



Population: 4,990

Requesting: \$9,000,000

CITY OF CARVER

Levee

Improvements

WHY ARE WE HERE?

- Carver's levee was constructed after the 1965 flood damaged 50 historic structures downtown
- Existing levee built quickly in response with non-engineered materials or design.
- Deficiencies led to the City's removal from USACE Levee Safety Program – City to pay for levee damage
- Major flood events along the Minnesota River have increased in frequency and duration
- Our goal is for Carver's levee to become FEMA certified levee



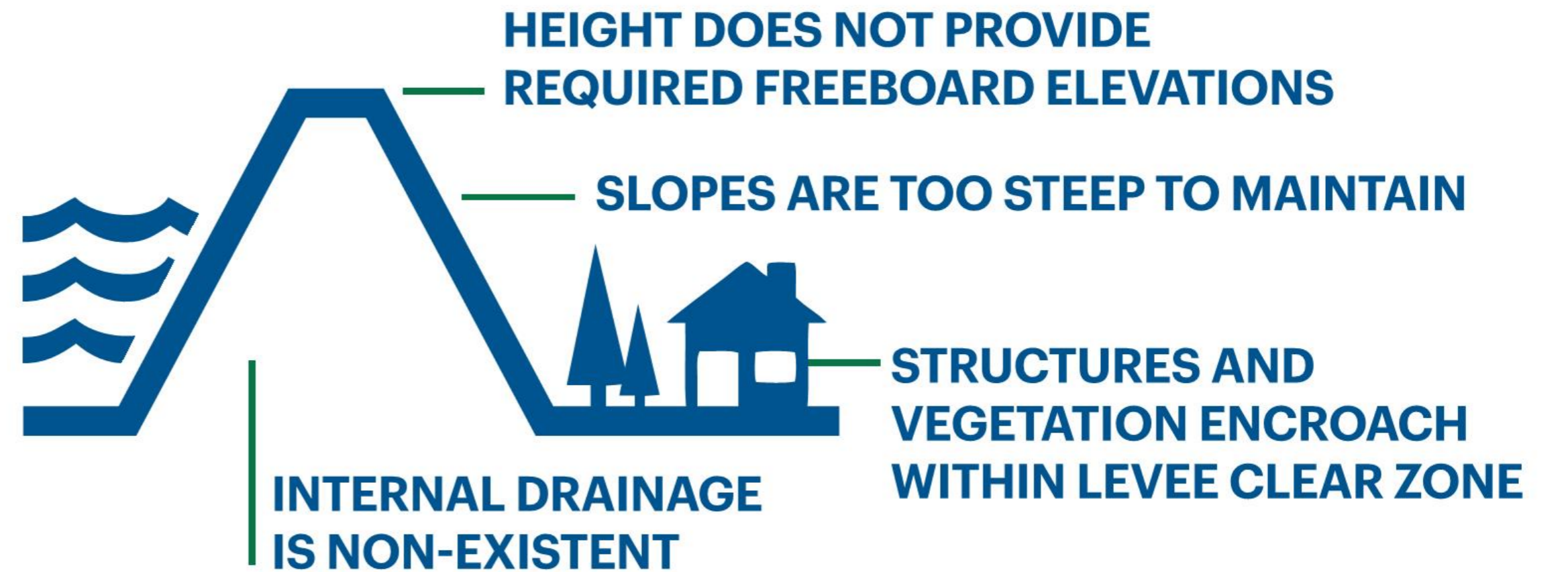
Carver is Important to Minnesota

90

Number of **historic** properties on the **National Registry of Historic Places**

Carver is so historic, it is **older than the State** itself

LEVEE ISSUES



Minnesota River Flooding

 **22**
FLOOD
EVENTS

in the last
10
YEARS

In recent years, there has been an **increase** in major flood events along the Minnesota River with **more** anticipated for the future.



Carver Is Invested In The Levee

The City of Carver has spent **\$1.2 million** on improvements to the levee including:

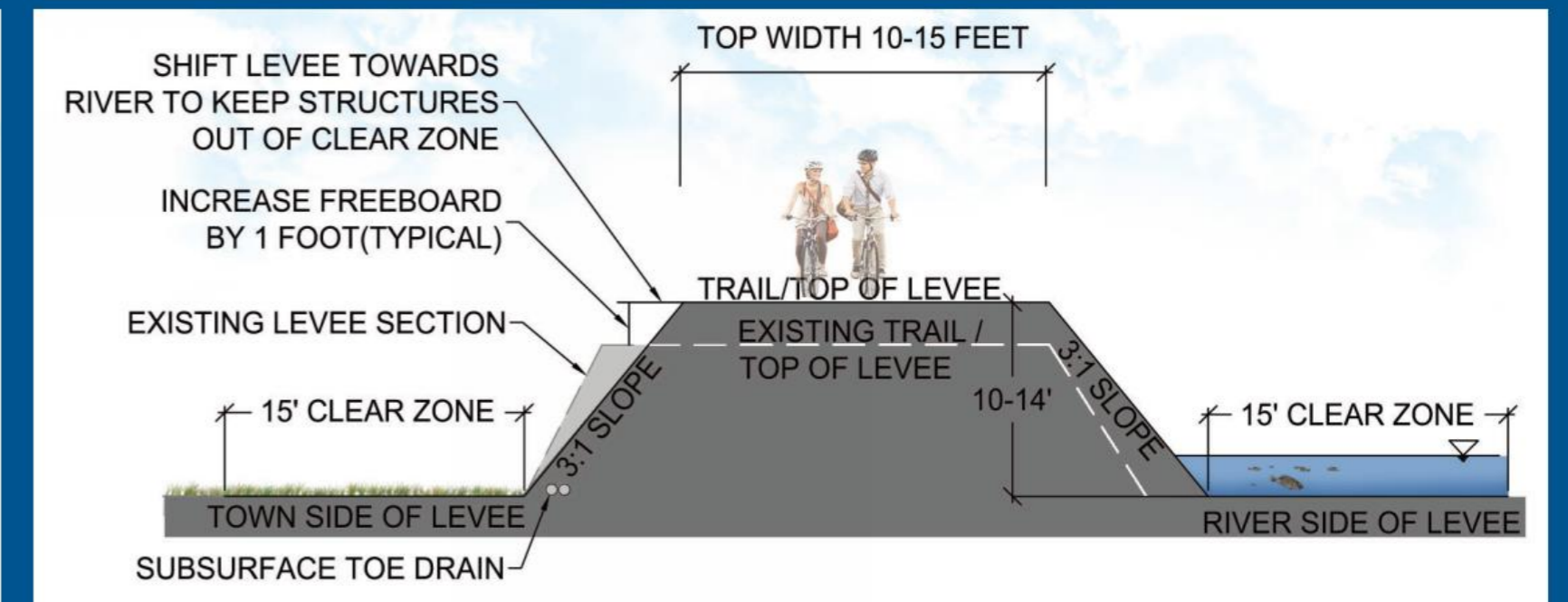
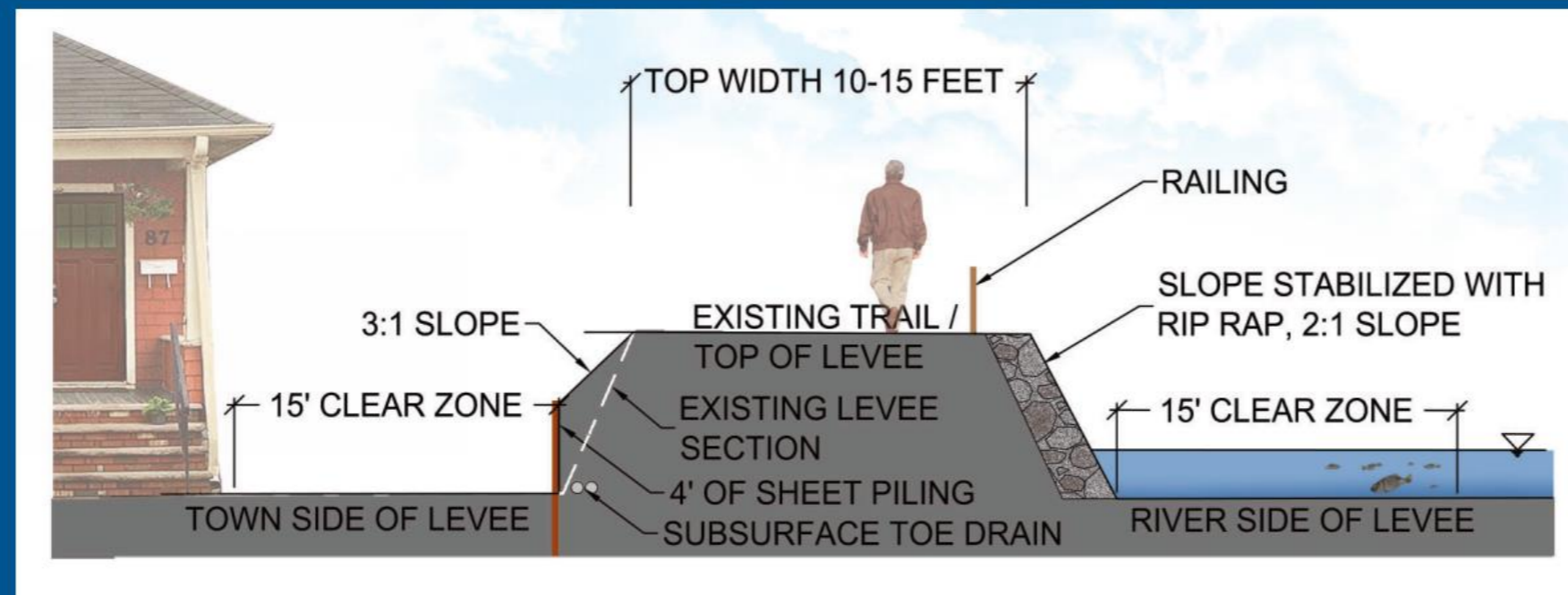
- Replacement of a stormwater lift station
- Improvements to drainage systems in Riverside Park
- Developed concept plans for levee improvements



TOTAL LOSS VALUE OF
\$14.8 MILLION

FOR PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE,
PRIVATE RESIDENCES & BUSINESSES
LOCATED IN THE FLOODPLAIN

Carver Has a Plan



Proposed Funding sources

City \$2,180,000

State \$9,000,000



TOTAL COST:

\$11,180,000



Questions?

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