NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION NOTICE OF HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

I-80 EB at I-680 Interchange, Omaha

HSIP-80-9(204); C.N. 22856

Identified as *I-80 EB at I-680 Interchange, Omaha,* the proposed project would improve approximately 0.69 miles of eastbound Interstate 80 (I-80) located in Douglas County.

The proposed project would begin at the Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR) viaduct and extend east to approximately 350 feet east of the 108th Street grade separation. Construction may begin and/or end approximately 500 feet ahead of or beyond the actual project limits to accommodate transitioning the pavement.

The purpose of the proposed project is to reduce the frequency and severity of crashes, improve the reliability of the transportation system and perpetuate the mobility of the traveling public. The need for the proposed project is based on information from NDOT's Traffic Engineering Division, District 2, and the current condition of the pavement surface friction.

Proposed improvements would consist of installing a high friction surface treatment. Bridge structures S080 44574R (UPRR Viaduct) and S080 44606R (EB I-80 over SB I-680 ramp) would be used in place.

The proposed project would not require the acquisition of additional property rights. Access to adjacent properties would be maintained during construction but may be limited at times due to phasing requirements. No wetland and/or other water resource impacts are anticipated.

Construction is tentatively scheduled to begin in summer 2023, with anticipated completion by winter 2023.

The majority of the project would be constructed at night and would require temporary nighttime closures of I-80. Traffic would be detoured to the adjacent I – L Street collector-distributor road that runs parallel to eastbound I-80.

NDOT has worked to develop this project to minimize inconvenience and hardships. We are dedicated to improving Nebraska's highway system and with your help we can achieve this goal.

Any questions or comments regarding this project should be submitted to: Sarah Fisher, Public Involvement Specialist, Nebraska Department of Transportation, P.O. Box 94759, Lincoln, NE 68509-4759; <u>sarah.fisher@nebraska.gov</u>; voice telephone 402-479-3832, TDD telephone 402-479-3834, fax 402-479-3989.

Information regarding the proposed project will be made available on the NDOT website at <u>ndot.info/22856</u>. For those without internet access, information may be obtained through the contact above or at NDOT Headquarters, 1500 Hwy. 2, Lincoln, NE. For further information, contact Tim Weander, NDOT District 2 Engineer, 402-595-2534, tim.weander@nebraska.gov.

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