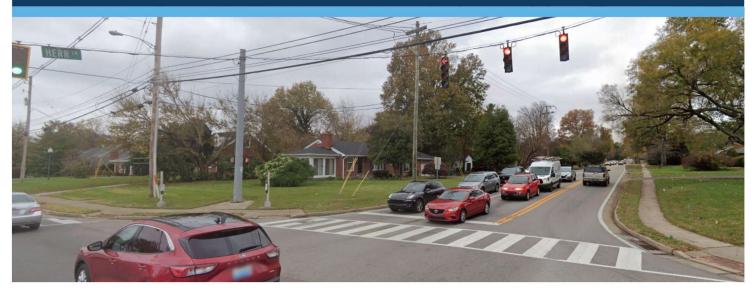
KY 2050 (Herr Lane)Proposed Roadway Improvements



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PROJECT OVERVIEW & PURPOSE

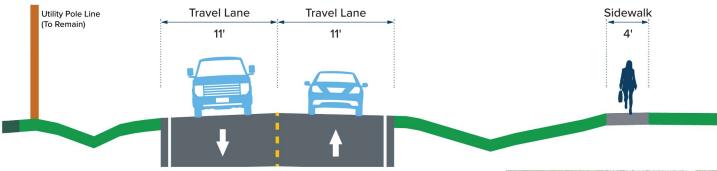
KY 2050 (Herr Lane) is a key transportation corridor, providing access to nearby neighborhoods, commercial areas, and major arterials such as US 42 and KY 1447 (Westport Road). It also serves as an access route for several nearby schools, including Ballard High School, Kammerer Middle School, Wilder Elementary School, and St. Albert the Great.

KY 2050 (Herr Lane) is classified as a minor arterial and, within the project corridor, consists of two lanes with limited pedestrian facilities. One signalized intersection currently exists at KY 2050 (Herr Lane) and KY 1447 (Westport Road).

The purpose of the KY 2050 (Herr Lane) improvement project is to improve mobility and vehicular access, and enhance safety between Glen Arbor Road and KY 1447 (Westport Road). To accomplish this, KY 2050 (Herr Lane) will be widened and pedestrian facilities improved to create a safer environment for all users.



EXISTING CONDITIONS

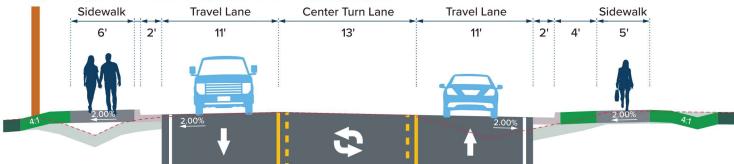


KY 2050 (Herr Lane) experiences traffic delays near the busy KY 1447 (Westport Road) intersection, especially during morning and afternoon rush hours. Limited turn lane space causes traffic backups, affecting both KY 2050 (Herr Lane) and nearby neighborhood streets. These backups also contribute to a high number of rear-end and angle crashes in the area.

Sidewalks are available on the east side of KY 2050 (Herr Lane) within the project area, along with a marked crossing at Graymoor Road. However, there are no sidewalks on the west side between Graymoor Road and KY 1447 (Westport Road), forcing pedestrians to walk along the roadway, through yards, or cross to the east side for a safer path. Drainage is managed by roadway ditches and entrance pipes at each driveway.



PROPOSED ALTERNATIVE DESIGN



KY 2050 (Herr Lane) will be widened to three lanes to create a center turn lane. Other features include curb and gutter, sidewalks on both sides, reconstructed driveway entrances and drainage improvements. The project will also consider constructing a right-turn lane from KY 2050 (Herr Lane) onto KY 1447 (Westport Road).

