

# Pike Place Market Historical Commission Early Guidance on Protective Barrier Solutions



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Transportation

# Purpose

**Receive early guidance from  
the Pike Place Market Historical Commission  
on protective barrier solutions**

# Context

- **Access Management Pilot:** Mayor Harrell directed City departments to explore solutions to reduce unnecessary traffic at Pike Place and ensure safety and security
- **Learning from Past Events:** Apply lessons from crowd management challenges
- **Major Event Preparation:** Plan for 750,000 visitors during the World Cup



# Focus on the needs of business



# Fewer non-essential vehicles has improved delivery experience





"Test-and-Learn"

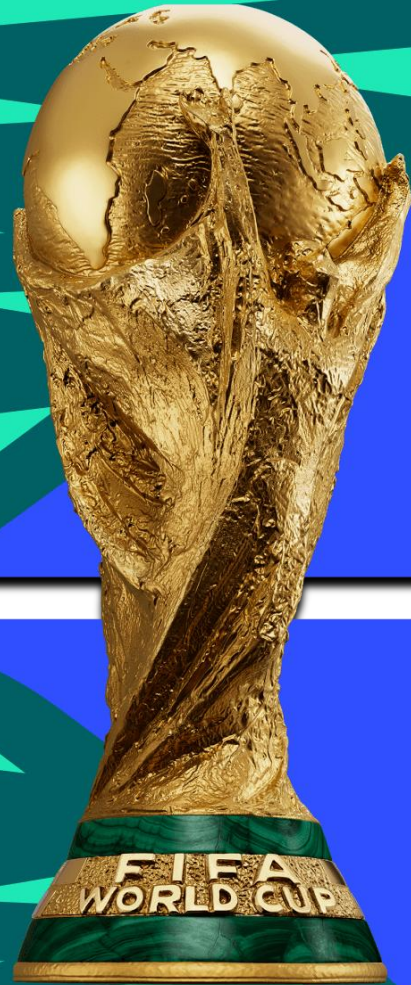
Works for business and for people<sup>5</sup>



# Let's Talk About Protective Barrier Solution

## Factors to consider

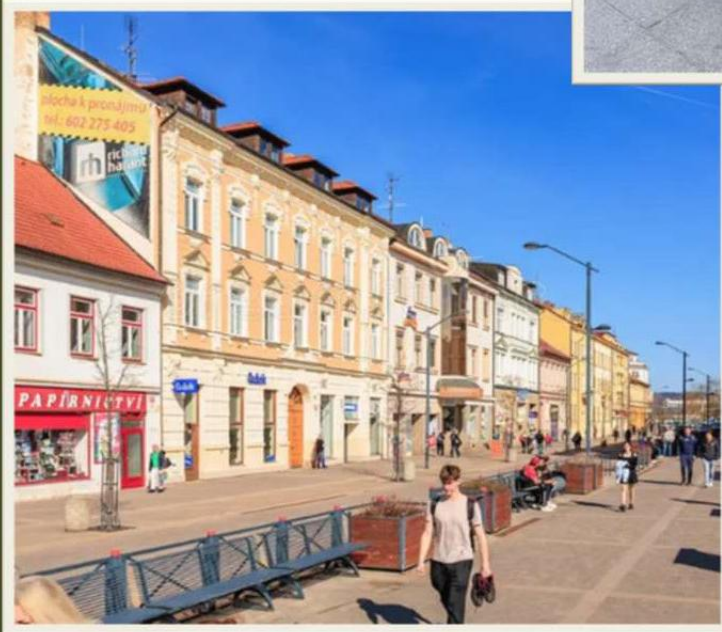
- Visual appeal
- Crash rating
- Cost
- Easy to deploy
- Moveable



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# Global Inspiration from Mixed-Use Streets



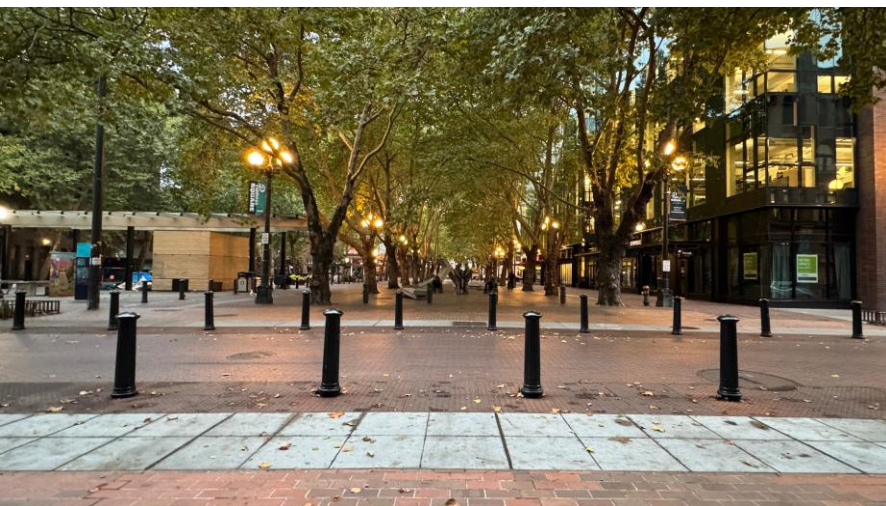


# Outside the Box Thinking





# Bollards to Barriers





# Mix of Solutions





# Discussion

- Goal remains: Support businesses and enhance safety for people/customers visiting the market
- The MHC supports a hybrid approach – Yes? No?
- The most important factor is...





# Improve the overall experience at the Market





# Questions?

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# Thank you!

