MISSISSIPPI AVENUE WIDENING

PROJECT OVERVIEW
As part of the city of Aurora’s commitment to improving and maintaining Aurora roadways, the Public Works Department is in the midst of the design phase for a widening project along Mississippi Avenue near Buckley Air Force Base that will improve capacity and traffic operations along Mississippi Avenue while improving pedestrian and bicycle facilities.

The Mississippi Avenue Widening Project will widen Mississippi Avenue, from Aspen Street (the southern Air Force Base entrance) to Louisiana Avenue, and enhance the street’s mobility.

PROJECT DETAILS
• Widen Mississippi Avenue from two lanes to four lanes
  ◦ No private property will be used
• Improved mobility for cyclists and pedestrians
  ◦ Wider sidewalk on the west side of Mississippi Avenue
  ◦ New 12-foot shared use path (for both cyclists and pedestrians) on the east side of Mississippi Avenue
  ◦ Continuous bike facilities from Dunkirk Street to Aspen Street (at the southern Air Force Base entrance)
• New street lights will be installed
• Design completion expected in 2020
• Construction completion expected in 2021

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Opportunities for Feedback

During this design phase of the Mississippi Avenue Widening Project, the city is seeking public input. There will be two opportunities for the community to learn more about this project and provide feedback on the current plans for the new and improved Mississippi Avenue.

Check the project website or contact us for more detailed information on when the opportunities for public feedback are available.