

HWY 23 & HWY 9

ROADWAY SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS NEW LONDON

Project Summary

- » The Minnesota Department of Transportation has received special safety funding to construct a J-turn, at the intersection of Hwy 23 & Hwy 9 in New London.
- » This project also includes dedicated left turn lanes into the Country Stop and Concrete Products of New London.
- » Additional safety improvements for people who walk and bike will be made between 75th St NE (near the NL-S Middle School and High School) and 3rd Ave SE. Several bump-outs and a mid-block crossing median are planned to enhance safety.
- » The retaining wall along the Mill Pond Bridge will be repaired. Sidewalks will be replaced and brought up to current ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) standards between 1st Ave SW and 2nd Ave SW.
- » Kandiyohi County is planning the realignment of CR 40 to Hwy 9 in addition to a pedestrian underpass beneath Hwy 23 to connect CR 40 to Hwy 9.



Project Location

- » Intersection of Hwy 23 & Hwy 9:
 - J-turn intersection
 - Pedestrian underpass (Kandiyohi County)
 - Realignment of CR 40 (Kandiyohi County)
- » Hwy 9 (75th St. SE to 3rd Ave SE):
 - Dedicated left turn lanes
 - New sidewalks between 1st Ave SW and 2nd Ave SW
 - Bumpouts and a mid-block crossing median between 75th St. NE and 3rd Ave. SE
- » Mill Pond Bridge:
 - Repair retaining wall

Project Cost

- » J-turn improvements - \$2.1M (MnDOT)
- » Hwy 9 safety and pedestrian improvements - \$0.2M (MnDOT)
- » Pedestrian underpass - \$1.5M (Kandiyohi County)
- » Note that all costs are approximate

Project Timeline

- » 2022 construction season

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Project Benefits

- » Enhanced safety and mobility for motorists
- » Enhanced safety for people who walk and bike

Planned Roadway Safety Improvements near Hwy 23 & Hwy 9 in New London



J-turn at the intersection of Hwy 23 and Hwy 9

Future County Road 40 realignment with a cul-de-sac at old County Road 40 (project led by Kandiyohi County)

Pedestrian underpass beneath Hwy 23 for people walking and biking

Highway 9 safety improvements for walkers and bikers near the New London-Spicer High School

Dedicated left turn lanes on Hwy 9 near the Country Stop and Concrete Products of New London