

## **County Highway 96 and Minnesota Trunk Highway 10 Interchange Construction**

The intersection of Highway 96 and Highway 10, which has long delays and a high crash rate, is scheduled to be reconstructed as a grade-separated interchange in 2013.

Under the approved plan, Highway 96 will be lowered approximately 20 feet and bridges constructed to carry Highway 10 over it. Ramps will be built to provide access from westbound Highway 96 to northbound Highway 10 and from southbound Highway 10 to Highway 96.

Portions of Old Snelling Avenue (County Highway 77) and Lakeshore Place will be rebuilt to fit in with the interchange. The Prior Avenue intersection will be rebuilt with a permanent traffic signal installed there.

Noise walls will be built along the north side of Highway 96 west of Highway 10 to provide relief from traffic noise at the Arden Manor manufactured home park and a sidewalk will also be built along the north side of Highway 96. A multi-use trail will be built along the south side of Highway 96.

Construction of this project was planned for 2012, but will be delayed until 2013 to help move traffic through the City of Arden Hills during the Interstate Highway 694/Highway 10/Snelling Avenue interchange project that is now underway. Highway 96 will be closed to through traffic for approximately three months during the Highway 694/Highway 10/Snelling Avenue interchange project.

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