

PROJECT INFORMATION

REGARDING

Phase 1 of the NW 66th Avenue Reconstruction and Kempton Bridge Replacement Project



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OVERVIEW OF PHASE 1

PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS

Phase 1: The proposed improvement is to replace the existing 2-lane bridge with a 4-lane bridge and include a multi-purpose trail on the bridge to connect the trail systems on the east and west sides of the Des Moines River. The project will also construct a 4-lane roadway with a continuous left-turn lane between the entrance to the Sycamore Trail and NW Toni Drive.

The project also includes construction of Des Moines Water Works' NW 66 Ave. Feeder Main to serve the City of Johnston from the NW 26 St. treatment plant to NW Beaver Dr.

CONSTRUCTION STAGING

The Project will be constructed in four stages.

- Stage 1- Initial Construction- includes shoulder widening and construction of temporary detour of the Neal Smith Trail
- Stage 2- Construction of south ½ of new bridge and roadway.
- Stage 3- Shift traffic to new bridge and roadway and construct north half of new bridge and roadway.
- Stage 4- Construct new section of Neal Smith Trail under the new bridge and connection to trail on bridge, and removal of temporary detour trail.

Access to adjacent properties will be maintained at all times. Construction of Phase 1 of this project is scheduled to begin in June 22, 2015. This first phase will be completed over two construction seasons to allow the roadway to remain open to traffic throughout the project by constructing the new bridge ½ at a time.

If you have additional questions or comments regarding the proposed improvements, please contact:

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