



City of Kenmore Completed Projects

Project Name: SR 522 Phase 2, 73rd Ave to 83rd Ave

Project Location: SR522 73rd Ave to 83rd Ave

Project Completed: 2010

Project Cost: \$29M

Project Description: This project widened SR 522 for Business Access and Transit (BAT) lanes and provided access management, widened 80th Avenue for a turn lane and bicycle lanes, demolished existing Bridge No. 522/20 and constructed a new bridge, installed new traffic signals at 77th Court NE, 80th Avenue NE, and 83rd Place NE, provided traffic signal interconnect, illumination, curb/gutter, sidewalks, landscape strips, landscaped medians, storm drain improvements, and converted aerial utilities to underground

Background: An SR522 corridor study was performed by the Washington State of Transportation in 2000. From the study, the overall project cross-section was developed. This projects purpose was to reduce congestion, improve operations, and make SR522 a safer, more effective regional transportation corridor that included multimodal opportunities.

The Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) had identified this section of SR522 as a high accident corridor and high accident location with three pedestrian accident locations at the intersections of 61st, 73rd, and 80th Avenues. Three of the twelve highest pedestrian accident locations in WSDOT's Northwest Region (King, Snohomish, Skagit and Whatcom counties) were located on SR522 in Kenmore.



Improvements



Previous Condition