Colorado Blvd & Roosevelt Pkwy

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Intersection Alternative Study



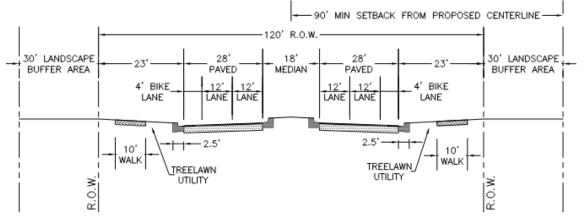
Study Location





Why Are Improvements Needed?



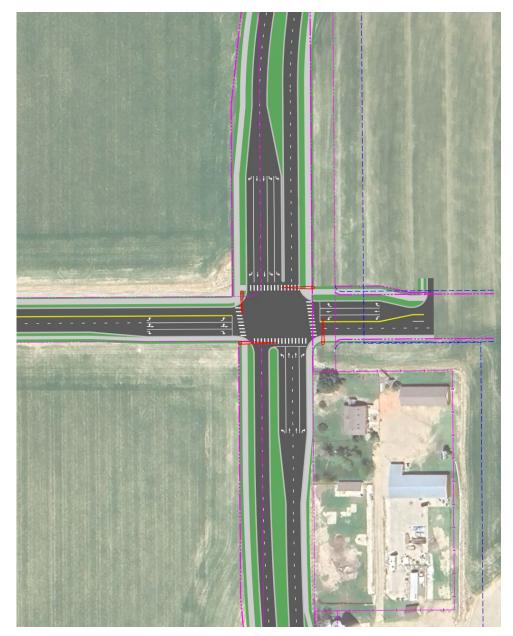


- Side street stop controlled
- Roosevelt High School
 - Currently 1,000 students
 - Capacity 1,300 students
- The Granary Development
 - 2800 Housing Units
 - Roosevelt Pkwy expanded east
- Whitehall Development
 - 750 Housing Units
 - Retail and office
- Colorado Blvd (WCR 13)
 - Ultimate 4 lane cross section



Traditional Signal

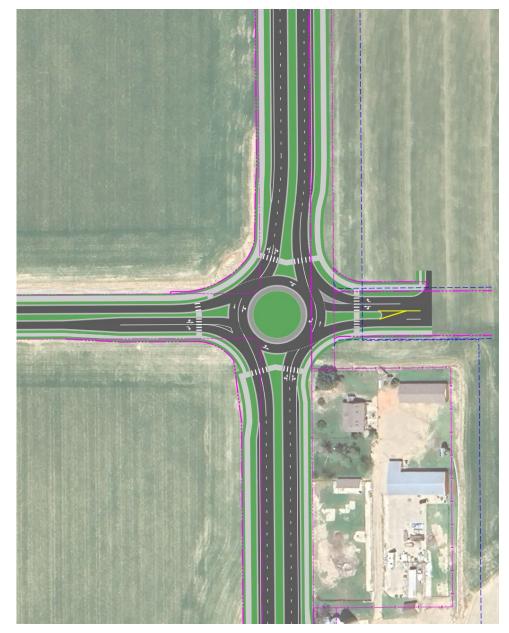
- Familiar to drivers
- Lanes can be added, and signals retimed as traffic volumes increase
- Requires dual left turns for southbound and eastbound directions
- Wide cross sections at intersection, requiring more right-of-way
- Overall Level of Service C with some turning movements at Level of Service D





2 Lane Roundabout

- Smaller footprint with less right-of-way acquisition
- Safer for pedestrians
- Can be phased to build a single lane and add a second circulating lane once traffic volumes require it
- Similar construction costs for ultimate configuration (more expensive for interim)
- Overall Level of Service B including all turning movements





Alternative Operations



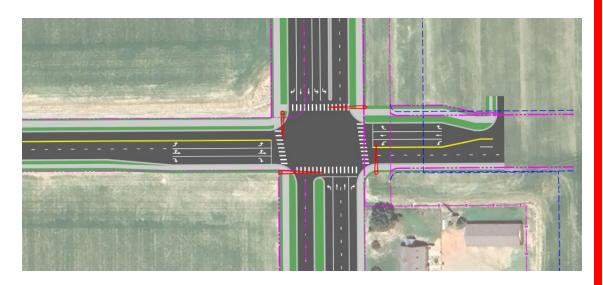
LOS	Average Delay (s/veh)					
LUS	Signalized	Unsignalized				
Α	≤10	≤10				
В	>10-20	>10-15				
С	>20-35	>15-25				
D	>35-55	>25-35				
E	>55-80	>35-50				
F	>80	>50				



Senario	Overall		Eastbound		Westbound		Northbound		Southbound	
	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM
Existing 2023	В	В	С	E	N/A	N/A	А	А	А	А
Signal 2045	С	В	В	В	С	В	С	В	D	В
2-Lane Roundabout 2045	В	В	В	А	В	В	А	В	В	В



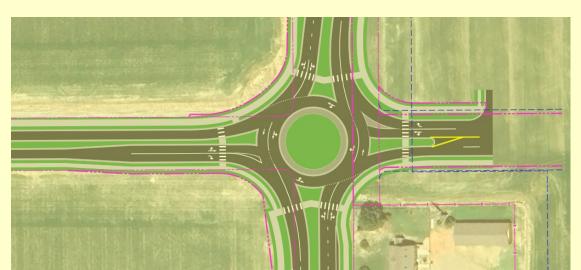
Alternative Comparison



Traditional Signal

- Familiar to drivers
- Simpler construction and phasing
- More lanes (including dual left turn lanes)
- Higher maintenance costs
- Requires more right-of-way

RECOMMEDNED ALTERNATIVE



2 Lane Roundabout

- Better traffic operations
- Safer for pedestrians
- Lower maintenance costs
- Requires less right-of-way
- Unfamiliar to drivers







