



## Development Services Department

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**DATE:** October 2, 2019

**TO:** Interested Parties

**FROM:** City of Roseville Development Services Department

**SUBJECT:** Notice of Availability of the Final Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the Washington Boulevard/Andora Bridge Improvement Project (SCH No. 2016092028)

A final environmental impact report (Final EIR) for the proposed Washington Boulevard/Andora Bridge Improvement Project is available for public review beginning October 11, 2019. The Final EIR includes responses to public comments received on the Draft EIR, which was circulated from June 17 to August 1, 2019.

**Project Location and Description:** The proposed project would be constructed in two phases and includes the following elements:

- Widen approximately 0.85 mile of Washington Boulevard from two to four lanes with a raised median separating northbound and southbound traffic (Phase 1).
- Widen the Andora Underpass to a two-span bridge with columns located in the roadway median island to accommodate the additional two lanes (Phase 2).
- Improve the Washington Boulevard/Pleasant Grove Boulevard intersection by lowering the intersection to conform to the new Washington Boulevard road elevation on the south and removing an existing “hump” across Washington Boulevard (Phase 2).
- New traffic signal at the Washington Boulevard/Kaseberg Drive intersection (Phase 1).
- Modify the existing traffic signal at the Washington Boulevard/Diamond Oaks Road intersection to conform to the new four-lane roadway (Phase 1).
- Add 8-foot-wide Class II (i.e., on-street with appropriate signing and striping) bike lanes along both sides of Washington Boulevard (Phase 1).
- Extend the existing Class I bike path on the east side of Washington Boulevard from a point approximately 150 south of Diamond Oaks Road to All-America City Boulevard with a 10- to 12-foot-wide path parallel to Washington Boulevard (Phase 1).
- Remove the existing bicycle/pedestrian crossing under Union Pacific Railroad (Phase 2) and provide a new temporary connection between the existing Derek Place bike path and the new Class I bike path along Washington Boulevard (described above) (Phase 1).
- Add a new 8- to 12-foot-wide multiuse path on the west side of Washington Boulevard between Emerald Oaks Road and Kaseberg Drive. (Phases 1 and 2).
- Conduct floodplain, water quality, and drainage improvements (Phases 1 and 2).
- Relocate existing utilities: sewer, water, telecommunications, natural gas (Phases 1 and 2).
- Potential construction of a sound wall adjacent to a residential area along Washington Boulevard (to be determined during Phase 2).
- Temporarily restripe Foothills Boulevard at Junction Boulevard to provide two left-turn lanes from southbound Foothills Boulevard to eastbound Junction Boulevard to accommodate traffic management during widening of the Andora underpass (Phase 2).

Anticipated potentially significant environmental effects include short-term construction noise, traffic levels of service during construction, nighttime lighting during construction, and increased greenhouse gas emissions.

**Final EIR Availability:** The Washington Boulevard/Andora Bridge Improvement Project Final EIR is available for public review during normal business hours at the City of Roseville Permit Center, 311

Vernon Street, Roseville, CA 95747. The Final EIR may also be viewed and downloaded at the City's website: [roseville.ca.us/Washington-Andora](http://roseville.ca.us/Washington-Andora)

The Final EIR is tentatively scheduled for consideration and possible certification by the City Council on October 23, 2019. City Council meetings start at 6:00 p.m. in the Roseville Council Chambers, 311 Vernon Street. Interested parties should call the Roseville City Clerk's Office to confirm the meeting agenda, time, and date (774-5263) or check the City's website via <https://www.roseville.ca.us>.

Questions should be directed to:

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