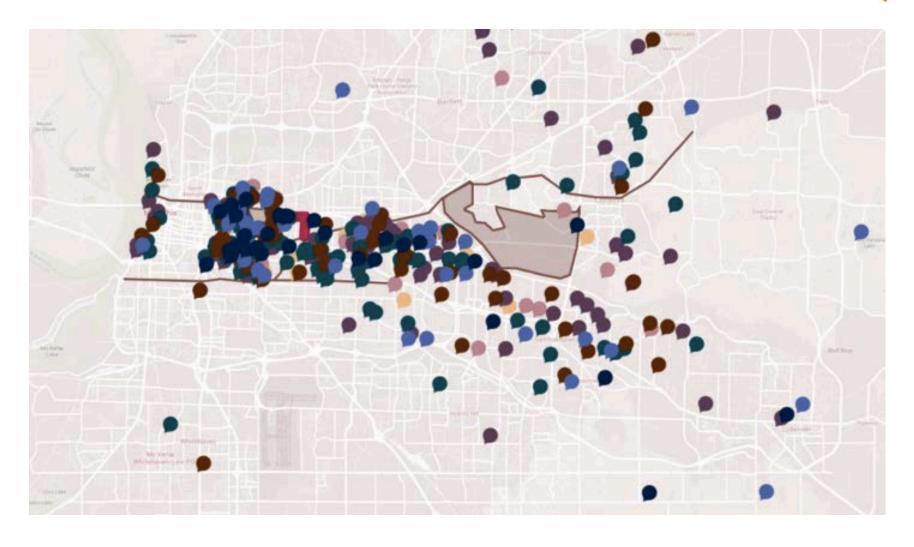
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Next week is a deadline for the goal to raise \$75,000 through crowd-sourcing for the cutting-edge Hampline bike/pedestrian path.

As of midday Wednesday, \$59,694 had been raised at ioby.org/project/hampline via the nonprofit IOBY (In Our Back Yard).













# Project Examples

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## Cooper/Higbee Underpass Mural

Along with Memphis College of Art artists, volunteer community members will paint a colorful mural on both walls of the underpass on Cooper Street at Peabody Park.











TOTAL FUNDING NEEDED: \$1.655

**OVERVIEW** 

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NEARBY PROJECTS

project leader

betsyrobinson

location

South Cooper Street and Higbee (Midtown, Idlewild Historic District)

latest update 📉

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\$1,655

funded!

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the project

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the steps

volunteers needed!

This project's leader is looking for volunteers to help out:

Inquire About Volunteering >

By June 1: Pressure washing and clean up.



## Station Hope 2015

A block-party with a purpose, an arts event for the people, a celebration of hope.

SHARE THIS PROJECT O G f

TOTAL FUNDING NEEDED: \$3,951









BUDGET

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project leader

Raymond Bobgan

location

2600 Church Street (Hingetown in Ohio City)

latest update 🔊

Big thanks from Councilman Cimperman!

NEARBY PROJECTS

\$3,951

RAISED SO FAR

STILL NEEDED

funded!

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the project



#### about the project leader

Cleveland Public Theatre's mission is to raise consciousness and nurture compassion through groundbreaking performances and life-changing educational programs. See full profile »



## Fix this Public Space! 4th Ave/9th St Transit Hub

"Pop-up" Civic Design: How paper, props, imagination, and YOU can fix Brooklyn's ugliest subway station at 4th Ave/9th St hub -- Think light, color, storefronts, art, amenities, street theater, fun!

SHARE THIS PROJECT D G f +

TOTAL FUNDING NEEDED: \$2,937







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project leader

GraceRFreedman

location

4th Avenue and 9th Street Brooklyn (Park Slope/Gowanus)

latest update 📉

Progress Updates!

\$3,226

RAISED SO FAR

STILL NEEDED

funded!

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#### the project

We will host a "pop-up" event to reignite neighborhood imagination about rider amenities and streetlevel improvements at the 4th Ave/9th St Station transit hub. In a one-day action in November, we'll set up a fantasy shadow station, using props - temporary lighting, wayfinding signage, discussion boards, hig visuals, and pretend "street furniture" - to play with and capture improvement ideas

about the project leader

Forth on Fourth Ave (FOFA), committee of Park





### **Bus Stop Love**

Our goal is to fund and build a bus shelter that embraces the musical and peforming arts legacy in the Soulsville neighborhood.

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TOTAL FUNDING NEEDED: \$8.155







**OVERVIEW** 

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project leader

leni@communityl...

location

College and McLemore (Soulsville, USA)

latest update 📉

It's time for a Soulsville Bus Stop Shelter Update!

NEARBY PROJECTS

\$8,155

funded!

This project has been fully funded and is no longer collecting donations.

the project

At the busy intersection of McLemore and College Street, community members gather in harsh climates to wait for the bus without a place to sit and without protection from the extreme weather 

about the project leader

Leni Stoeva is a Creative Placemaker for Soulsville.





## Trick Out My Trip!

With funding support from Transit Center, ioby was able to support a match opportunity for these awesome projects get the funding and resources they need to improve the commuting experience, like Walk This Way, LA and Play Denver.

You can now read the final Trick Out My Trip report!

### **TransitCenter**



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#### Walk This Way, LA

A signage system for walkers that will give travel times to local landmarks, show the distance between neighborhoods, and change the perception that Los Angeles is impossible to navigate on foot.



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#### TimelyTrip

Step Up Your Bus Stop! Help us upgrade your bus stop with a timetable and access to real-time arrivals!





#### Make It Mar Vista

Make It Mar Vista is a one-day festival, taking place Saturday, November 28, 2015. It will be a day of true community engagement along our Great Street of Venice Boulevard.

SHARE THIS PROJECT 🦻 G f 🕂







#### This project was sponsored in part by LA Great Streets

See other LA Great Streets projects here!

**OVERVIEW** 

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project leader

MarVistaBiz

location

Venice Blvd between Inglewood and Beethoven (Mar Vista)

latest update 📉

Thank to you all our Contributors so far!

PROJECT DEADLINE: August 21, 2015

TOTAL FUNDING NEEDED: \$10,237

\$10,909 RAISED SO FAR

STILL NEEDED











funded!

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#### the project

Mar Vista Chamber's Make It Mar Vista: Small Business Saturday Event is taking place Saturday, November 28, 2015. We envision inviting people from our community and beyond to interact with local businesses, local artists and each other for a day of true community engagement along our Great



### **Street Beats Fundraising Campaign**

Engage local community members in the process of developing context-sensitive street solutions; host a vibrant event and educate community members around traffic calming and complete streets safety.

SHARE THIS PROJECT O G f





Your donation will help this community transform its LA Great Street into a more vibrant public space! Your donation will also have twice the impact. Every dollar that you donate to this project will be matched by the City of Los Angeles, up to \$10,000.

See other LA Great Streets projects here!

OVERVIEW

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PROJECT DEADLINE:

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location

project leader

Crenshaw Blvd / W Florence Ave

latest update 📉

No updates yet.

August 21, 2015

TOTAL FUNDING NEEDED: \$10,000

\$10,536 RAISED SO FAR

STILL NEEDED











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#### the project

Street Beats is a project of Community Health Councils, Trust South LA, Ride On! Bike Co-Op, and Studio MMD to bring a showcase of music and community to the Hvde Park neighborhood of South Los



# **Great Streets Challenge Grant**

Mayor Eric Garcetti launched the Great Streets Initiative in October 2013 to help re-imagine neighborhood centers, one main street at a time. Our streets are the backbone of our neighborhoods – the places where we live, work, learn, and recreate on a daily basis. All of our great neighborhoods deserve Great Streets that are livable, accessible and engaging public spaces for the people who live and work around them. With this Community Challenge Grant, the Great Streets Initiative will partner with the community to showcase these Great Streets and their potential to serve as vibrant public spaces. Read more at lagreatstreets.tumblr.com and https://twitter.com/LAGreatStreets. Use the hashtag #LAGreatStreets!



All donations given to a Great Streets campaign will be matched dollar-for-dollar by the Great Streets Initiative. That means your \$150 donation to any of the projects below becomes \$300, and a \$35 gift means \$70 for the project, going twice as far to make Los Angeles' public spaces more livable, accessible and engaged.



Map



### Connect the Dots | Van Nuys

Connect the Dots | Van Nuys brings neighbors together with cyclists and designers to reimagine Van Nuys Boulevard at its fullest potential, solving our city's transit, public space, and water-supply needs.

NEEDS: \$0 of 13,192



### YES (Youth Envisioned Streets) for a Healthier South LA

YES for a Healthier South LA is a youth-driven event on Central Avenue in South LA that will demonstrate how public space can be reimagined as safe, vibrant and active for all members of the community.

NEEDS: \$0 of 10,000



### Nuestra Avenida: Cesar Chavez Reimagined

A day-long activation of the entire corridor that focuses on pedestrian, cyclist, and public space enhancements.

NEEDS: \$0 of 4,279



# Shade Structure as Public Art Installation for Pedestrian Plaza

Putnam Triangle Installation will provide much-needed shade and lights for all the old and new users of the Putnam Triangle Plaza.

SHARE THIS PROJECT D G f +







### A WePlaza Campaign!

Check out all other WePlaza campaigns here.

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project leader

PrattSIDE

location

Putnam Ave 22 Brooklyn (Clinton Hill)

latest update 📉

No updates yet.

TOTAL FUNDING NEEDED: \$5,185

\$5,215

STILL NEEDED

funded!

This project has been fully funded and is no longer collecting donations.

the project

Shade Structure as Public Art Installation for Pedestrian ..



where it's at



# Third Thursdays in Bliss Plaza

Introducing arts programming to Sunnyside's Bliss Plaza - a new public space right under the elevated 7 train.

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project leader sunnysideshines

location

46th Street and Queens Boulevard Queens (Sunnyside, Queens)

latest update 🔊

Thank You!

TOTAL FUNDING NEEDED: \$2,095

\$2,099

RAISED SO FAR

STILL NEEDED

funded!

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# the project

"Third Thursdays in Bliss Plaza" is a new monthly performance series scheduled from June - October in the new public space in the heart of Sunnyside: Bliss Plaza. Located under the elevated 7 train at Queens Boulevard and 46th Street, Bliss Plaza features tables, chairs, and colorful planters. The Third

volunteers needed!



Got an idea to crowdfund?

Post a project anytime at:

ioby.org/idea

Ethany Uttech
<a href="mailto:ethany@ioby.org">ethany@ioby.org</a>
917-464-4515



# Case Study 1 Cooper Higbee Mural













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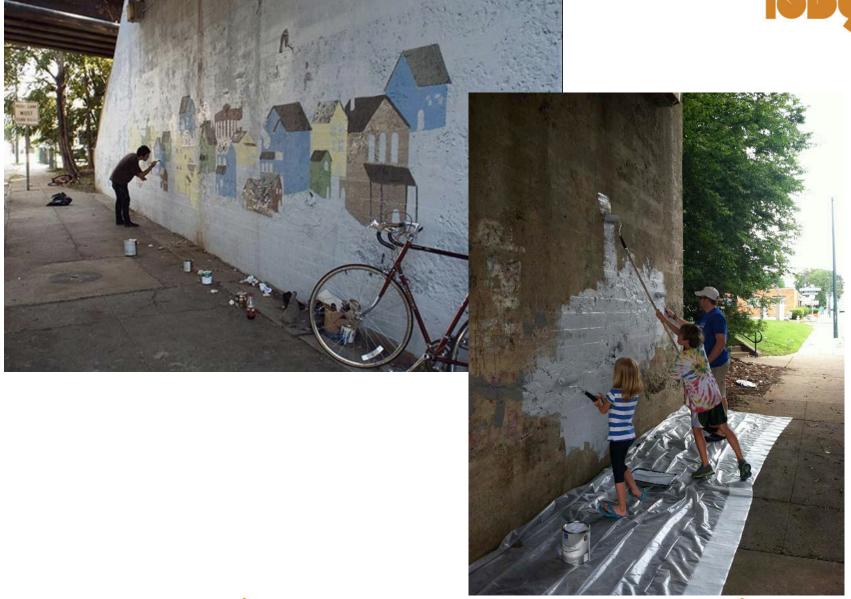
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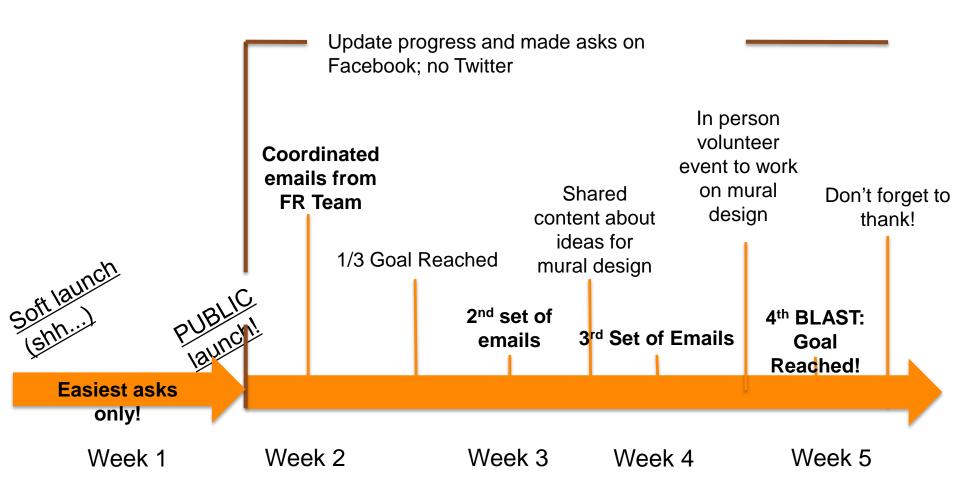








# Cooper Higbee Campaign Plan



Dear Doners and Volunteers.

