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## OPEN HOUSE FOR HWY 99 REVITALIZATION & GATEWAY PROJECT (STAGE 2)

**(Edmonds, WA)** - The City of Edmonds invites you to attend an online open house to discuss the **Highway 99 Gateway & Revitalization, Stage 2 Project**. The open house will take place via Zoom on Thursday, February 25, 2021 at 5:30pm and is open to the public. The link for the Zoom can be found online here.

The objective of this project is to design and construct safety improvements and gateway signage along Highway 99 (throughout Edmonds), between 244th Street SW and 210th Street SW, consistent with the Conceptual Plans developed in the **Highway 99 Gateway- Revitalization Stage 1 planning project.** 

This project will convert the existing two-way left turn lane to a raised median with mid-block left turn pockets along certain sections, as well as landscaped raised median and C-Curb along other sections in order to improve safety along the entire corridor. In addition, a High-Intensity Activated Crosswalk (HAWK) signal is proposed just north of 234th Street SW to provide an additional pedestrian crossing and improve pedestrian safety along the corridor.

Gateway signs will also be added at each end of the City of Edmonds frontage on Highway 99 to help travelers identify the City limits of Edmonds and establish a consistent look that will be extended in future projects along this corridor.

For more information including a clickable link to the open house Zoom meeting, visit edmondscorridor99.org.

If you have difficulty understanding English, you may, free of charge, request language assistance services for this project information by contacting Mr. Bertrand Hauss at <a href="mailto:bertrand.hauss@edmondswa.gov">bertrand.hauss@edmondswa.gov</a> or calling at (425)754-5325.