

## Welcome!

The purpose of today's meeting is to present conceptual alternatives, answer questions and receive your feedback.

### Project Background

Cole Creek is an urban channel with a history of flooding and flood-related issues. As a result, the City of Omaha, in partnership with the Papio-Missouri River Natural Resources District (NRD), has conducted several projects to reduce the flood risk along this channel corridor. The Cole Creek Improvements at Hillside Drive is the next phase of work planned.

### Project Description and Purpose

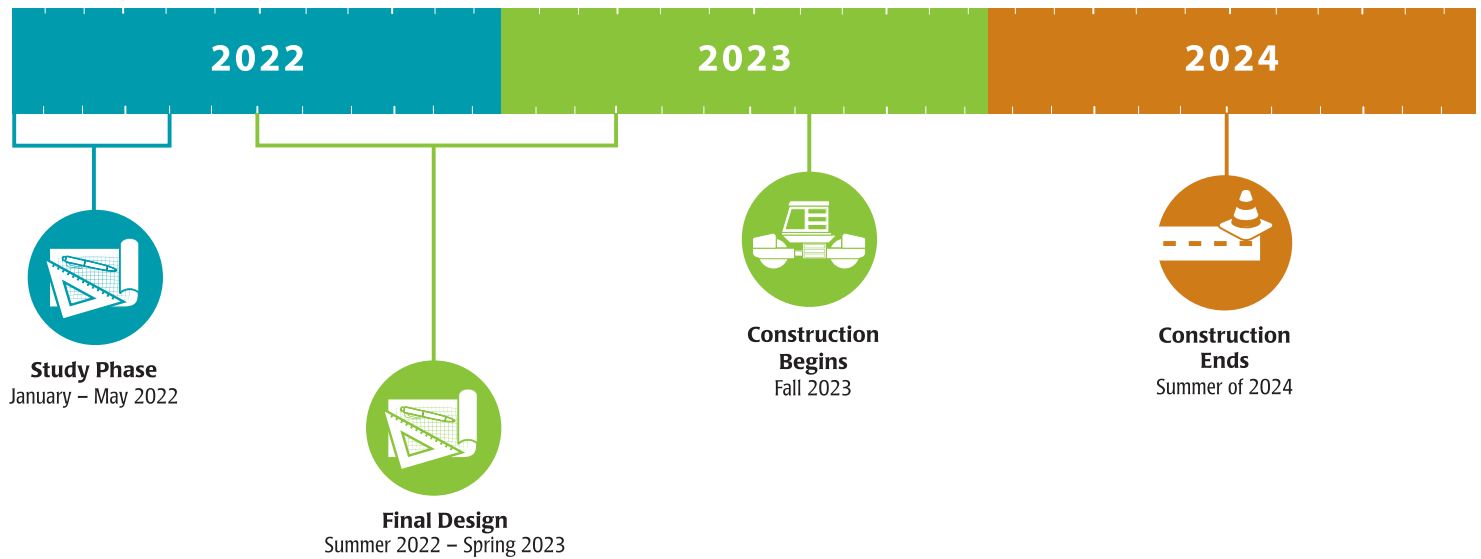
The project will involve the removal or replacement of the existing Hillside Drive culvert to reduce flood risk to upstream properties and public rights-of-way. Stream improvements between Seward and Blondo Streets will be made to protect private property, public infrastructure, and provide safe conditions. Conceptual stream improvement alternatives include bank stabilization measures and grade control that together will help to mitigate unsafe conditions caused by steep, eroding banks. The Cole Creek improvements will reduce City maintenance requirements and enhance the function of the stream.

### City Recommendation

The City's preferred alternative for the improvements is to remove and not replace the existing culvert, thus removing the associated section of Hillside Drive and connection to Cole Creek Drive. The vehicular crossing would then be replaced by a pedestrian bridge that would span Cole Creek.



# Project Schedule



## Contact Us

- Please contact Justin Zetterman at the email address listed below with any questions or comments to the project.

## Queries

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## We want your input!

There are several opportunities to provide input or ask questions of the Project team:



Complete a comment form  
at today's meeting



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