42nd St Pedestrian Safety Improvements

Intersections of: Stevens Ave, 3rd Ave, 4th Ave, 10th Ave, 15th Ave, Bloomington Ave

Minneapoli City of Lakes

Project Overview

This project will improve pedestrian safety and ADA access at six intersections along 42nd St in South Minneapolis: 42nd St at Stevens Ave, 3rd Ave, 4th Ave, 10th Ave, 15th Ave, and Bloomington Ave. These six intersections address gaps in safe crossing points along the corridor, improve connections to two parks along the route, and are spaced to help address vehicle speeding. 42nd St was previously identified as a high injury street in the City's Vision Zero Action Plan but is still in need of pedestrian safety improvements to remain off the list of high injury streets in the future.

Project Location



Project Goals

The goals of this project include:

- Reduce speeding cars & dangerous driving
- Improve pedestrian safety and ease of crossing the street
- Increase access to neighborhood destinations
- Enhancing traffic signals to improve pedestrian safety
- Set the foundation for improved bike infrastructure for future projects

Project Schedule



Reported Crashes

Reported crashes by travel mode on 42nd Street between Stevens Avenue and 17th Avenue (2014 - 2023)

Bicycle	Reported crashes 5	% Crashes with injuries 60%
Motor Vehicle	195	12%
Total Crashes	200	13%

Source: Minnesota Department of Transportation (2024)

Existing Conditions



42nd St & Stevens Ave



42nd St & Bloomington Ave

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