



CITY OF SIOUX CITY, IOWA NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

18TH STREET OVERPASS PROJECT

The City of Sioux City would like to invite you to attend a public meeting to present and discuss the proposed 18th Street Viaduct (Overpass) and additional street improvements in the Hoeven Valley Area. The proposed viaduct would begin near the existing 18th Street and Steuben Street intersection and extend westerly over the railroad tracks owned by the Union Pacific Railroad and Canadian National Railroad, and terminate at Floyd Boulevard. The construction of the viaduct would result in the closure of the 11th Street and 18th Street at-grade railroad crossings and the potential closure of the 28th Street at-grade railroad crossing.

The expected benefits of the 18th Street Viaduct include:

- A reduction in delays for motorists traveling in this area;
- less train horn noise in the corridor;
- more reliable and reduced response time for emergency service vehicles destined for the Hoeven Valley area;
- improved rail switching operations;
- improved opportunities for existing and future industries with rail access;
- improved pedestrian and bicycle connectivity to the trail along the west bank of the Floyd River; and
- improved safety for all motorists, pedestrians and bicyclists.

The City is also in the process of applying for a grant application to fund construction of the viaduct through the U.S. Department of Transportation's (USDOT) Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) program. As part of the application, the City will be requesting letters of support from business and property owners to show local support for this project.

The public meeting will be held **Thursday, June 14, 2018, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at City Hall, 5th Floor Council Chambers (405 6th Street).** A short presentation will kick-off the meeting with an open house opportunity afterwards to view exhibits and speak with City staff and the engineers who designed the viaduct.

We hope to see you at the meeting, should you have any questions, please contact the City's project manager, Brittany Anderson at branderson@sioux-city.org or 712.279.6401.



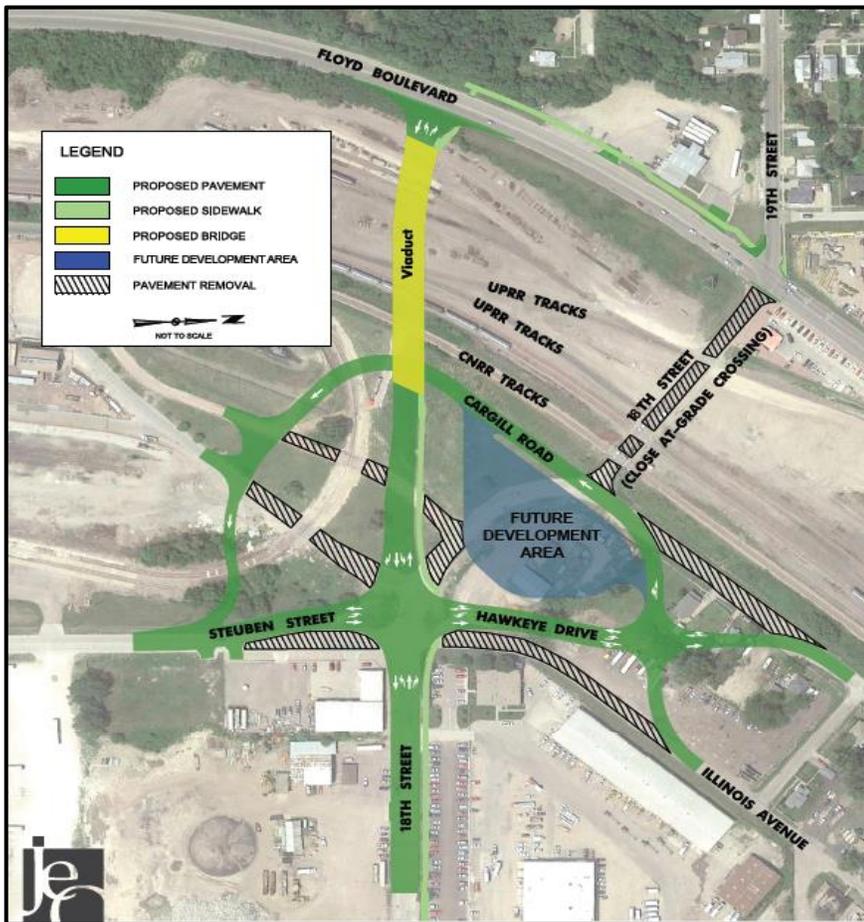
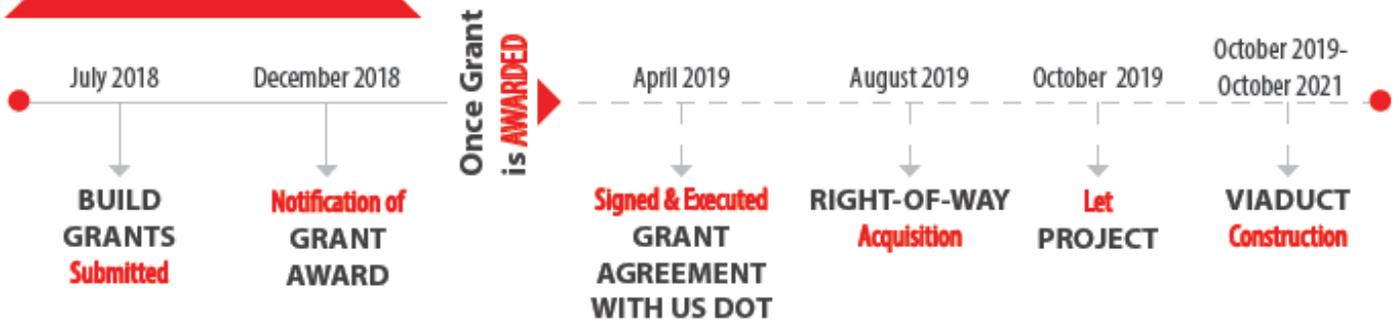
18th Street Viaduct

Sioux City, Iowa

The City of Sioux City has completed plans for a new viaduct along 18th Street, from Floyd Boulevard to Steuben Street. The proposed project will include a new 500-foot long bridge spanning the Union Pacific Railroad and Canadian National Railway railroad tracks. A segment of Hawkeye Drive and Illinois Avenue will be realigned to improve the intersection geometrics.

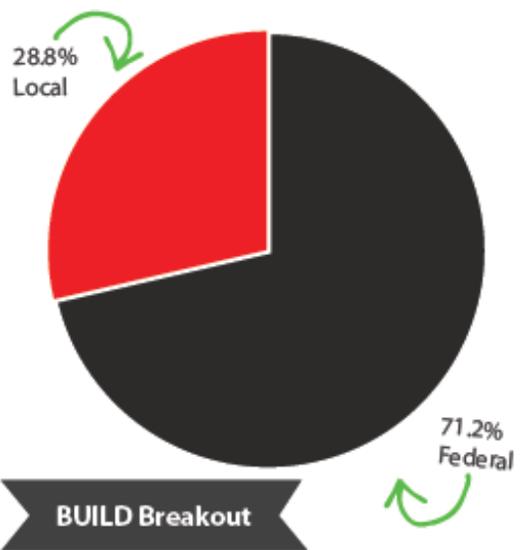
The project will result in safer and more efficient truck movement. The City will complete a grant application for the U.S. Department of Transportation's (USDOT) Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) Transportation Discretionary Grants program.

TIMELINE



ESTIMATED PROJECT COSTS

Construction, engineering, utilities, and right-of-way
 \$19.5 million
 City storm sewer/trail
 \$1.2 million
TOTAL PROJECT
\$20.7million



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