

2021 Rebuilding American Infrastructure with Sustainability and Equity (RAISE) Grant

Information about the RAISE Grant program is available here.

DRCOG requests that all RAISE grant requests in the Denver region be submitted for Transportation Advisory Committee (TAC) review at the June 28, 2021 meeting for information and discussion – not approval.

DRCOG will not provide letters of support for any project not presented at this meeting or that are not consistent with the 2050 Metro Vision Regional Transportation Plan.

Please submit this form to ckennedv@drcog.org by 12:00pm June 18, 2021.

Agency: City and County of Denver, Department of Transportation and Infrastructure

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Project Name: Washington Street Livability Improvements

Project Limits: Washington Street from 47th Avenue to 52nd Street

Project Description:

Washington Street is a major but worn north-south vehicle and truck route located just north of downtown Denver. It is also the physical spine of the Globeville neighborhood, a once thriving community that has suffered from nearly century-old transportation and land use decisions. The goal of the Washington Street Livability Project (Project) is to not only repair a roadway which is critical to the regional economy, but to convert it to a community asset. The Project includes full reconstruction of Washington Street from 47th Avenue to 52nd Street and the implementation of a modernized and more efficient lane configuration. But it also features widened sidewalks, bicycle paths, energy-efficient lighting, streetscaping treatments, and improved access to transit. Once implemented, the Washington Street Livability Project will serve to return this regional arterial for safe and convenient use by Globeville residents, and spur further community and economic development objectives.

Total Project Cost: \$50.5M

RAISE Grant Funding Request: \$25M