City of Longmont Coffman Street Corridor Project

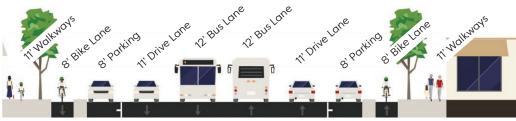


Exciting new changes that will improve transportation are coming to Coffman Street

As part of the City's Envision Longmont Plan and the utilization of recently awarded grant funding, the City will begin construction on this Enhanced Multi-Use Corridor in 2023. The project will focus on Coffman Street between 1st and 9th Avenue and is expected to open to the public at the same time Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) starts between Longmont and Boulder.

The proposed
Enhanced Multi-Use
Corridor features wider
sidewalks, separated bike
lanes and dedicated bus
lanes, allowing for safer
travel options while
reducing traffic
congestion on Main
Street. The proposed
changes use the same
100' of existing Right of
Way (ROW) and will have
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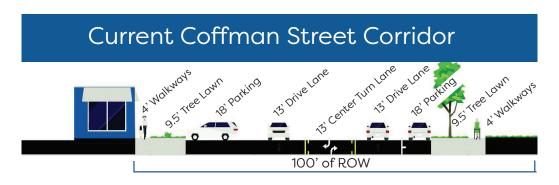
Future Coffman Street Corridor



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The current corridor lacks a dedicated bike lane and sufficient walkways. Bus traffic causes safety issues and delays when traveling and stopping along Main Street.





Funding + Timeline

2018: Enhanced Multi-Use Corridor Plan Completed

2019: \$6.9 M Design & Construction Grant Awarded

2020: Begin Final Design

2023: Start Construction Project



What exactly is an EMUC?

Enhanced Multi-Use Corridors (EMUC) are street corridors that provide safe, comfortable, low-stress bicycle and pedestrian facilities, much like multi-use trails, to provide connectivity within the City's trail system and multi-modal transportation network.



Why was Coffman Street chosen for this project?

Coffman Street was identified as a priority area based on a number of different factors, including public feedback. Prior to implementing an EMUC, the City conducts parking utilization studies, traffic counts and analyzes intersection approach treatments. Public meetings were held in early 2019 to review draft concepts and gather community input on the full EMUC plan. Public meetings specific to Coffman Street are planned throughout the design and construction phases of the project.

What do I need to do to prepare?

The short answer - stay engaged! As the project develops, the City will keep residents and businesses that are affected by the project up to date with information regarding design and construction concepts. Prior to construction, the team will accept and review public comment to ensure the project results in the best transportation experience for all, especially those living and working in the Coffman Street corridor.

What if I have questions?

Additional information on this project can be found at <u>bit.ly/longmontemuc</u>. For more information, please contact Phil Greenwald, Transportation Planning Manager for the City of Longmont, at <u>phil.greenwald@longmontcolorado.gov</u> or (303) 651-8335.