

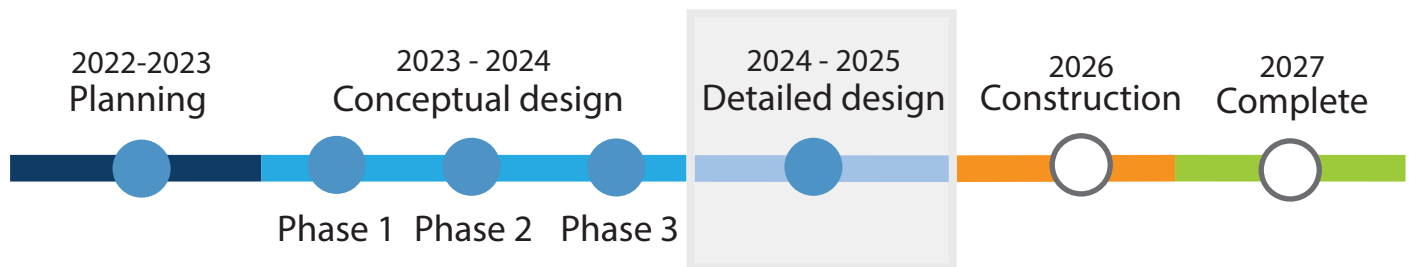
Cedar Avenue reconstruction

Hennepin County, in partnership with the City of Minneapolis, plans to reconstruct Cedar Avenue (County Road 152) between Lake Street (County Road 3) and 24th Street East in 2026.

In preparation for the project, the county launched an engagement process with the communities in Little Earth and East Phillips to better understand concerns and needs to inform a community-focused design. With the help of your feedback the project team has now selected an initial concept and will continue to engage with stakeholders to provide information on what to expect ahead of anticipated start of construction.

Project schedule

Timeline is subject to change

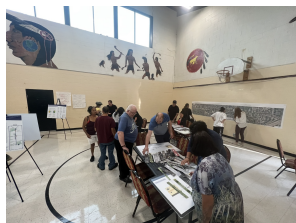


Design goals

Cedar Avenue was last reconstructed nearly 60 years ago and is nearing the end of its useful life. We need to reconstruct the roadway because routine maintenance activities such as overlays and crackseals are no longer cost effective in preserving the road.

Hennepin County is working with community to redesign Cedar Avenue to be a safer and more accessible roadway that accommodates a range of modes and reflects city and county design guidance and the community who use it every day.

- 1 Make it more comfortable for people walking, biking, rolling and using transit along the corridor
- 2 Build a road for today and tomorrow that reflects the community's values
- 3 Design a livable, calmer, safer street
- 4 Make it easier to access nearby community destinations including parks, trails, and local businesses
- 5 Preserve existing tree canopy and increase greening along the corridor
- 6 Replace and modernize aging infrastructure, such as traffic signals and facilities



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Cedar Avenue initial concept

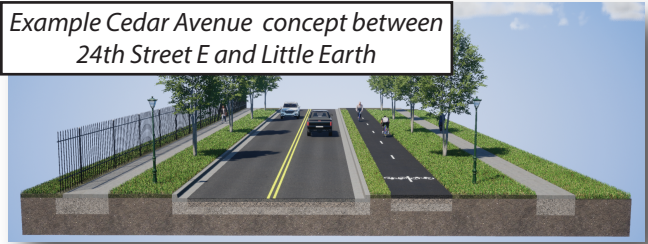
The project team has chosen an initial concept for Cedar Avenue. This design includes key community priorities such as:

- Preserving trees
- Expanding green spaces
- Adding bikeways
- Making the street more comfortable for residents

It also considers other important factors like parking, business access, and public transit.

To view the full concept, scan the QR code located at the bottom of this page, visit hennepin.us/cedar-avenue or attend one of the engagement events listed below.

Example Cedar Avenue concept between 24th Street E and Little Earth



Example Cedar Avenue concept between 28th Street E and Lake Street



Upcoming engagement efforts



Office hours

The engagement team will host a series of office hours allowing residents to remain up to date on detailed design progress, construction staging and detours during construction.



Business meetings

As the project progresses through detailed design, the engagement team will reach out to business along the corridor to review previously collected operations information and discuss construction impacts.



Public open house

There will be one public open house on the project during detailed design that will overview construction staging and detours and hear feedback from the public.

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