

Project Update: Needs and Alternatives for County Road 50/5 Interchange with I-35 in Lakeville

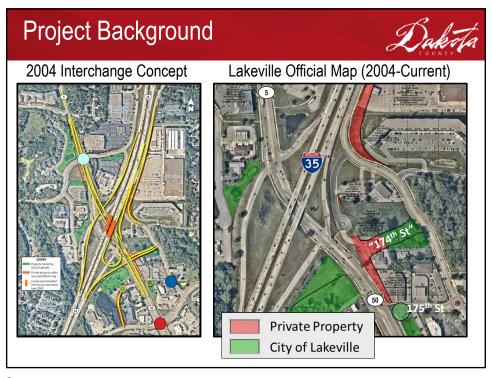
Dakota County Physical Development Committee of the Whole
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Presentation Outline



- Background (ref. 2004 concept/mapping)
- Mobility and Safety, 2050 Traffic
- Interchange Design Alternatives Considered
- Two Current Alternatives
- Schedule Objectives
- Public and Business Engagement
- Next Steps & Discussion



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Review of Interchange Alternatives The Project Management Team is now focusing on two interchange alternatives: Construction Interchange Ped/Bike **Traffic Mobility Traffic Safety Property Impacts** Alt 1 -Modernized 19 parcels impacted Diamond with SE \$\$\$\$\$ 2 relocations Loop Alt 2 - Modernized 19 parcels impacted \$\$\$ Diamond 2 relocations Alt 3 - Diverging 19 parcels impacted \$\$\$ Diamond 1 relocation Alt 4 - Peanut 20 parcels impacted \$\$\$ Roundabout Diamond

20 parcels impacted

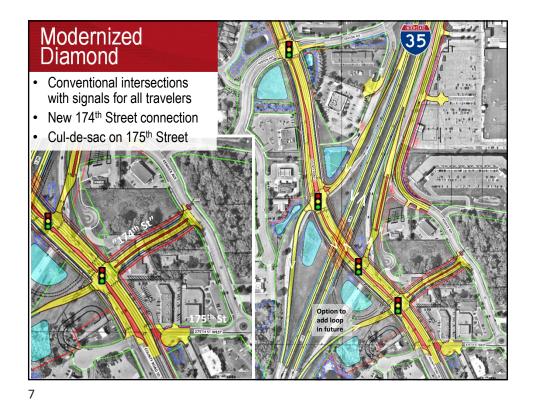
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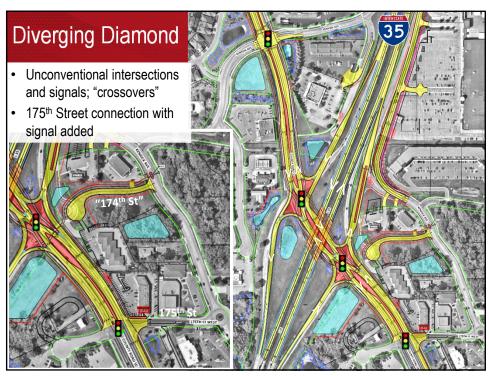
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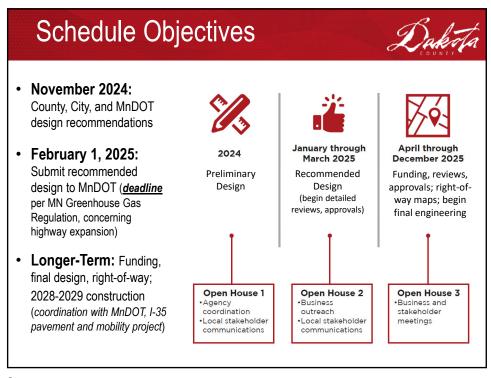
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Alt 5 - Diamond

with SW Loop



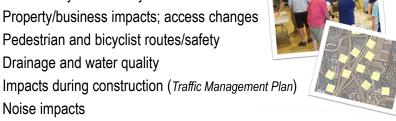




Public and Business Engagement Dakota



- First public open house held September 9, 2024; approximately 120 attended
- More recently focused conversations with business owners
- Comments & Questions:
 - Traffic delays and safety concerns



Next Steps and Discussion



Next Steps

- Project Management Team design recommendations
- Prepare layout for MnDOT submittal, February 1, 2025
- Funding plan, applications (approx. \$40M \$50M project)
- Second public open house February/March 2025
- Coordination with MnDOT I-35 pavement/mobility project

Questions and Discussion

