



Southwest Corridor Transportation Coalition  
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# US 212 Update

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# US 212 2-lane Gap Projects



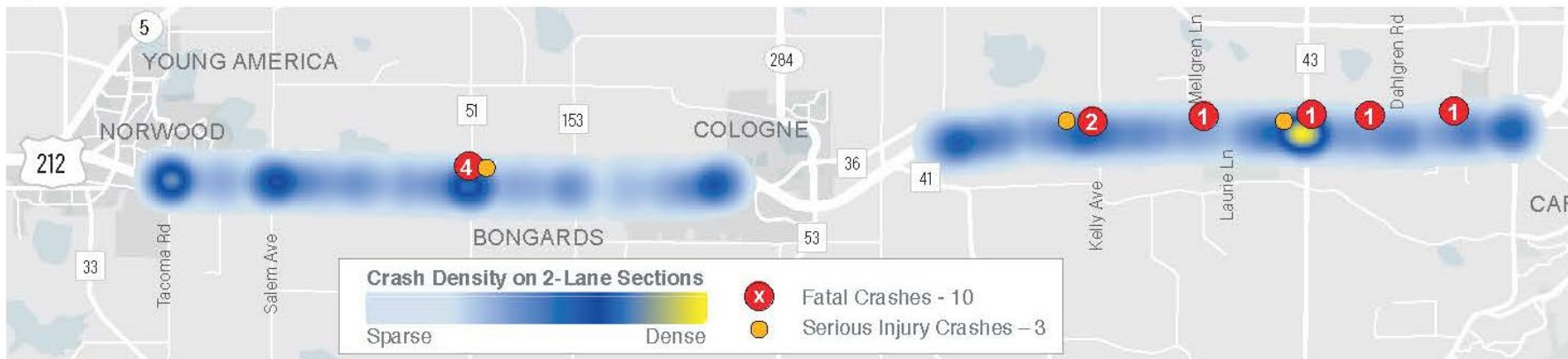
- **Two phases**
  - Phase 1 (Dahlgren Township) – Chaska to Cologne
  - Phase 2 (Benton Township) – Cologne to Norwood Young America



# Improve Safety

## Crashes

Within the project area, there have been **ten reported traffic fatalities** and three severe crashes involving life-threatening injuries (2009-2019).



# Proposed Improvements

## 4-lane Expressway with Reduced Conflict Intersections



 Grade Separated Overpass (Option)

 Reduced Conflict Intersections (RCI)



# Project Details

- Update the **10 miles** of obsolete two-lane to **four-lane expressway**
- Construct **Reduced Conflict Intersections (RCIs)**
- Grade Separated **Overpass at CSAH 51**
- Agricultural Equipment Accommodations
- **10' wide** shoulders
- **Turn lanes** at all public road intersections
- **New bridges** over Carver Creek
- Several **access modifications**





# HIGHWAY 212 PROJECT

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Carver to Cologne



# Phase 1 (Dahlgren Township) Schedule





# Phase 1 (Dahlgren Township) Construction Funding Splits

<u>Funding Source</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Regional Solicitation Federal Funds	\$7,000,000
Federal Freight Funds	\$7,500,000
MnDOT SRC Funds	\$5,050,000
MnDOT Federal Funds	\$8,950,000
<u>Carver County Sales Tax Funds</u>	<u>\$2,100,000</u>
<i>Total</i>	<i>\$30,600,000</i>



# Phase 1 (Dahlgren Township) Remaining Work

- Pavement Settlement Correction (aka "The Dip")
- Punch List Items
- Eminent Domain on 2 Parcels





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# Phase 2 (Benton Township) Schedule

**We are here!**



# Phase 2 (Benton Township) Cost Estimate

<u>Project Tasks</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Preliminary Design & Environmental	\$1,600,000
Final Design	\$2,250,000
Right of Way Acquisition	\$2,850,000
<b><i>Construction</i></b>	<b><i>\$61,300,000</i></b>
Risk for Unknown Costs	\$3,900,000
<u>Construction Administration (In Kind)</u>	*
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$71,900,000</b>

\*The MnDOT Eden Prairie construction office has indicated a willingness to perform this work.



# Phase 2 (Benton Township) Funding Splits

<u>Funding Source</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Regional Solicitation Federal Funds	\$3,500,000
Federal Freight Funds	\$7,500,000
<b><i>Federal INFRA Funds</i></b>	<b><i>\$10,000,000</i></b>
Federal Community Project Funds (2022)	\$2,500,000
Federal Community Project Funds (2023)	\$4,000,000
State of Minnesota Funds (2020)	\$3,920,000
State of Minnesota Bond Funds (2021)	\$25,000,000
MnDOT SRC Federal Funds	\$9,000,000
MnDOT SRC Right of Way Funds	\$850,000
MnDOT Construction Admin (In Kind)	
<u>Carver County CSAH &amp; Sales Tax Funds</u>	<u>\$5,630,000</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$71,900,000</b>







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