Welcome to the Warrenton Main Avenue at 9th Street Safe Routes to School Open House

Tuesday, June 7, <mark>2022</mark>

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What is being planned?

New walkways on both sides of Main from 9th Street to 10th Place

Improved intersection and curb ramps at Main and 9th

LED streetlighting to improve night-time visibility

Push-button activated crossing flashers ("Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacons") Improved driveways along Main Ave.

New stormwater facilities

How much will this cost, and what's the funding?

The total project cost is estimated as \$520,000 - \$630,000. The State Safe Routes grant received in 2020 covers \$360,000 - \$370,000 of the cost. The remainder will need to come from the City. Considerations include:

- Ask City Commission to increase project budget to cover full cost
- ✓ Just do the west sidewalk with enhanced crosswalk crossing Main at 10th Place (saves \$140,000 to \$160,000)
- ✓ Bid the east side sidewalk as an "alternate" hoping for favorable bids
- Delay part or all of the project hoping materials costs will come down



How does the Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon Work?

Step 1: Push the Button



How does the Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon Work?

Step 2: Wait for flashing lights to start and for cars to stop, then safely cross.

What is the schedule?

Finalize design and go to bid by mid-July

Intersection improvements by mid-Fall

Walkways by late-Fall.

Flashing beacons late this year

Wrap up work by end of the year