US 195 MEADOWLANE J-TURN

Public Meeting
Mullan Rd Elementary
12/6/2023





PROJECT AREA









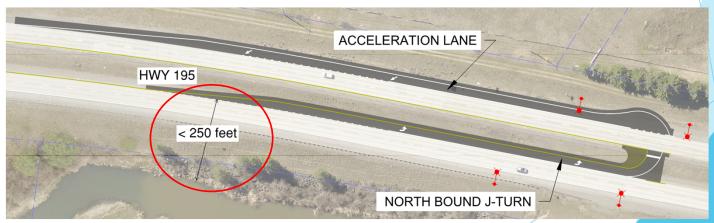






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- > To share key elements of the project as it stands today











PROJECT OBJECTIVES

- >Improve access to HWY 195
- Improve safety entering and exiting the highway







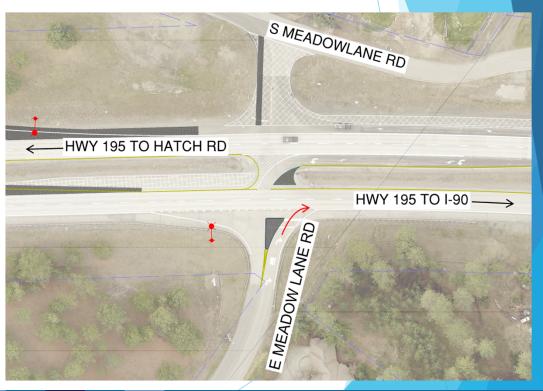






PROJECT OVERVIEW E MEADOWLANE RD

Right turn from E
 Meadowlane Rd onto
 HWY 195 toward I-90









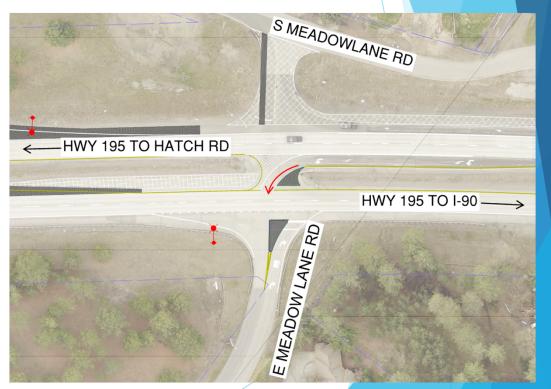






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➤ Left turn from HWY 195 onto E Meadowlane Rd







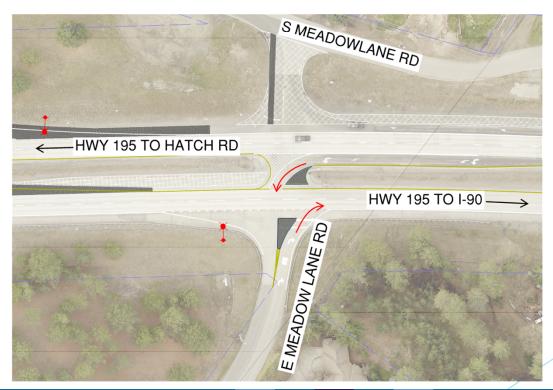








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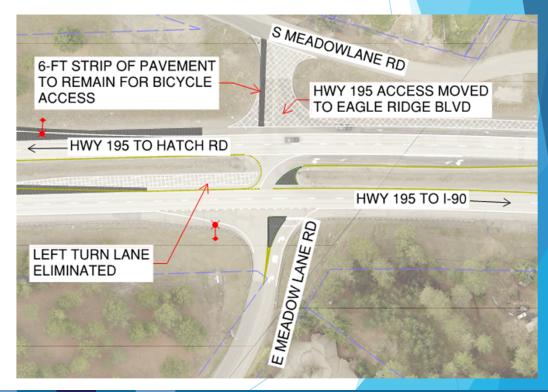






PROJECT OVERVIEW S MEADOWLANE RD

- Vehicle access to HWY 195 moves to extended W Eagle Ridge Blvd
- > 6-ft strip of pavement remains to allow bicycle access to HWY 195
- Left turn lane on NB HWY 195 eliminated







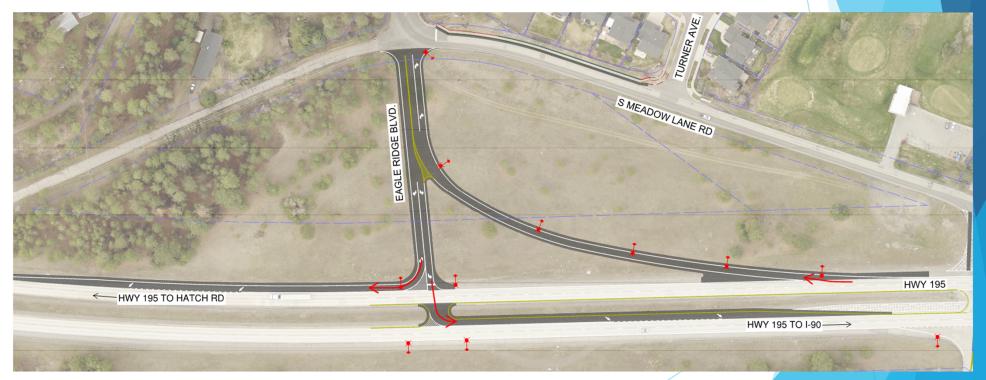








PROJECT OVERVIEW W EAGLE RIDGE BLVD









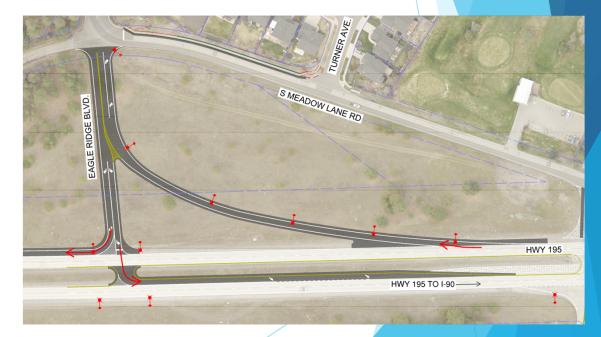






PROJECT OVERVIEW W EAGLE RIDGE BLVD

➤ Dedicated off ramp from SB HWY 195 (right turn)









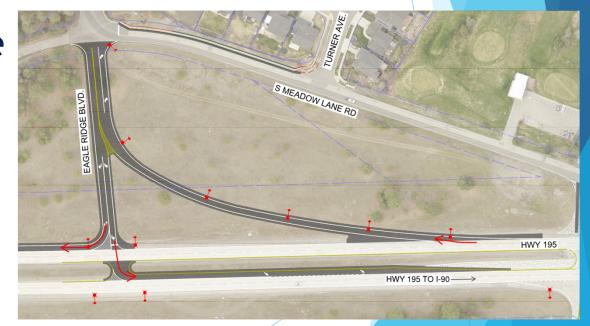






PROJECT OVERVIEW W EAGLE RIDGE BLVD

Left turn from W Eagle Ridge Blvd to HWY 195 (toward I-90) with an acceleration lane















PROJECT OVERVIEW W EAGLE RIDGE BLVD

Right turn from W
Eagle Ridge Blvd to
HWY 195 (toward
Hatch Rd), with a
possible acceleration
lane







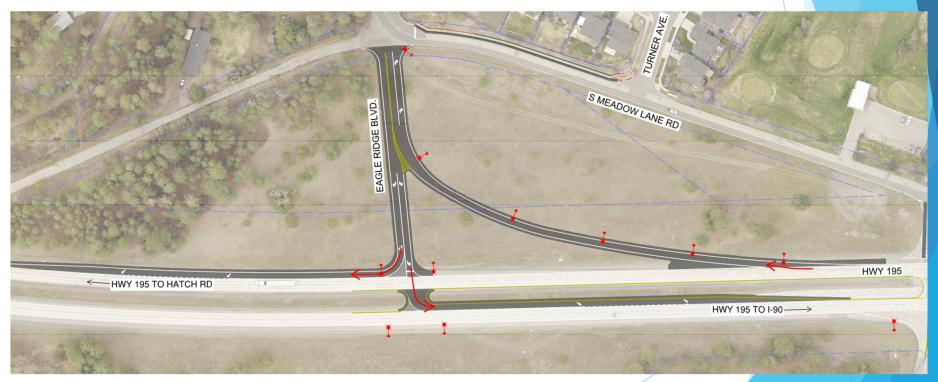








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SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS

- > Fewer conflict points
- ➤ Vehicles turning right from SB HWY 195 will queue on the off ramp, away from highway traffic
- Acceleration lanes allow vehicles to reach highway speed before entering traffic



Questions/Comments

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WHY NO J-TURN SOUTH OF MEADOWLANE?

- > NB and SB not at same elevation
- Environmental complications—work would be much closer to the stream
- Additional J-turn is not a significant improvement over proposed intersection

