

STUDY BACKGROUND

The South Dakota Department of Transportation (SDDOT) is conducting a corridor study of 278th Street in Lincoln County in South Dakota from S.D. Highway 115 to S.D. Highway 11.

The study will focus on the traffic impacts from the planned South Dakota Department of Corrections (DOC) Men’s Prison Facility. The SDDOT is working to identify and meet the transportation infrastructure needs for current and projected traffic growth generated by the planned DOC facility. The SDDOT is developing a plan to identify the necessary transportation infrastructure improvements and timeline for implementation to address those needs.


This study builds upon previous studies, forecasts, and analyses to identify any additional needs and update timelines for implementation. The study includes traffic data collection and forecasts, traffic operations analysis, crash history review, environmental review, concept development and evaluation, public engagement, and recommendations.

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<https://www.278thstreetstudy.com>

STUDY OBJECTIVES




Determine future traffic volumes generated by the planned correctional facility



Develop recommendations for 278th Street corridor modifications



Analyze traffic operations and safety with and without traffic generated by the planned correctional facility



Create environmental screening and corridor study reports, which will provide guidance on how to implement recommended modifications

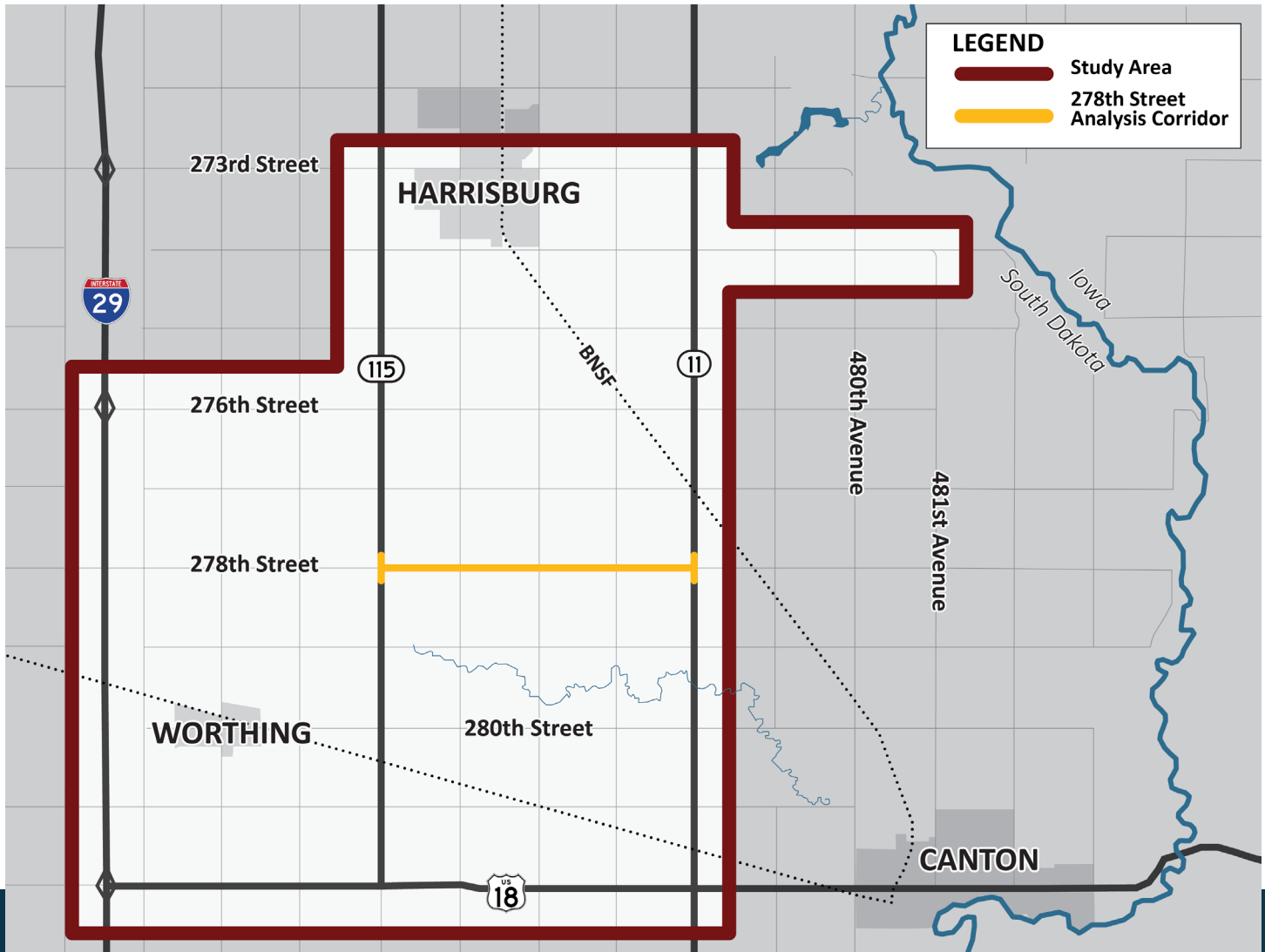


Develop and evaluate concepts to address potential operational needs

STUDY TIMELINE

2024						2025				
JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY
Data Collection and Analysis							Develop preliminary Recommendations		Draft Report	Final Report
		Develop, Evaluate, and Refine Transportation Concepts						Develop Report		
Environmental Review										
						Public and Stakeholder Meetings #1		Public and Stakeholder Meetings #2		

STUDY AREA MAP



Written comments will be accepted at the public meeting open house and on the study website until **Tuesday, Jan. 21, 2025.**

STUDY WEBSITE



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