



ELWERT-KRUGER INTERSECTION PROJECT

PROJECT BACKGROUND



The Elwert-Kruger project was selected at the request of the City of Sherwood with support from Washington County.

The existing intersection, which is in close proximity to Hwy 99W, regularly experiences traffic congestion resulting in inefficiencies. This project proposes to realign Kruger Road with Elwert Road and install a roundabout approximately 500 feet north of the existing intersection.

The roundabout project was a concept the City decided upon in 2004 and became a priority project in the City's updated and adopted Transportation System Plan. Funding from the County's Major Streets Transportation Improvement Program will allow the project to advance forward.

A roundabout at the intersection will improve traffic flow, enhance safety, and provide a gateway feature as traffic enters the city limits from the north and west. Improvements to roads near the roundabout include sidewalks, a combined pedestrian/bike path, streetlights, drainage and landscaping. The Kruger Road leg of the intersection will remain a local rural roadway with two travel lanes.

Upgrades to the Hwy 99 intersection will also be considered in coordination with ODOT.