



# BECKWITH-STANDIFORD Multimodal Safety & Complete Streets Project



The City of Modesto (City), in cooperation with the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), proposes the Beckwith - Standiford Multimodal Safety & Complete Streets Project (Project) to improve access, safety and mobility for all travel modes and traffic operations.

## CURRENT ISSUES

**Collision rates** significantly exceed the statewide average



**Traffic congestion** causes long backups through intersections and onto the freeway



**Lack of adequate facilities** for bicyclists, pedestrians, transit, and electric vehicles

## PROJECT GOALS

- Improve safety to significantly reduce the number collisions
- Reduce congestion and eliminate long backups
- Provide separated and dedicated pathways for bicycles and pedestrians
- Provide modern facilities for transit and electric vehicles



## PROJECT DEVELOPMENT

The Project follows the Caltrans Development process which identifies 4 phases of Project development as follows:

PHASE 1 >	PHASE 2 >	PHASE 3 >	PHASE 4
<b>PROJECT INITIATION DOCUMENT:</b> Completed in September 2024, this phase identified several preliminary alternatives along with their impacts, costs, and schedule.	<b>ENVIRONMENTAL APPROVAL:</b> Scheduled to begin in October 2024, this phase includes the selection of a single alternative and the completion of the Environmental Approval process.	<b>ENGINEERING:</b> Scheduled to begin in 2026, in this phase, the detailed Engineering plans will be completed.	<b>CONSTRUCTION:</b> Tentatively scheduled to begin construction in 2029.

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Q: How can one get more information on the findings of Phase 1?

A: The findings of Phase 1 were summarized in a report which will be released to the public in October 2024.

Q: Are roundabouts being considered for this Project?

A: Yes. Roundabouts greatly improve safety, while reducing traffic congestion and are being considered as a possible solution.

Q: Will businesses be accessible during construction?

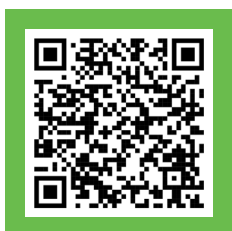
A: Yes. Project will maintain business access at all times during construction.

Q: How will the construction be funded?

A: The construction will be funded from a combination of local, state, and federal funds.

Q: Will the Highway 99/Briggsmore Interchange be improved as well?

A: Yes. That interchange is also going through the same development process, but as a separate project.



For more information, visit the project website at

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