

CH 21/TH 13 Reconstruction Project

# PROJECT FACT SHEET

#### **ABOUT THE PROJECT**

Scott County, in coordination with the City of Prior Lake and the Minnesota Department of Transportation, is planning intersection improvements on County Highway (CH) 21 and State Highway (TH) 13 in Downtown Prior Lake. This intersection has been identified as needing improvement due primarily to mobility concerns, but also in regards to safety concerns associated with existing and forecasted traffic.

The project will include evaluation of and potential improvements to intersections in close proximity to the CH 21/TH 13 intersection, in particular CH 21/Main Avenue. It will also take into consideration traffic impacts on surrounding streets, including impacts on pedestrian safety and accessibility.

The focus of this effort will be on Downtown Prior Lake, with a corridor visioning exercise completed for the segment of CH 21 from CH 82/154th Street to Franklin Trail.



## PROJECT APPROACH

The short and long term corridor improvements developed through this project will reflect the transportation needs of both the region and the local community. Efforts will include:

- Establishing the goals and objectives for the corridor
- Defining the issues and potential opportunities along the corridor
- Developing and evaluating potential infrastructure improvement alternatives
- · Reaching consensus on recommendations

#### PROJECT SCHEDULE

**Open House #1** - June, 29 2017 *Issues and Goals, Project Overview* 

**Open House #2** - October 2017 *Project Alternatives and Options* 

**Open House #3** - November 2017 *Recommended Alternative* 

**Open House #4** - Mid-2018 *Preparation for Construction* 

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### **PROJECT GOALS**

- Enhance vehicle mobility on major transportation corridors
- Maintain and enhance local roadway system
- Safely accommodate all users
- Provide a comprehensive network for nonmotorized transportation that is compatible with the major transportation corridors
- Provide infrastructure improvements compatible with the natural and human environment
- Develop a financially responsible plan
- Preserve and enrich the character of Downtown Prior Lake









