



## Farmway Rd to Middleton Rd PROJECT

This project is being funded with Transportation Expansion and Congestion Mitigation (TECM) funds as part of Governor Brad Little's Leading Idaho TECM Program. The SH-55 Farmway Road to Middleton Road Project is one of several investments statewide that allows ITD to address rapid growth and build critical infrastructure today that would otherwise take many years to build.

The Idaho Transportation Department is making plans to improve State Highway 55 (SH-55) in Canyon County from Farmway Road to Middleton Road.

### ITD'S GOALS ARE TO:

- Add capacity to accommodate growth and development in the corridor.
- Help motorists to get on and off the highway as safely as possible.
- Address the transportation needs of the area, including adding pedestrian and bicycle improvements.

## THIS SECTION OF SH-55 IS QUICKLY GROWING.

Some portions of the corridor are expected to more than double in traffic volume between now and 2045.



The crash rate on State Highway 55 in Canyon County is 11 times higher than that of the average state highway in Idaho.



Crashes in this corridor also tend to be more severe than the average Idaho highway.





## FINAL DESIGN PLANS ARE EXPECTED TO INCLUDE:

- Widening the highway to four 12 ft. wide lanes and dedicated left turn lanes at major intersections.
- Widening shoulders to 8 feet.
- Adding a raised median and right-in-right-out turns throughout the corridor.
- Adding a 10-foot bicycle and pedestrian pathway on the north and south sides of SH-55.
- Upgrading signal equipment at existing signalized intersections.
- Adding sound walls in select locations.
- Adding a frontage road near 10<sup>th</sup> Ave on the north side of the highway.

## SCHEDULE

Completed SH-55, Pear Lane to Middleton Road Study. Early 2022  
Identified the area in most need of safety and capacity improvements (Farmway Road to Middleton Road).

Developed design plans and gathered public input on improvements to SH-55 from Farmway Road to Middleton Road. Summer 2022

Present revised design plans to the public for review. Summer 2023

Finish purchasing right-of-way. Early 2024

Begin construction. 2024

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

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