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# New Interchange

I-69 and 106th Street

Fishers, Indiana









### Need









#### Why a new interchange?

- Identified in 1999 and 2008 Thoroughfare Plans
- Additional east/west corridor through Fishers
- Additional interstate access (grow commercial tax base)
- Heavy congestion at 96<sup>th</sup> and 116th
- Help defer improvements at other interchanges
- Provide additional options for emergency responders

### Need

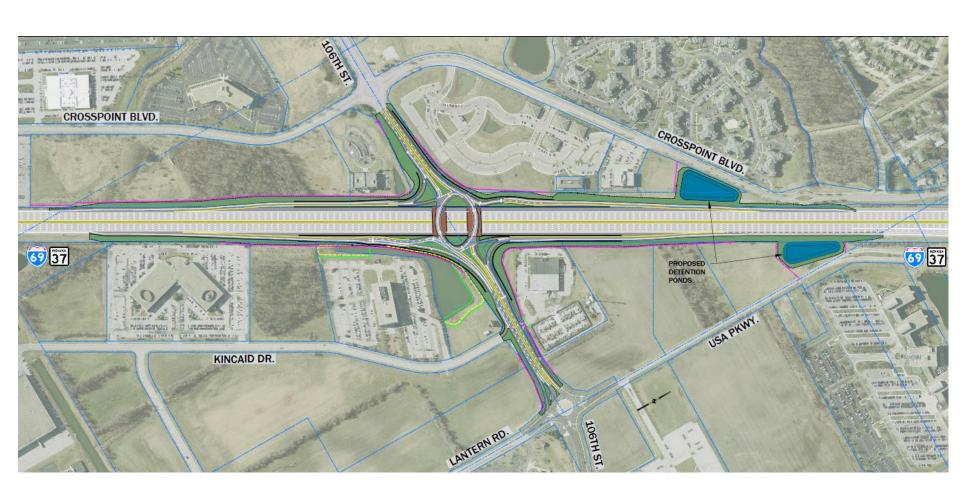








### Why a new interchange?











#### How to start the project?

#### **Traffic Study**

- Confirm need
- Spacing of interchanges worked (barely)
- Little impact to interstate operations
- Improvement to adjacent interchanges

#### **Funding**

- INDOT approved with local support
- City of Fishers: \$8 million
- Hamilton County: \$2 million
- Overall budget: \$25 million









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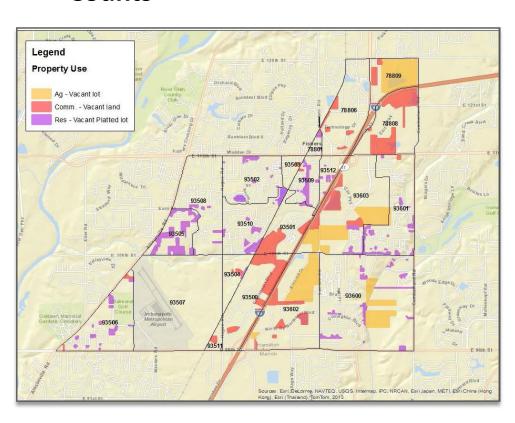


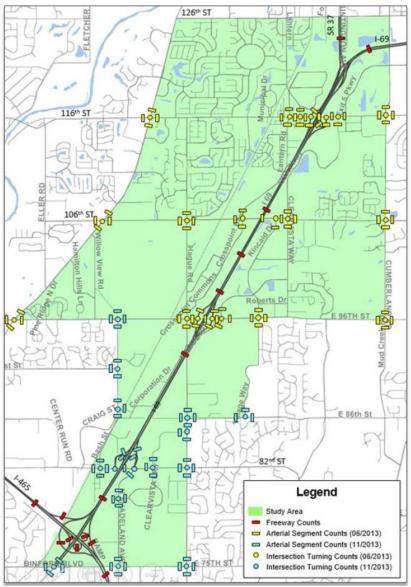




#### **Interstate Access Document**

- Land Use
- Counts













#### **Interchange Access Document**

#### **Modeling**

- MPO TransCAD travel demand model
- Transmodeler Traffic Simulation Model
- Capacity Analysis (HCS and SIDRA)

#### **Results**

- Tight Diamond: \$31.3 million
- Single Point: \$36 million
- Roundabout: \$33.9 million
- Diverging Diamond: \$35 million









#### **Selected Interchange**

#### **Oval Roundabout**

- Roundabouts at Crosspoint and USA Parkway
- INDOT, FHWA Indiana, FHWA Resource Center
- Gateway feature for City
- Most cost effective roundabout option

**Still Budget Concerns!!** 

























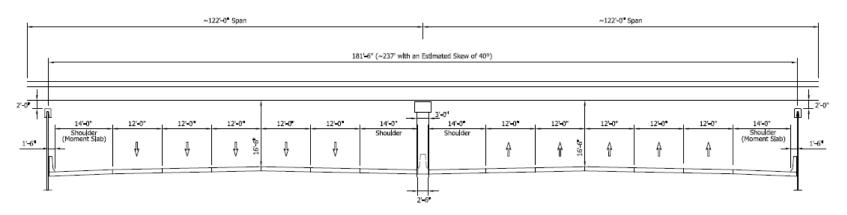


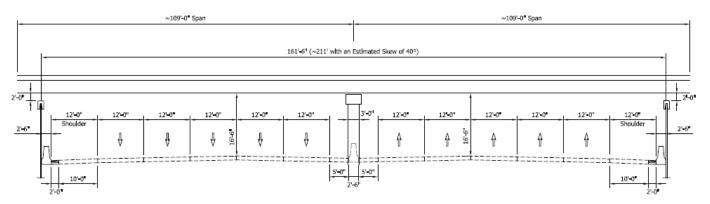




#### How to reduce costs?

Reduce span length over I-69







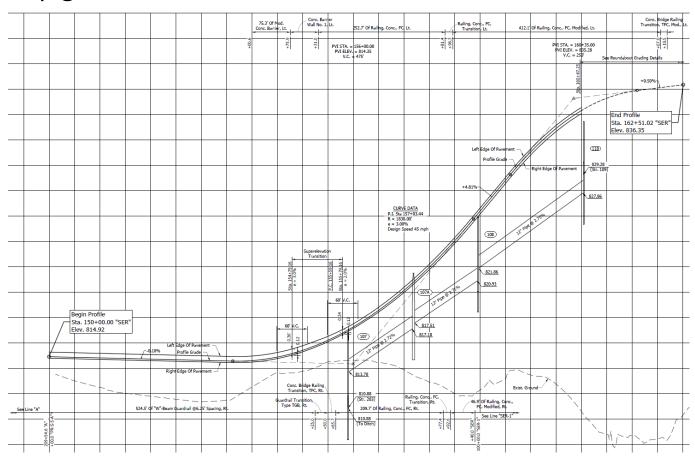






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Maximize ramp grades





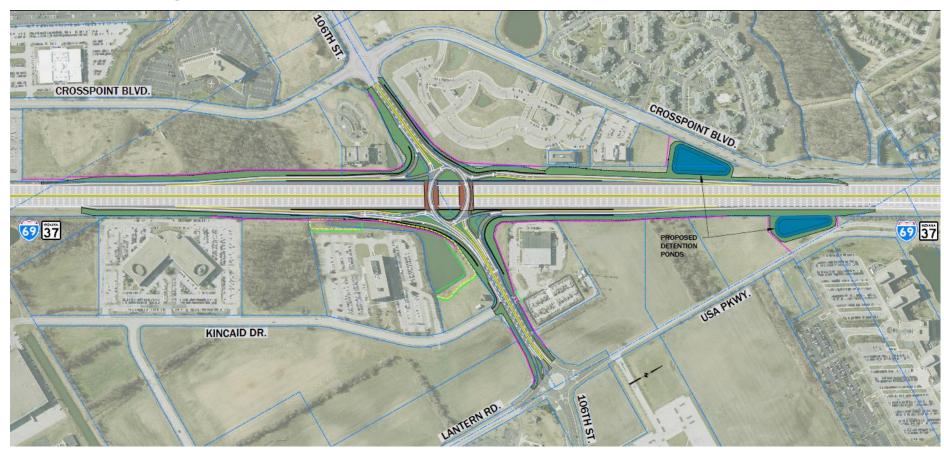






#### How to reduce costs?

Reconfigure detention











#### How to reduce costs?

- Reduce ramp shoulders
- Tighten up bypass lane geometry
- Pedestrian Path on north side only
- 11 foot lanes on 106<sup>th</sup> Street
- Eliminate center curb
- Close 106<sup>th</sup> Street during construction

Budget reduced by \$3.0 million. Final costs \$30.9 million.

Inter-governmental agreement amended. INDOT and Fishers provided additional funding.





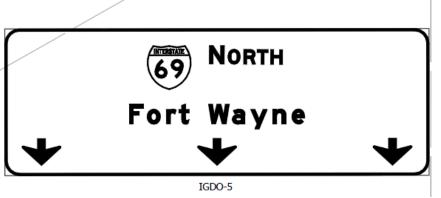




#### How to reduce costs?

Signage and CD without barrier

106th St ½
116th St ¾
NORTH 1¼
Campus Pkwy
Southeastern Pkwy









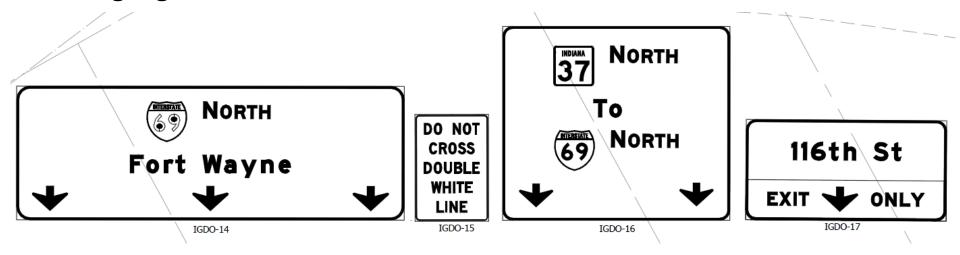


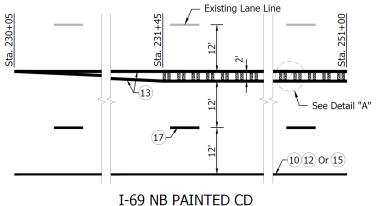




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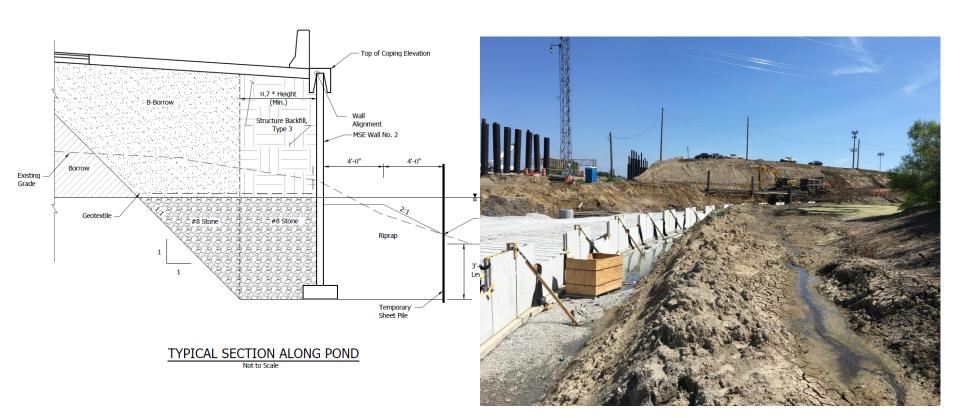






#### What had to be overcome?

- Pond interaction w/ wall
- Pond mitigation











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#### **Utilities:**

- Duke Transmission
- AT&T
- Water Main
- Sanitary Sewer Force Main Relocation

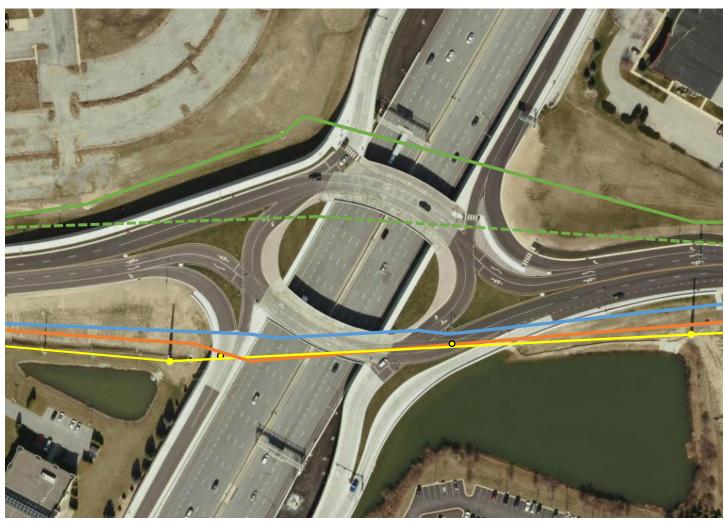








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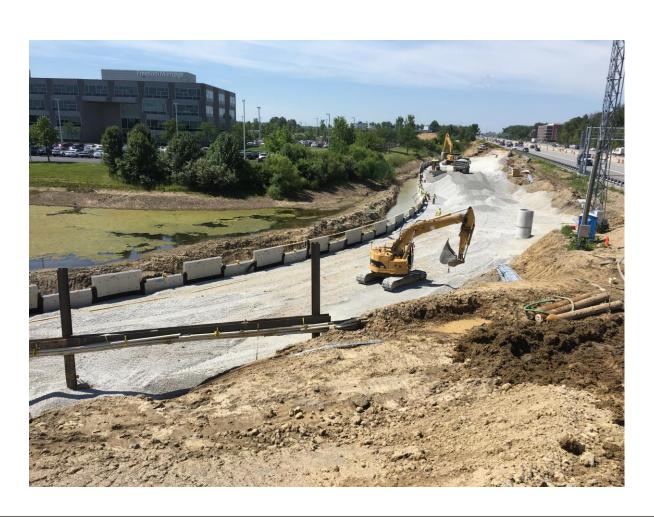




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AT&T Duct in MSE Wall Fill





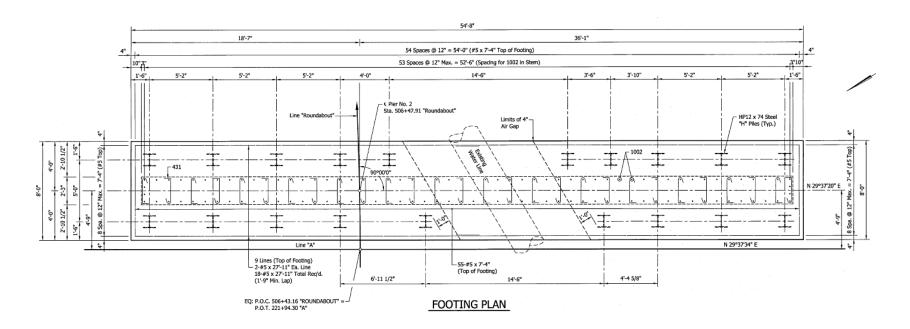






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- Water Main Under Pier Foundation
  - Foundation designed so piles could be located around from the ex water main











### **Orientation and Design Considerations**



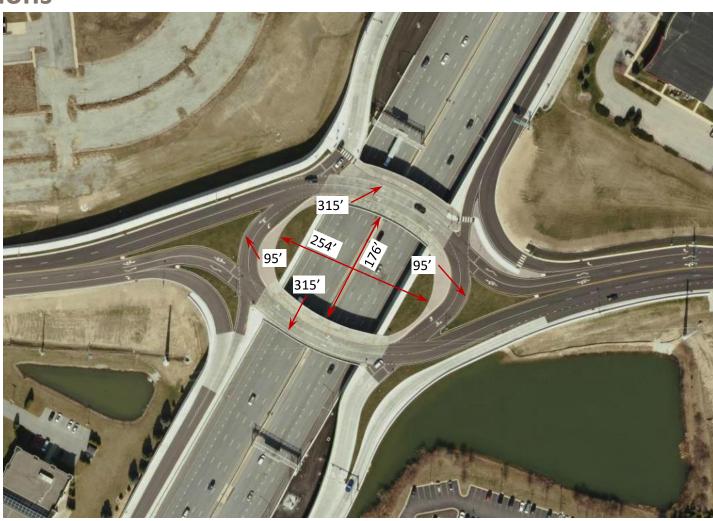








#### **Dimensions**



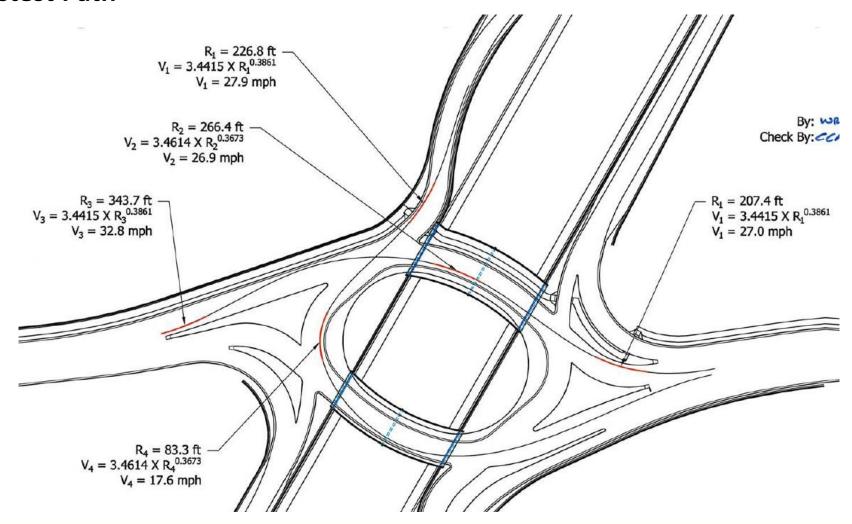








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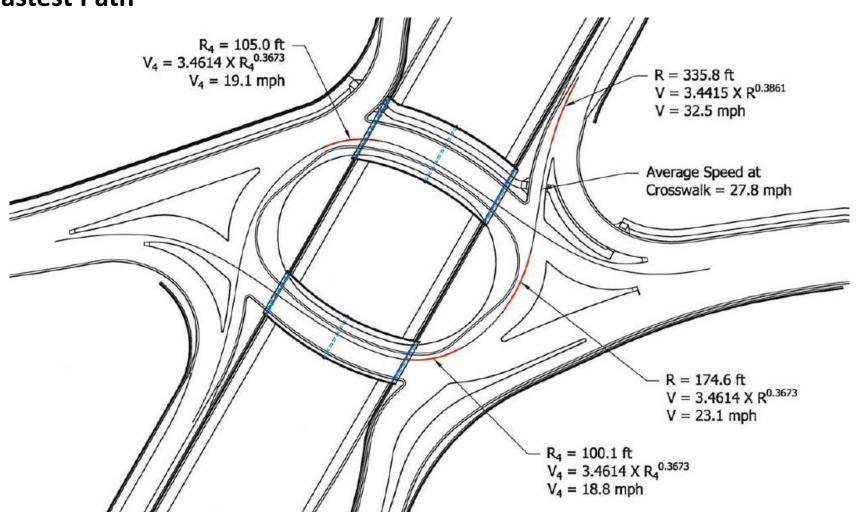








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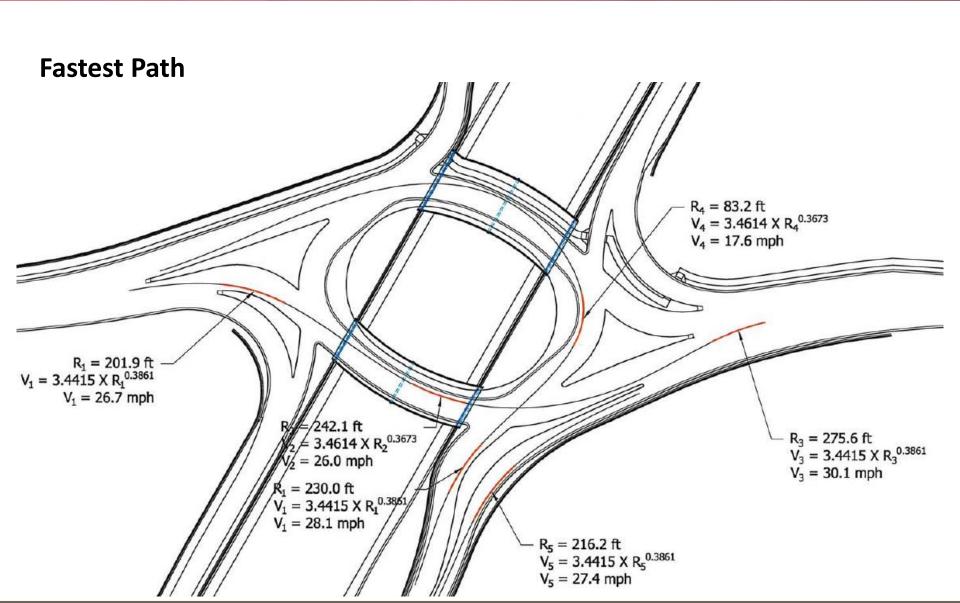












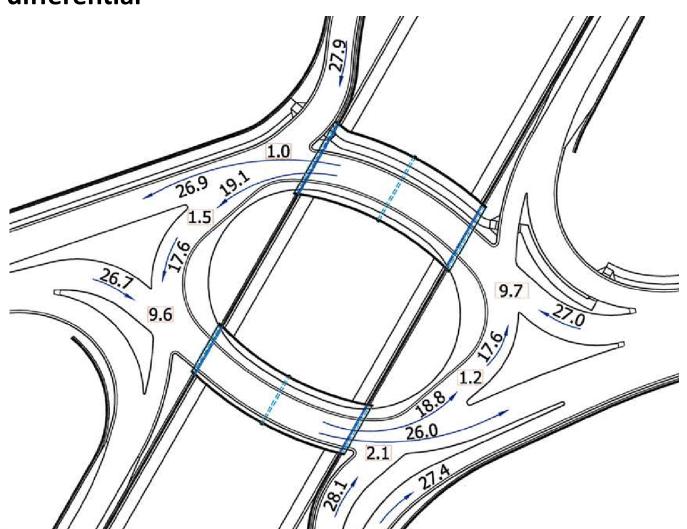








#### **Speed differential**



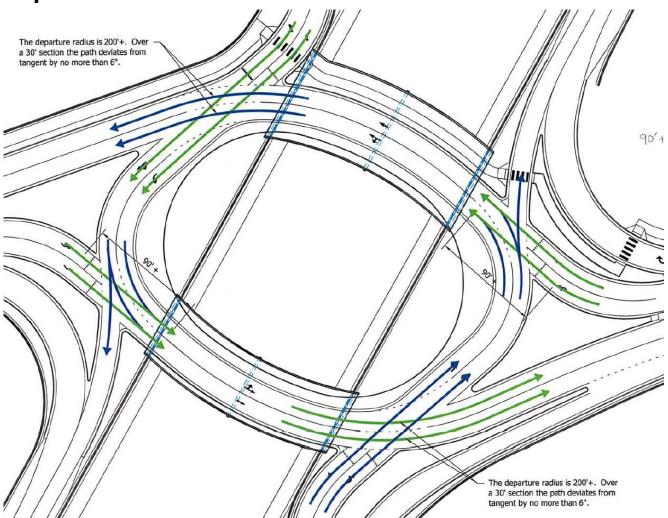








#### Path overlap



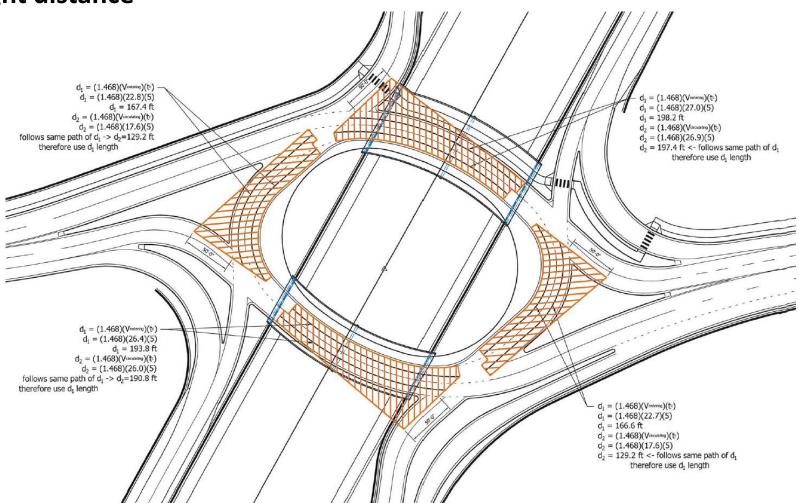








#### **Sight distance**



## **Operation**









How does it work? – Only 3 accidents in 15 months of operation











### I-69 and 106th Street

**In Operation** 

# Thank You!

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