

# **Community Impacts:**



25% of near by residents do not have a personal vehicle



200,000 jobs are accessible via transit along the 1-35W corridor



**42%** of students at Bursville high school are people of color



6,000 jobs are accessible via transit along Highway 13 corridor

# Minnesota Highway 13 & Nicollet Avenue Mobility Improvement Project Burnsville, Minnesota

The Highway 13 and Nicollet Avenue intersection is considered one of the most important for transit access in the southern Minneapolis/ St Paul metropolitan region, with two regional transit stations nearby and immediate access to Interstate 35.

#### **On-going Partnerships between:**













#### **Today's Issues:**

- Highway 13 is a Principal Arterial and a significant barrier to Burnsville's downtown and adjacent Minnesota Valley Transit Authority and MetroTransit stations
- Highway 13 is a parallel reliver route to I-494
- This route provides safety and transit access improvements within a DOT recognized historically disadvantaged census tract and several environmental justice populations were engaged during the Highway 13 Corridor Study
- Intersection operations are failing today and cannot accommodate 44,000 AADT (+6,000) by 2040
- 75 crashes from 2018-2022 (5x's statewide fatal crash rate average)
- 3 pedestrian crashes since June 2022, including 2 fatal and one serious injury



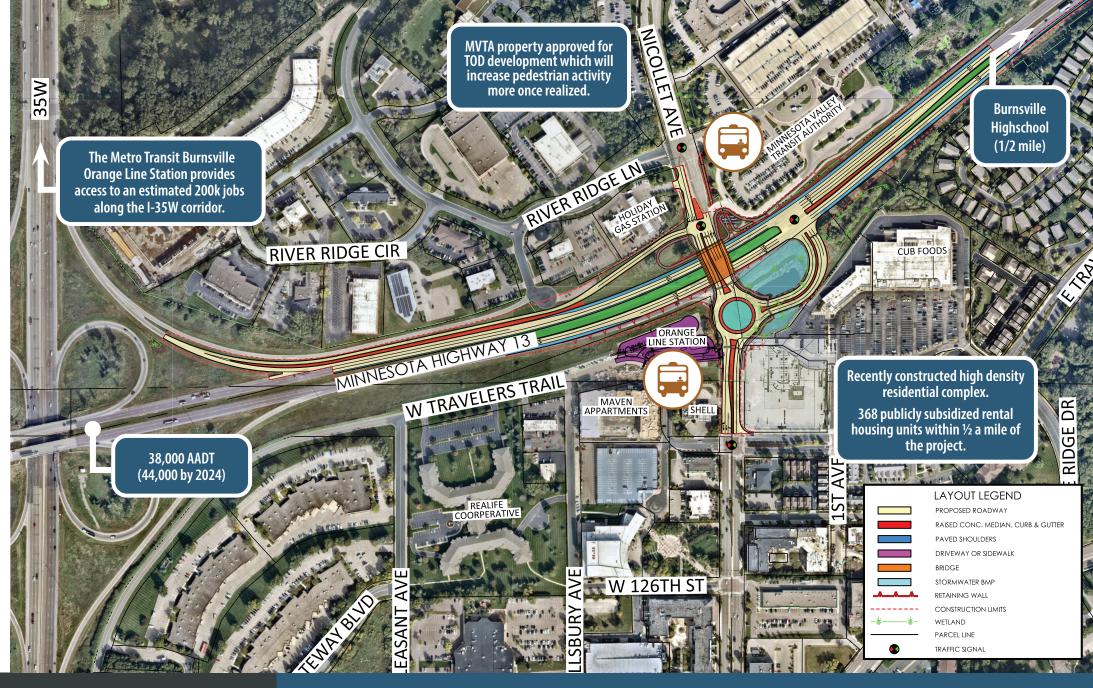
To learn more about this project scan the QR code or visit:
burnsvillemn.gov/2300/Hwy-13-and-Nicollet-Mobility-Improvement



### **Funding Need:**



**Past & Current Pursuits:** FY22 Reconnecting Communities, FY's 21-24 RAISE **Committed Funds:** \$1M City/County, \$3.9M MN State Bonding Bill, \$4.4M MnDOT Corridors of Commerce Award, \$3M Community Designated Funding, \$10M Metropolitan Council Regional Solicitation Award



# **Proposed Improvements:**

- A grade separated crossing of Nicollet Avenue over Highway 13
- Pedestrian interaction with high-volume/high-speed Highway 13 traffic is eliminated
- New and improved local system connections reduce conflict points, slow local traffic, and improve operations
- Defined gateway to Burnsville's downtown business district and two adjacent regional transit hubs
- Enhanced stormwater management

A BCA of 5+ outweighs the cost of construction and the proposed solution will provide an overall crash reduction of 55%

## **Project Schedule:**

