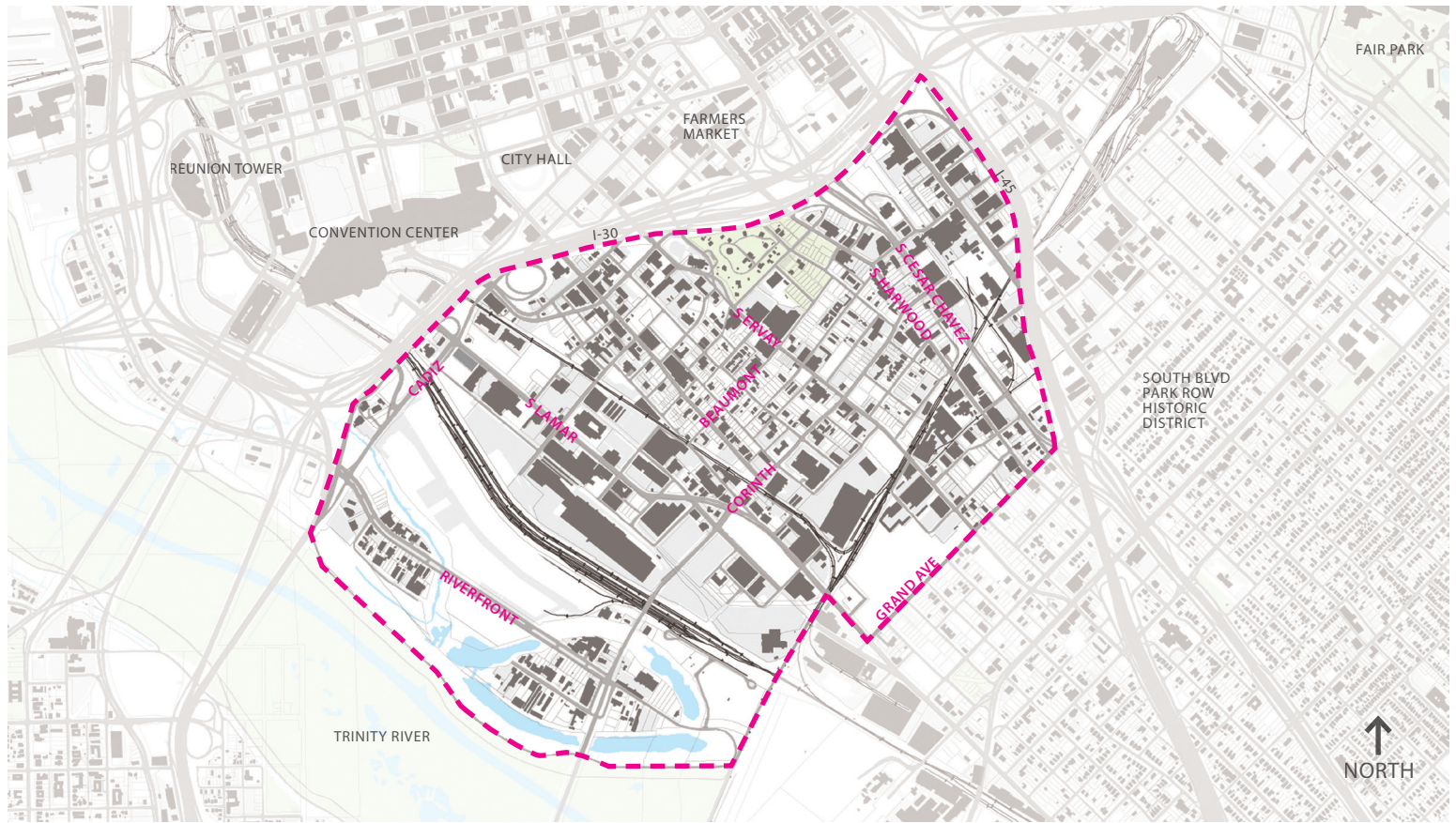


Cedars Neighborhood Heritage Survey



Project Description

Staff from the City of Dallas - Planning & Urban Design Department, Sustainable Development & Construction Department, with support from Preservation Dallas, Downtown Dallas Inc. and the Cedars Neighborhood Association will explore the Greater Cedars Neighborhood through a series of data-gathering activities. The exploration will record the condition of the Cedars existing buildings and vacant lots. The activities will help fortify a neighborhood trajectory as support of existing and future neighborhood policy impacts the neighborhood.

The results will aid in efforts to:

- document historical relevance of individual buildings both residential and commercial
- provide updated and detailed material for City of Dallas staff, as well as Downtown Dallas 360 Plan Update
- increase education and collaboration between Cedars Neighborhood, its stakeholders, the greater preservation community and the City

Project Outcomes

The efforts will help create several tangible products including:

- a comprehensive historic resource survey to be integrated with Texas Historical Commission Interactive Map
- support the documentation of structures 50 years and older
- combine historic research with survey data into an online interactive heritage map for public use
- document a comprehensive public infrastructure survey map of the neighborhood

Team Roles

Scribe - records all property specific observations on the Texas Historical Commission (THC) form within Microsoft Access

Assessor - assesses the condition of structures, building additions and accessory units, based on the definitions provided

Photographer - photographs the property based on the location shown on the block map and saves it within Microsoft Access according to its address