

# HAPPY VALLEY ROAD FROM 67TH AVENUE TO 35TH AVENUE

**IMPROVEMENT PROJECT** 



90% Design

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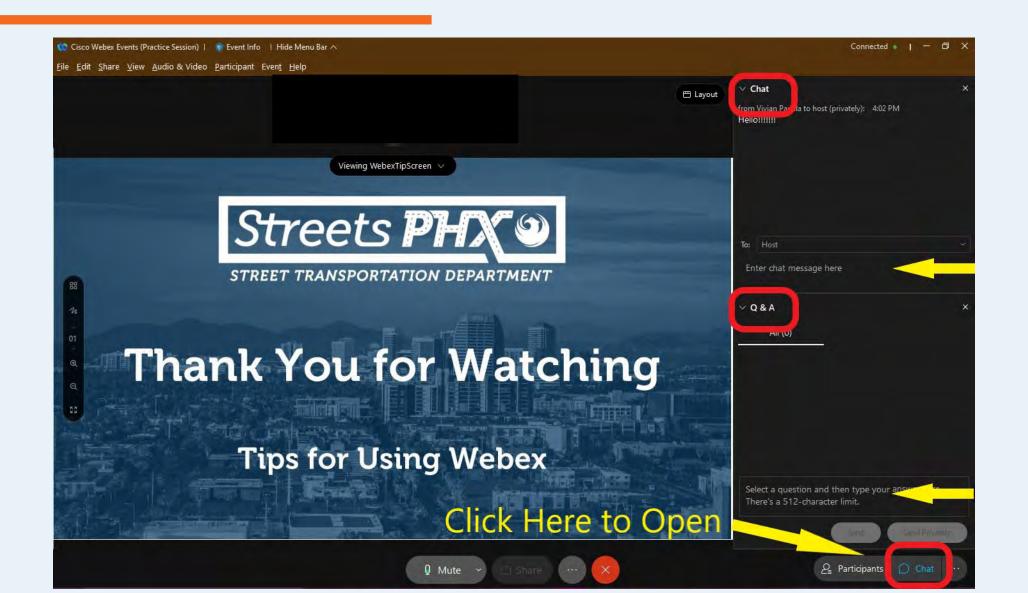
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#### **Panel Members**



- Kini Knudson, P.E. Street Transportation Department Director
- Briiana Velez, P.E. Assistant Street Transportation Director
- Mark Glock, P.E. Deputy Street Transportation Director
- Mario Brown, P.E. Special Projects Administrator
- Carl Langford, PE Engineering Supervisor
- Tariq Momika, P.E. *Project Manager*
- Todd Cencimino, P.E. Design Project Manager at Wilson & Company, Inc., Engineers & Architects

#### Welcome



Kini Knudson, P.E.

Director, City of Phoenix Street Transportation Department



# **Meeting Agenda**



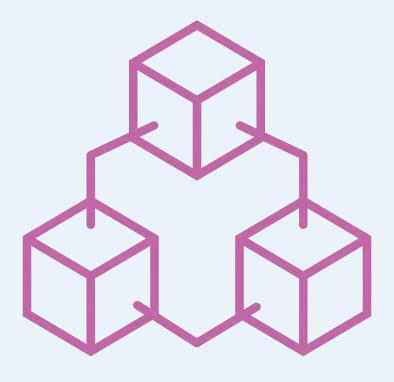
- Project Overview
- Project Purpose
- Project Limits
- Existing Street Conditions
- Project Studies
- Project Improvements
- Project Timeline







- Roadway cross section improvements
- Bike and pedestrian improvements
- Funding: Federal funds + local matching funds
- Project Assessment Report was completed in 2020
- Currently at 90% design phase







- Improve traffic flow and safety
- Provide pedestrian connectivity





- Improve bicycle safety and connectivity
- Roadway cross section enhancements









**HAPPY VALLEY ROAD: 67TH AVENUE TO 35TH AVENUE** 

**CORRIDOR LENGTH: 4 MILES** 





### **Existing Street Conditions**

- Inconsistent number of travel lanes (2 or 3)
- No medians to guide turning movements and protect cars making left turns
- Inconsistence and lack of dedicated bicycle lanes and buffers
- Missing sections of curb, gutters, sidewalk and trail
- Outdated curb ramps (ADA)

At 53rd Ave looking West



E of 51st Ave. looking East



W of 47th Ave looking west





# **Existing Street Conditions**

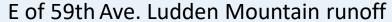
- Inconsistent streetlighting throughout corridor
- Drainage issues with Ludden Mountain runoff
- Inconsistent landscaping
- Aging pavement

E of 53rd Ave. looking West



E of 49th Ave. looking West









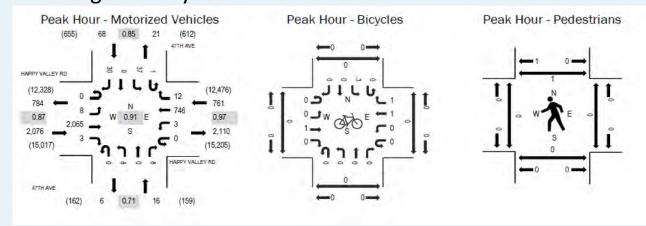


- Geotechnical investigations
- Traffic memo associated with:
  - Noise Study and Analysis
  - Air Quality Study and Analysis
- Traffic Signal Warrant Study at:
  - o 61st Avenue/HVR
  - o 47th Avenue/HVR

#### Geotechnical investigation locations



#### **Traffic Signal Study**



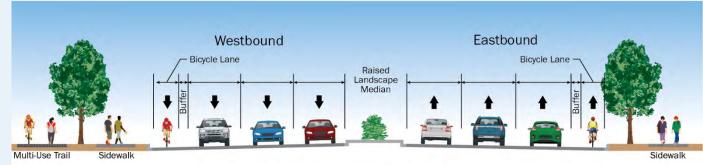




#### **Street Improvements**

- Roadway consistent 3 lanes in each direction
- Adjusting lane configuration
- Widening the cross section

62<sup>nd</sup> Ave. to west of 55<sup>th</sup> Ave



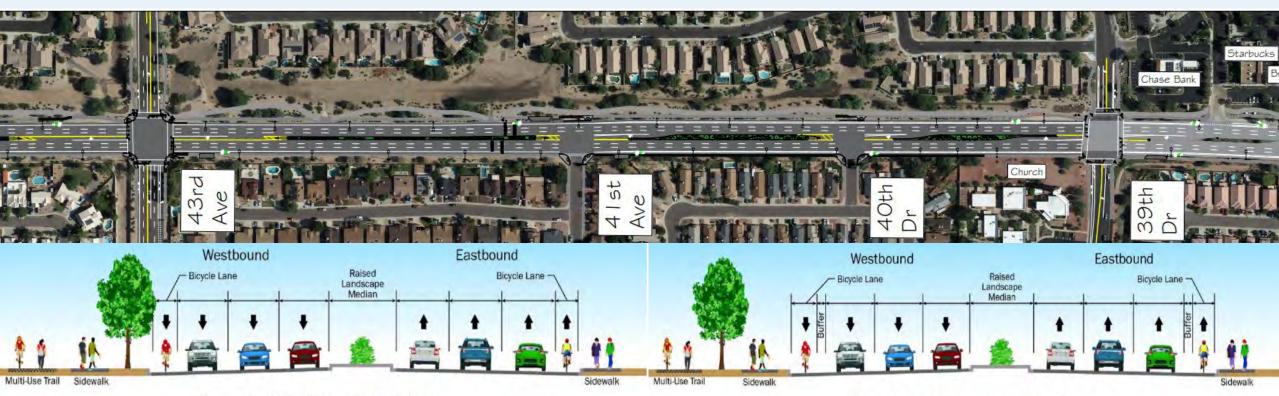






#### **Street Improvements**

Raised median islands with channelized left-turn lanes

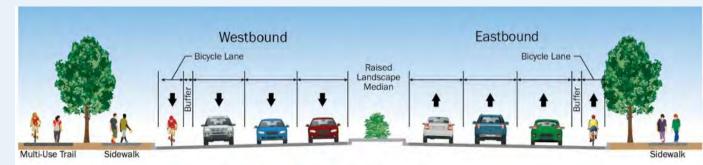




# **Project Improvements**

#### **Street Improvements**

- Continuous curb, gutter and sidewalk
- Adding buffered bicycle lanes



Section: West of 55th Ave. to 51st Ave.



Section: 5 1st Ave. to 48th Ave.







#### **New Traffic Signals at:**

61st Ave and Happy Valley Rd



47th Ave and Happy Valley Rd







#### Traffic signal upgrades at:

- 64th Avenue
- Glendale Community College
- 51st Avenue
- 43rd Avenue
- 35th Avenue







43rd Ave and HVR intersection



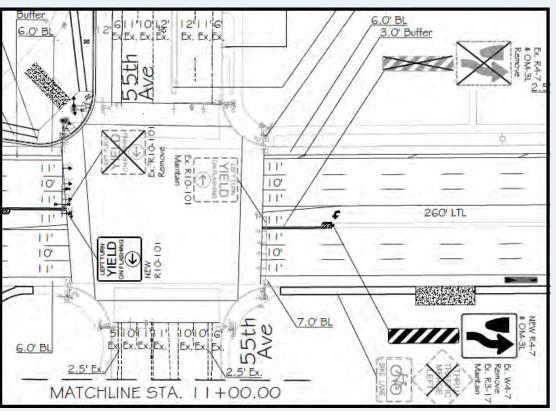




#### **Traffic safety improvement at:**

55th Avenue and Happy Valley Rd





# **Project Improvements**

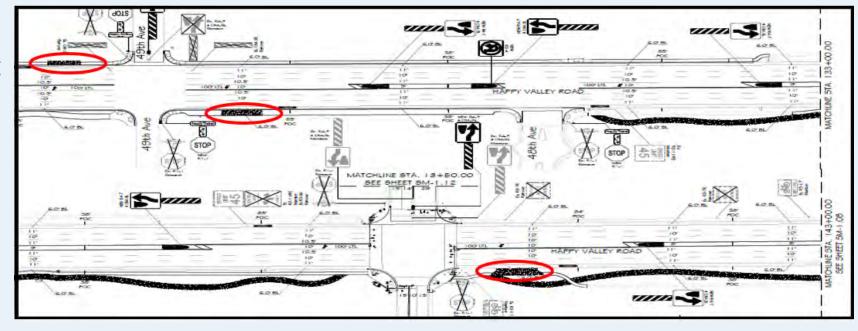


#### **Traffic Safety and Streetlight Improvements**

 Fiber optic communications infrastructure for traffic signal connectivity and automation **Public Transit Service** 

Bus Pads

• Streetlight improvement

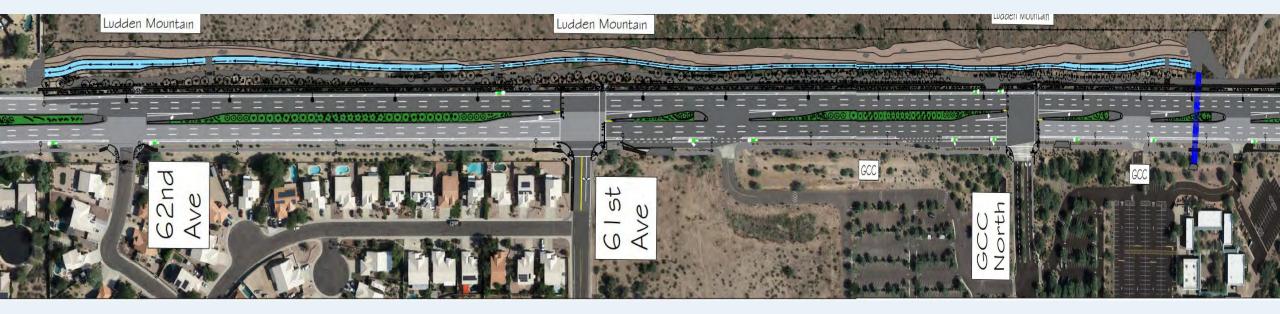






#### **Drainage Improvements**

New drainage ditch to capture runoff along base of Ludden Mountain







#### **Drainage Improvements**

- New drainage cross culvert at Glendale Community College
- Add drainage facilities to the corridor





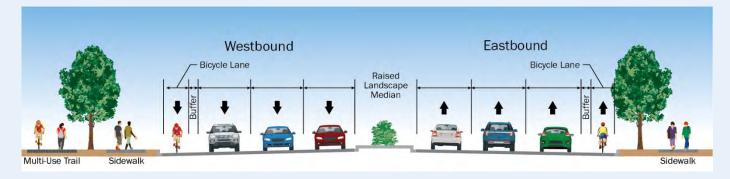




#### **Aesthetics Improvements**

- Extending continuous multi-use recreational trail
- Landscape roadside and median islands
- Pavement improvement
- Pavement markings and signs

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# **Project Timeline**





Complete Design: Fall 2022



Environmental Studies & ROW Acquisition: Summer 2023



Procurement and Awarding: Late Summer 2023



Begin Construction: Fall 2023



Construction Completion: Summer 2025

#### **Questions & Comments**



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Project Hotline: 623-825-3444

Project Website with Detailed Roll Plots <a href="mailto:phoenix.gov/streets/happyvalley">phoenix.gov/streets/happyvalley</a>



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