

## **County Road 98 Bike and Safety Improvement Project, Phase II**

Yolo County is in the planning and design stage of the County Road (CR) 98 Bike and Safety Improvement Project, Phase II project.

The project will extend the following improvements southward from the first phase of the CR 98 project, completed in 2014. The project will begin approximately 1300 feet south of CR 29 and extend 4.1 miles southward to the Solano County Line. A preliminary description of the project improvements are described below:

- Add eight-foot paved shoulders for bike lanes and an additional twelve-foot clear recovery zone along the entire length of both sides of this existing narrow two lane arterial road.
- Close the gap between the existing Class 1 bike path on Russell Blvd and the Class 2 bike lanes on Hutchison Drive on the University of California campus. Whether this gap closure is Class 1 or Class 2 bike lane will be determined during project development after consultation with the public, adjacent property owners, and the University of California at Davis.
- Install roundabouts or signals at the intersections with County Road 31, CR 32, and Hutchison Drive. The intersections of CR 98 with CR 31 and CR 32 are currently controlled with four-way stop signs.
- Relocate drainage ditches and utility poles outside the clear recovery zone.
- Provide mitigation for environmental impacts of project.

The project has currently received federal funding for preliminary engineering.

### **Current Project News:**

Omni-Means, Ltd has been hired to assist the County in evaluating intersection alternatives at Hutchison Drive, CR 32, and CR 31. A public meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 7, 2017 from 6 to 7:30 pm to give attendees the opportunity to learn about the project and to provide the design team with valuable firsthand information regarding corridor traffic operations and safety. The design team will also provide information about the advantages, constraints and safety considerations of the intersection alternatives under consideration including roundabouts and traffic signals as part of this major transportation improvement project. The meeting will be held at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Davis, Social Hall, 27074 Patwin Road Davis, California.

### **Past Project News:**

#### **March 2, 2016 Public Meeting**

At the March 2, 2016 public meeting at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Davis, Social Hall, the County displayed plans showing the existing road and areas beyond the existing road, as well as plans of potential typical cross sections of the new road. Members of the public were invited to make comments and concerns about the existing roads and what improvements they would like to see.

Potential typical sections are posted [here](#):

Written comments received at and following this meeting are posted [here](#):

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