# I-205: Exit Ramps at Division Street

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## Addressing safety at I-205 and SE Division Street

This busy East Portland interchange has seen a high number of crashes in recent history. From 2012-2016, there were 241 crashes reported at the intersection of I-205, SE Division Street, and SE 96th Avenue. This put the intersection on the top five percent priority list for statewide safety improvements due to the number and severity of crashes. In 2021, ODOT will construct safety improvements to reduce conflicts between travelers and reduce crashes in this area.

### **Project safety elements**

- New lane configurations on the I-205 north off-ramp to Division Street will create separate lanes for left turns, through traffic and right turns to 96th Drive to reduce conflicts. The ramp currently has two right turn lanes and a combination left turn/through lane.
- **Traffic signal upgrades** at the intersection of SE Division Street and SE 96th Drive will give left turns their own dedicated signal.
- A new corner shape at the southeast corner where the I-205 north off-ramp meets Division Street and 96th Drive will slow right turning traffic and increase safety for people crossing the intersection.
- New lane configurations on Division Street westbound will create two dedicated left turn lanes from westbound Division to the on-ramp to I-205 south and one lane for through traffic on Division to reduce conflicts.
- **New curb ramps** will improve safety and accessibility for all users in the area, including those with disabilities.
- Buffered bike lanes on Division Street will create space between bicycles and vehicles, reducing conflicts.

### **Project schedule and impacts**

Construction will begin in late March and continue through late 2021. The project schedule is subject to change. **See the other side of this page or visit the project website for more details about expected construction impacts.** 

Most of the work for this project will take place at night with some daytime work as well. Residents may near nighttime noise in the area from typical construction equipment. **To report nighttime noise concerns, call the 24/7 noise hotline for the project at 503-294-1328.** 

### **PROJECT AREA MAP**



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# Reducing crashes, increasing safety for all users

ODOT is getting ready to improve safety for all users at the I-205 and SE Division Street interchange by reconfiguring lanes and adding intersection safety features to reduce conflicts between users and reduce crashes.

See the other side of this page for a project area map and more information about project safety improvements.

# **Construction impacts**

There will be daytime and nighttime work for this project, with most work happening at night to reduce daytime traffic impacts. Traffic impacts will include:

- Nighttime single lane closures on I-205 and the I-205 on- and off-ramps at Divison Street between 9 p.m. and 8 a.m.
- Nighttime one or two lane closures on Division Street between 9 p.m. and 8 a.m.
- Sidewalk closures with accessible detours for pedestrians.
- One 24/7 closure of the I-205 north off-ramp to Division Street for up to one week.
- Limited nighttime full closures of the I-205 ramps between 10 p.m. and 5 a.m. with detours.
- Limited short-term nighttime intersection closures at Division Street and 96th Avenue for up to 20 minutes at a time.
- Bike lane closures. Bicycles will share the road with cars.
- · Daytime shoulder closures in the project area.

Travelers should expect short delays in the area during construction. For the most up-to-date traffic impacts, visit **www.TripCheck.com**.

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# Construction begins soon at I-205 and SE Division Street

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