

County Road 43 (Lexington Avenue) in Eagan

Project Update

Dakota County and the City of Eagan are working on the preliminary and final design of Lexington Avenue (County Road 43). The project is from Cliff Road (County Road 32) to Wescott Road. Construction is planned for summer 2025.

The proposed 2025 project will:

- ▶ Resurface County Road 43
- ▶ Convert County Road 43 from 4-lanes to 3-lanes between Diffley Road and Wescott Road
- ▶ Resurface trails
- ▶ Construct accessible pedestrian ramps
- ▶ Upgrade the signal system at the Diffley Road intersection

May In-Person Open House



▼ Open House #1 Recap

Open House #1 was held on May 13, 2024 with an online comment period extending to May 27, 2024.

Themes that came up multiple times include:

- ▶ Concerns regarding gaps entering and exiting Lexington Avenue
- ▶ Bicycle and pedestrian crossing safety
- ▶ Capacity concerns with a reduction in through lanes
- ▶ Traffic calming and speeding
- ▶ Intersection control at Northview Park Road

▼ Project Progress

After Open House #1, the design team has been focusing efforts on additional evaluation of the following based on what we heard:

- ▶ Intersection configuration and control at Northview Park Road
- ▶ Access management between Northview Park Road and Wescott Road
- ▶ Bicycle and pedestrian crossing improvements along the entire corridor
- ▶ Available gaps in traffic for turns and pedestrian/bicycle crossings

▼ Open House #2

Open House #2 is scheduled for December 11, 2024 at Eagan High School from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM in the Library.

The design team will share information related to:

- ▶ Infrastructure improvements to be constructed in 2025
- ▶ Concepts for a future roadway improvement project between Northview Park Road and Wescott Road
- ▶ Updated schedule and next steps