

SR 99 AUXILIARY LANE PROJECT

Purpose: Improve safety and operations between State Route 32 and East First Avenue

Description: Addition of northbound (NB) and southbound (SB) auxiliary lanes on SR 99 between SR 32 and East 1st Avenue interchanges, the widening of SR 32 on and off ramps and East 1st Avenue on and off ramps. Included in the widening for the East 1st Avenue NB off-ramp will be the provision for dual left turn lanes to facilitate the turning movements of existing northbound traffic to westbound traffic on East 1st Avenue and the widening of East First Avenue

Funding: Regional Improvement Program (RIP)

Sponsoring Agencies: Butte County Association of Government (BCAG)
City of Chico
Butte County
California Department of Transportation

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Status:

The consultant has prepared final Plans, Specifications and Estimate (PS&E) for a Phase 1 project. The Phase 1 project will develop full improvements to the northbound off ramp from 99 to East First Avenue and partial improvements to the East First Avenue intersection. The remaining work would be accomplished under a Phase 2 or Phase 2 and 3 project scenario.

Next Phase:

Begin Plans, Specifications and Estimate for Phase II and III project and acquire right of way for both additional phases.

Schedule:	Construction Phase I	Spring 2008
	Final PS&E Phase II and II	Fall 2008
	Acquire Right of Way	Fall 2010
	Begin Construction II and/or III	Spring 2011

Cost: Phase I. Estimated at \$7 million
Phase II and III Estimated at \$35 - \$40 million