Goshen Road South (P501107)

Category Sub Category Administering Agency Planning Area

Transportation Roads

Transportation (AAGE30) Gaithersburg Vicinity

Date Last Modified

11/17/14

Required Adequate Public Facility Relocation Impact

No None

Status Preliminary Design Stage

	Total	Thru FY14	Rem FY14	Total 6 Years	FY 15	FY 16	FY 17	FY 18	FY 19	FY 20	Beyond 6 Yrs
EXPENDITURE SCHEDULE (\$000s)											
Planning, Design and Supervision	12,454	3,599	813	5,582	382	78	127	126	2,579	2,290	2,460
Land	17,010	14	0	16,996	0	0	5,721	4,846	6,429	0	0
Site Improvements and Utilities	16,556	0	0	12,556	0	0	0	0	8,520	4,036	4,000
Construction	82,582	0	0	28,158	0	0	0	0	0	28,158	54,424
Other	28	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	128,630	3,641	813	63,292	382	78	5,848	4,972	17,528	34,484	60,884
FUNDING SCHEDULE (\$000s)											
G.O. Bonds	117,911	2,637	164	54,226	382	0	3,777	4,311	15,252	30,504	60,884
Impact Tax	5,186	1,004	649	3,533	0	78	2,071	661	276	447	0
Intergovernmental	3,533	0	0	3,533	0	0	0	0	0	3,533	0
Recordation Tax Premium	2,000	0	0	2,000	0	0	0	0	2,000	0	0
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APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE DATA (000s)

Appropriation Request	FY 16	0
Supplemental Appropriation Request		0
Transfer	0	
Cumulative Appropriation		15,755
Expenditure / Encumbrances	4,439	
Unencumbered Balance	11,316	

Date First Appropriation	on FY 11	
First Cost Estimate		
Current Scope	FY 13	128,630
Last FY's Cost Estima	te	128,630

Description

This project provides for the design of roadway improvements along Goshen Road from south of Girard Street to 1,000 feet North of Warfield Road, a distance of approximately 3.5 miles. The improvements will widen Goshen Road from the existing two-lane open section to a four-lane divided, closed section roadway using 12-foot inside lanes, 11-foot outside lanes, 18-foot median, and five-foot on-road bike lanes. A five-foot concrete sidewalk and an eight-foot bituminous hiker/biker path along the east and west side of the road, respectively, are also proposed along with storm drain improvements, street lighting and landscaping. The project also entails construction of approximately 6,000 linear feet of retaining wall.

Capacity

The Average Daily Traffic (ADT) on Goshen Road for the year 2025 is forecasted to be about 26,000.

Estimated Schedule

Final design is underway and will conclude in Fall 2015. Property acquisition will start in Summer 2016 and take approximately three years to complete. Utility relocations will start in Spring 2019 and construction will begin in Summer 2020; both activities will be completed in Spring 2022.

Justification

This project is needed to reduce existing and future congestion and improve pedestrian and vehicular safety. Based on projected traffic volumes (year 2025), all intersections along Goshen Road will operate at an unacceptable level-of-service if the road remains in its current condition. The proposed project will provide congestion relief and create improved roadway network efficiency, provide for alternate modes of transportation, and will significantly improve pedestrian safety by constructing a sidewalk and a hiker/biker path. The Gaithersburg Vicinity Master Plan (January 1985; Amended May 1988; Amended July 1990) identifies Goshen Road as a major highway slated for improvement to 4-6 lanes.

Other

A more accurate cost estimate will be prepared upon the completion of final design. Expenditures beyond FY20 are as follows: FY21: \$30,884,000 for construction and site improvements; FY22: \$30,000,000 for construction and site improvements.

Fiscal Note

The funding schedule reflects the addition of \$8.184 million in GO bonds and an offsetting decrease in impact taxes in the FY15-20 period. Intergovernmental revenue is from the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission (WSSC) for its agreed share of water and sewer relocation costs.

Disclosures

A pedestrian impact analysis has been completed for this project.

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