

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The Iowa DOT completed an Interstate Location Study which evaluated the existing I-35/80/235 System Interchange and associated corridors in all directions to adjacent interchanges.

The Study confirmed the need to reconfigure the interchange to replace loops with flyovers, add lanes, and arrange priority movements to minimize weaving traffic and accommodate rapidly increasing traffic volumes.

For more information related to this project, please visit: www.iowadot.gov/pim



PURPOSE & NEED

The purpose for this project is to remove the existing SB I-35/80 to EB I-235 Loop and replace it with a 2-lane flyover bridge. Route continuity will also be provided by properly arranging I-35 and I-80 corridors with driver expectations.

The needs within the project include:

- Improve performance and safety within weaving segments along SB I-35/80, WB I-80/235, and EB I-235 corridors.
- Increase vehicle capacity on the interstate routes through the system, especially during peak hours.
- Correct geometric deficiencies to further improve traffic operations.

SW I-35/80/235 INTERCHANGE RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT



PROJECT SCHEDULE

	2016-2021	2021-2023	2024	2025	2026-2029
Data Collection	█				
Preliminary Design		█			
Public Information Meeting			★		
Environmental Review			█		
Appraisals			█		
Right-of-Way Negotiations				█	
Right-of-Way Acquisitions				█	
Final Design			█	█	
First Bid Letting					★
Construction					█

PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

APRIL 11, 2024

