



**Sahara Avenue (Rainbow Blvd. to I-15)
Safety Management Plan
Community Conversation**

Wednesday, May 29, 2019
11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m. and 4:30 - 6 p.m.

Rainbow Family Park
7151 W Oakey Blvd.
Las Vegas, NV

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WELCOME!

Thank you for attending this Community Conversation regarding the proposed safety improvements along Sahara Avenue between Rainbow Blvd. and I-15. The Sahara Avenue Safety Management Plan (SMP) is a transportation planning effort that focuses on improving traffic safety for all road users. The SMP process is consistent with the Nevada Strategic Highway Safety Plan's goals of reducing the number and severity of roadway crashes in the state. The Sahara Avenue SMP study area extends approximately 4 miles along Sahara Avenue between Rainbow Blvd. and I-15. This corridor experiences significant crashes exceeding statewide averages for similar facilities.

NDOT is offering two sessions for your convenience. The first session is offered from 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. and the second session from 4:30 - 6 p.m. Interactive displays describing the safety improvements are available for you to view and discuss with project representatives. Please take this opportunity to ask questions and discuss this study with them. During this Community Conversation, and through **Wednesday, June 12, 2019**, your comments are welcome regarding the proposed improvements to this corridor.

PROVIDE YOUR COMMENTS:

- **TODAY (IN PERSON):** You may speak with a project representative who will document your comments.
- **TODAY (IN WRITING):** You may fill out the comment form attached to this handout and deposit it in the comment box or give the completed form to one of the project representatives.
- **BY MAIL:** You may write a letter or mail your completed comment form; these will become part of the official public record for the study. Mail your comments to: Lori Campbell, Project Manager, Nevada Department of Transportation, 1263 S. Stewart St., Carson City, NV 89712.
- **BY E-MAIL:** E-mail your comments to lcampbell@dot.nv.gov. Please reference "Sahara Avenue SMP" in the subject line. E-mail comments will also be accepted until 5 p.m., June 12, 2019.

Thank you for attending this Community Conversation and for giving us your comments.





Sahara Avenue Safety Management Plan Rainbow Boulevard to I-15 Fact Sheet



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STUDY GOAL

Provide safety improvements to enhance safety for all roadway users.

STUDY SCHEDULE

The study is scheduled to be completed in the Summer of 2019.

PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS

- Restripe shared bus/bike lane with buffer
- Install speed feedback signs
- Install Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon (RRFB) at Las Verdes Street
- Install median islands for access management
- Pedestrian fencing in medians adjacent to select crossings to discourage crossing outside marked crosswalks
- Reconstruct curb ramps and pedestrian crossings to comply with Americans with Disabilities Act and Public Rights-of-Way Accessibility Guidelines
- Reconstruct westbound to northbound right turn at Rainbow Boulevard
- Adjust signal phasing along the corridor to control speed

NDOT has prepared an interactive map to illustrate the concepts under study. Please visit www.nevadadot.com/safety/safety-management-plans-smp to learn more.

For more information, questions, or to submit comments, please contact:
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