



I-70B SOUTH OF ROOD IMPROVEMENTS

SOUTH OF ROOD AVENUE TO APPROXIMATELY THIRD STREET

The Colorado Department of Transportation is in the final design phase of the Interstate 70 Business South of Rood Improvements from south of Rood Avenue to approximately Third Street. The safety and mobility improvements were identified during the 2008 Environmental Assessment to address congestion; bring multimodal improvements that will allow for a safer and more comfortable travel experience for cars, pedestrians and cyclists; and provide effective business access along the corridor.

The project is the next in a series of phased improvements on I-70B. It follows the I-70B 1st Street and Grand Avenue Improvement Project. Construction took place in 2021-2022 and was completed in June 2022.

More information about the previous project can be found here: www.codot.gov/projects/i70-b-south-of-rood/design

COST

To be determined

CONTRACTOR

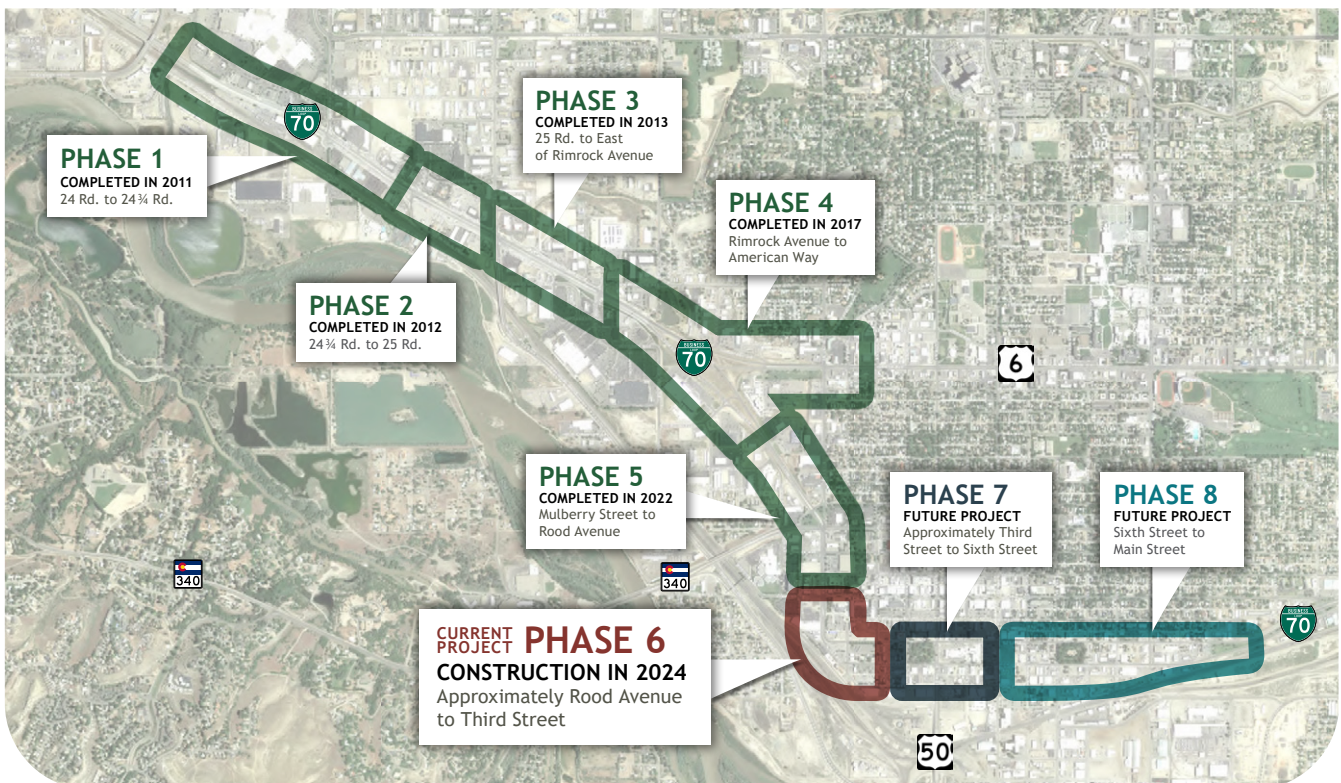
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TIMELINE

Anticipated start of construction in summer 2024

LOCATION

South of Rood Avenue and I-70B, continuing east toward Pitkin Avenue and Ute Avenue, ending near approximately Third Street



FINAL DESIGN

The final design stage includes improved street connections, multimodal improvements, signal replacement, utility infrastructure improvements, lighting enhancements, and landscaping enhancements.

Construction funding is available from south of Rood Avenue to approximately Third Street and is scheduled to begin in summer 2024. Prior to that, Xcel Energy will install a new gas line July 2023 through November 2023 (schedule subject to change). Construction for the remaining 1.5 miles from approximately Third Street to East Main Street will be announced when funding has been secured. These improvements were identified during the 2008 Environmental Assessment and previous public engagement efforts.

2008 ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

PURPOSE AND NEED

- Improve traffic flow and capacity
- Safety for all users
- Multimodal opportunities
- Provide effective access

PROJECT OUTCOMES

- Access consolidation
- Improving street connections
- Separation of traffic
- Improving bicycle/pedestrian connections
- Improving utility infrastructure

PROJECT TIMELINE

2023

SUMMER-FALL



90% Design

South of Rood Avenue to approximately Third Street



Second Public Meeting

I-70B South of Rood Improvements



Xcel Gas Line Construction

Schedule subject to change

2024

SPRING-FALL



Phase 6 Construction

South of Rood Avenue to approximately Third Street

2025

SPRING-WINTER



Phase 7 Construction

Approximately Third Street to Sixth Street
Pending Construction Funding



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