



# Project Facts

Improve mobility, access, and safety at the US 6 and Wadsworth Boulevard Interchange – the “gateway” to Lakewood

The Colorado Department of Transportation is beginning data collection for the US 6 and Wadsworth Boulevard Environmental Assessment. The Environmental Assessment will study possible improvements to the US 6 (6th Avenue) and Wadsworth Boulevard Interchange and to Wadsworth Boulevard from approximately 4th Avenue to 14th Avenue, as shown. A “No Action” Alternative - which would not provide any transportation improvements - will also be considered.

The Environmental Assessment is being prepared in accordance with the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) of 1969. The NEPA process requires agencies proposing federally-funded transportation projects to integrate environmental values into the planning process, evaluate potential adverse and beneficial impacts of the proposed project, and consider mitigation measures that can avoid or minimize adverse environmental impacts. The NEPA process also considers the social and transportation needs of the public.

Transportation projects typically involve a high level of public involvement and outreach. CDOT will continue to seek input from agencies, businesses, residents, and stakeholders along the Wadsworth Boulevard corridor study area as the study progresses. CH2M HILL is the consultant firm contracted by CDOT to conduct the Environmental Assessment and associated technical studies.

## Quick Facts:

**Start Date:** April 2007

**Completion of EA:**  
Estimated 18 - 24 months

**Project Website:**  
[www.US6Wadsworth.com](http://www.US6Wadsworth.com)

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## Study Area



14th Avenue

6th Avenue Interchange

US 6 (6th Avenue)

4th Avenue

