



OR 34: Van Buren Street Bridge

Design Phase

SUMMARY

The Van Buren Bridge Project will design and construct a seismically-resilient eastbound bridge on Highway 34 over the Willamette River.

The bridge will include two lanes for motor vehicle traffic and a multi-use path for separated bicycle and pedestrian use across the bridge.

WHEN WILL CONSTRUCTION BEGIN?

No construction will take place during design phase, which is scheduled to be done by September 2021. Bridge construction is expected to begin in 2022. We'll let you know what is happening as plans and work move forward, and want to hear your thoughts and concerns.

FIELD WORK HAPPENING NOW

Over the next few months you may see crews surveying, collecting information on existing roads and structures, and locating utilities. Crews may need to access some properties west of the river (near the bridge in downtown Corvallis) and will reach out to property owners.

WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO THE EXISTING BRIDGE?

Through summer 2019 the project will build upon past studies and conduct federally required historic resource processes to determine what will happen to the existing bridge. There will be opportunities for you to share your thoughts during the process and information will be regularly updated on the project website.

BUDGET

Design Process: \$9 million
Construction: \$60 million

How to get involved

- Visit the project website to get the latest information and sign up for email updates: VanBurenBridge.com.
- Watch for open-house events, presentations to community groups and officials, and outreach to business/property owners.

PROJECT AREA MAP

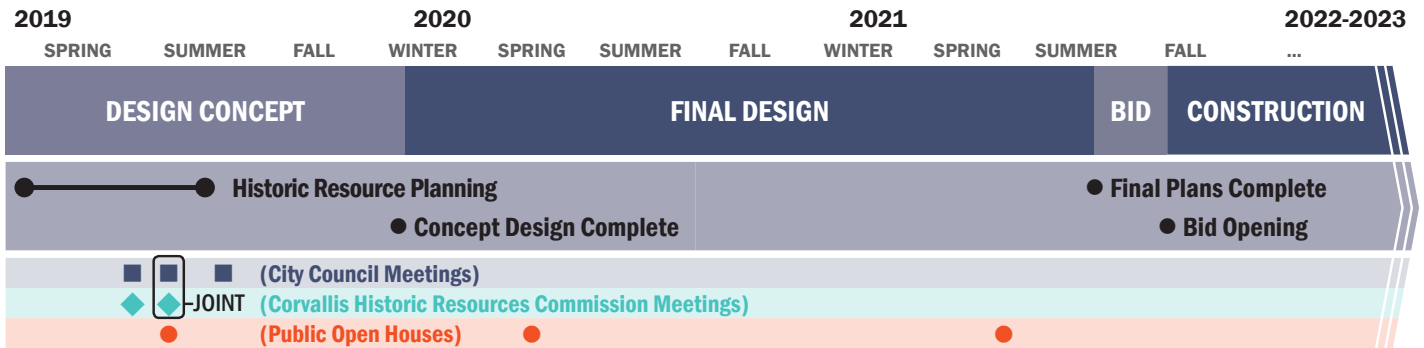




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PRIOR WORK Final Environmental Impact Statement: 1979-1983
Plans are Revived: 2004
Environmental Baseline Report: 2005
Bridge and Roadway Alternatives Report: 2005
Existing Traffic Conditions Report: 2008-2009
Project Starts: February 27, 2019

Construction Complete ●
Approx. 2-2½ Years After Bid Opening

Questions or Comments?

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