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47th & East Avenue & Indiana Harbor Belt Grade Separation

Location

47th Street at East Avenue
La Grange, IL

Daily Trains Affected

76 freight trains

Scope of Work

The project will consider eliminating the at-grade crossings of 47th Street and East Avenue by three tracks of the Indiana Harbor Belt Railroad. This will be accomplished by creating either an overpass or underpass for vehicles at this location.

Benefits

Daily, a total of 31,000 vehicles pass through the two crossings. This project will reduce roadway congestion and improve safety at this location. The grade crossing separation will eliminate delay to over 6,100 vehicles daily, resulting in alleviation of nearly 77,000 annual motorist hours of delay. It will also eliminate the potential for collisions between vehicles and trains.

Communities Benefited:

- La Grange, Brookfield, and McCook, IL

Project Status

Phase I – NEPA – Preliminary Design (30% Design)	Phase II – Final PS&E*	Phase III - Construction
Pending Funding Availability		



Project Location Map



Existing Condition: Vehicles are delayed on 47th Street and East Avenue

