### Accelerated Implementation Plan for the Orangethorpe Corridor Railroad Grade Separation Projects

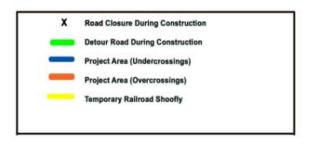
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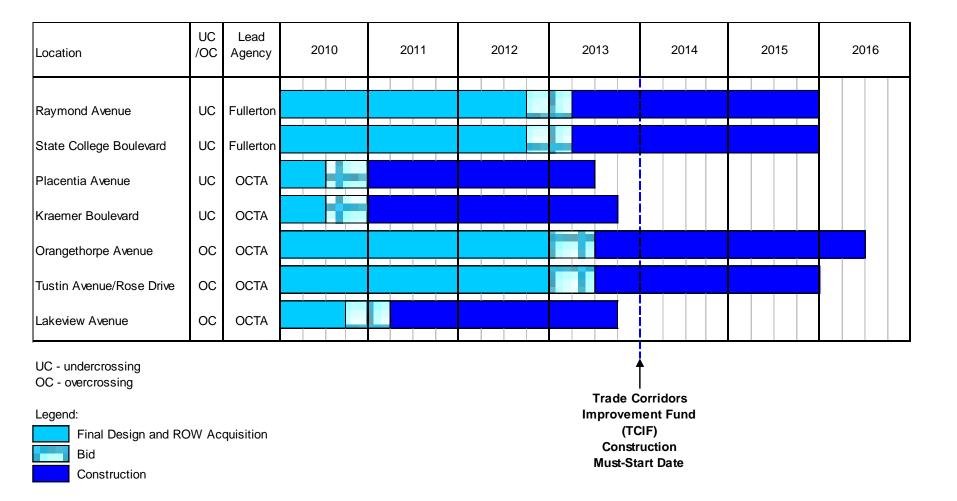
# Program Overview

**BNSF Corridor Railroad Grade Separation Projects** 

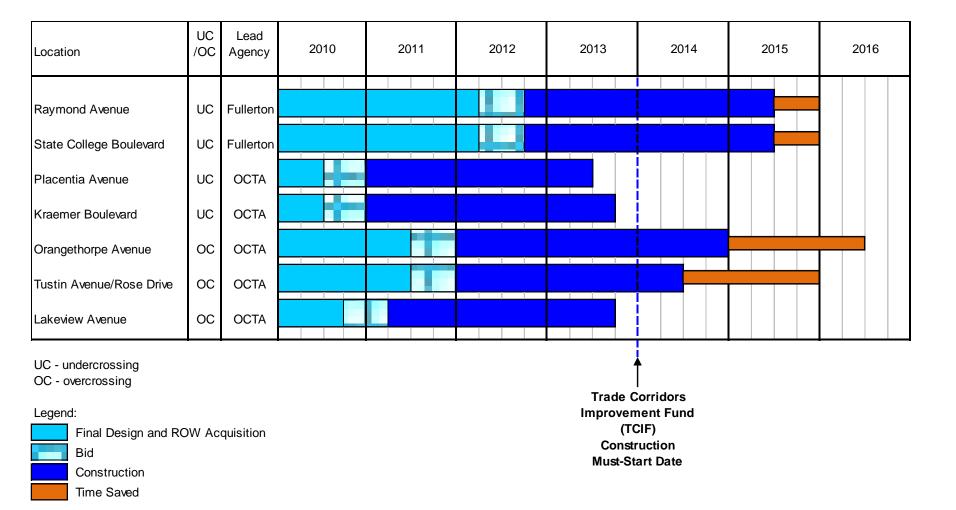




#### Baseline Schedule



#### Concurrent Schedule



## Acceleration Analysis

- Acceleration Options
  - Concurrent construction
  - Sequential with acceleration
- Acceleration Considerations
  - Traffic & environmental analysis
  - Outreach

## Traffic Impacts

- Concurrent Construction
  - Deficient intersections double
  - Wait time at signals > 3 light cycles
  - Traffic diverted through neighborhoods



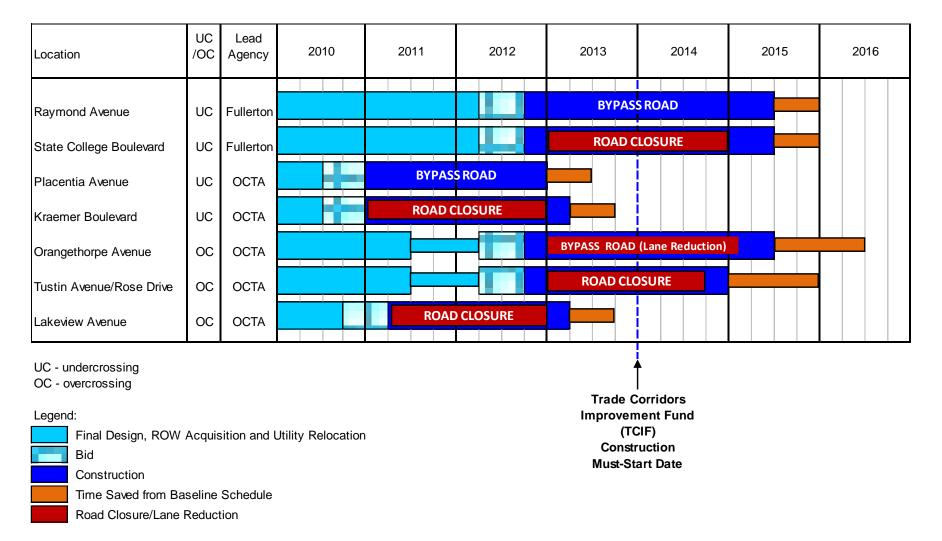
## **Environmental Impacts**

- Change in Sequencing or Closures
  - Traffic, air quality, or community impacts
- Re-evaluation and Re-circulation
  - 9-month to 18-month review and approval
  - Delay to Kraemer underpass & Lakeview overpass

#### Outreach

- Emergency Responder Meetings
  - Response time reduced to unacceptable levels
- City Managers
  - Access to business
  - Emergency response
  - Neighborhood traffic impacts
- BNSF
  - Limited to four closures among three counties

#### Accelerated Schedule



## Proposed Implementation Plan

- Accelerated Schedule
  - Overlap start and completion of projects
  - Shorten construction durations
  - Maintain sequential street closures
  - Complete design and right-of-way phases early for second-phase projects
  - Start construction of last project well before funding deadline