US-275/72nd St Interchange, Omaha

NH-275-7(194); C.N. 22469

Public Information Open House Meeting

Thursday, July 20, 2023 from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Buena Vista High School (5616 L St, Omaha, NE 68117)



Project Location

Identified as **US-275/72nd St Interchange, Omaha,** this proposed project would make improvements to the existing interchange of US Highway 275 (US-275/L Street) and 72nd Street in Omaha, located in Douglas County. Total reconstruction along US-275/L Street would be approximately 0.4 miles, beginning at approximately mile marker (MM) 185.05, just west of the ramp connections, and extend east to approximately MM 185.45, just east of the ramp connections.



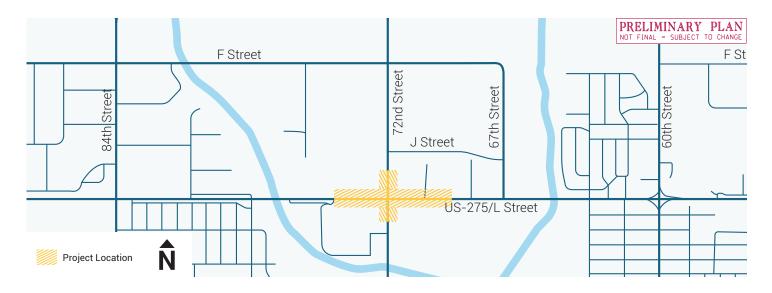
Improvements

The proposed improvements on the US-275/72nd St Interchange, Omaha project would include new pavement, raised median, driveway reconstruction, minor road reconstruction, curb and gutter, turn lane improvements, sidewalk reconstruction, and storm sewer improvements. Additional construction activities may include bridge work, utility work, ADA improvements, paving, grading, overhead lighting, as well as improvements to traffic signage, signalization, and striping.



Purpose & Need

The purpose of this project is to preserve the transportation asset, improve the safety and reliability of the transportation system, and to accommodate future traffic volumes at the US-275/L Street and 72nd Street Intersection. The need for the project is based on information from the NDOT Bridge Division based on the deteriorating condition of the existing bridge and crash rates that are higher than similar type interchanges in Omaha.









Project Impacts

The proposed project would require acquisition of additional property rights, which could include new right-of-way (ROW), control of access (CA), permanent easements (PE) and/or temporary easements (TE). Access to adjacent properties would be maintained during construction but may be limited at times due to phasing requirements.

The majority of the project would be phased and constructed under traffic with lane closures controlled with appropriate traffic control devices and practices; however, short-term, temporary closures on US-275/L Street are anticipated. A detour route would be provided.

Traffic Volumes

US-275/L Street & 72nd Street

2021	North Leg	South Leg	East Leg	West Leg
Vehicles Per Day	34,850	32,950	22,435	23,000
% Trucks	3%	3%	4%	4%

US-275/L Street & 72nd Street - At-grade (72nd Street six-lanes)

2050	North Leg	South Leg	East Leg	West Leg
Vehicles Per Day	55,150	56,700	42,250	40,400
% Trucks	5%	5%	7%	7%

Anticipated Schedule

Construction could begin as early as 2027 with completion anticipated in 2028.

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