

# Golden State Boulevard Corridor Project Fact Sheet

## Project Scope

This “complete streets” project is located on Golden State Boulevard, a 14.1 mile stretch of historic Highway 99 generally from American Avenue in Fresno County south to Mission Street in the City of Kingsburg. The project area will pass through the cities of Fowler, Selma, and Kingsburg, and some unincorporated areas in Fresno County, but within the sphere of influence of one of the three cities. Improvements will include: pavement rehabilitation; intersection signalization and turning lanes; sidewalks, crosswalks and median improvements; street lighting; drainage facilities; buffered bike lanes; landscaping, and; provisions for connectivity to potential future ATP projects. All four local agencies have been fully involved in developing this project and its various features.



City of Kingsburg – Golden State Boulevard and Draper Street

## Cost

Local Partnership Program funding of \$7 million will be used toward the construction phase, with a total cost of \$47 million. The remaining funding will come from the local Measure C sales tax.

## Schedule

Final PS&E and other bid documents are scheduled to be complete by November 2020, with advertising within the 20/21 Fiscal Year.

## Benefits (outputs/outcomes)

This project will improve Golden State Boulevard’s condition and safety, as well as its cross streets and numerous Union Pacific Railroad crossings. It will eliminate roadway and sidewalk flooding during rain events, and improve bicycle and pedestrian safety. It will help to stimulate affordable housing and economic development along the corridor by beautifying key entry points into the communities, and by softening the industrial nature of Old Highway 99.

These benefits will result in quality of life improvements and create better economic opportunities for the rural area’s residents.