

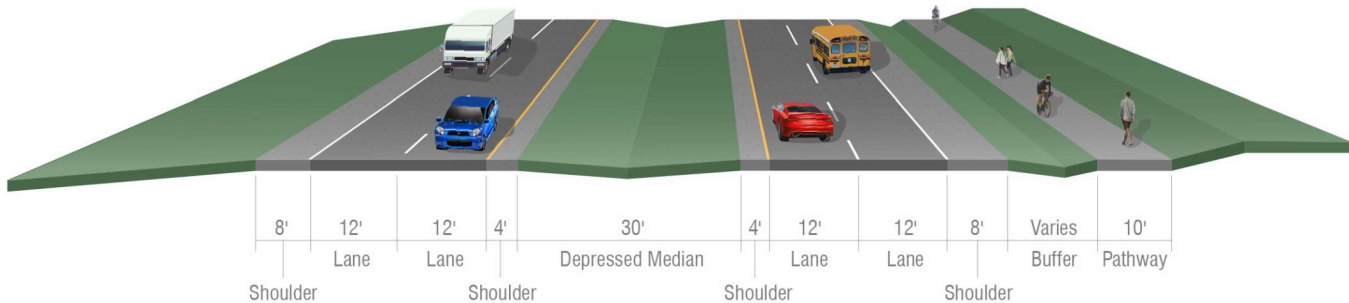


## Project Update | April 2022

State Project No. Z524640000; Z517170000  
Federal Project No. 052516



Figure 1: Proposed Typical Section - Looking South



## PROJECT OVERVIEW

DOT&PF is developing two projects to reconstruct Knik-Goose Bay (KGB) Road between Centaur Avenue and Settlers Bay Drive. KGB Road has congestion, poor performance, and high collision rates. This effort will expand the corridor to a four-lane, divided roadway with a separated multi-use pathway on the north side that will allow KGB Road to function more efficiently with fewer delays, more capacity, fewer crashes, and increased safety.

## DESIGN UPDATE

This is DOT&PF's highest priority project. Project design for Phase 1 (Centaur Avenue to Fairview Loop) is complete. DOT&PF is preparing contract documents for bidding and construction award is anticipated mid-summer 2022. View the design at [knikgoosebay.com](http://knikgoosebay.com). Project design for Phase 2 (Fairview Loop to Settlers Bay Drive) is anticipated to be completed in spring 2024.

## RIGHT OF WAY

DOT&PF right of way staff have worked closely with property owners on acquisitions in the four mile segment between Centaur Avenue and Fairview Loop. All of the property acquisitions for Phase 1 have been completed. Acquisitions for Phase 2 are anticipated to be completed in 2024.

## UTILITY COORDINATION

Due to the significant amount of utility relocation required in the corridor, DOT&PF has worked closely with representatives from GCI, MTA, MEA, ENSTAR, and the City of Wasilla on final utility design for Phase 1 of the project. Utility agreements for Phase 1 have been prepared and are under review. Utility agreements for Phase 2 are anticipated to be completed by 2024.

## POINT OF CONTACT:

**Tom Schmid, P.E.**  
DOT&PF Project Manager  
(907) 269-0543  
[tom.schmid@alaska.gov](mailto:tom.schmid@alaska.gov)

**Jovie Garcia**  
DOWL Public Involvement  
(907) 562-2000  
[jgarcia@dowl.com](mailto:jgarcia@dowl.com)  
[knikgoosebayroad@alaska.gov](mailto:knikgoosebayroad@alaska.gov)

Additional information and updates can be found on the project website:

[www.knikgoosebay.com](http://www.knikgoosebay.com)

Figure 2: Construction Phasing Plan



## CONSTRUCTION PHASING & PROJECT TIMELINE

To expedite delivery and minimize inconvenience to the traveling public, businesses and residents, construction of the two projects will be phased over several seasons, as shown in figures 2 and 3. Phase 1 construction, from Centaur Avenue to Fairview Loop, is anticipated to start in mid-summer 2022. Phase 2 construction, from Fairview Loop to Settlers Bay Drive, is anticipated to start in 2024.

Figure 3: Project Timelines

