



# HIGHWAY 84

• EAST OF NORRIS CORRIDOR STUDY •

The Montana Department of Transportation (MDT) wants to make Highway 84 safer.

In alignment with MDT's Vision Zero goal of zero deaths and zero serious injuries on Montana highways, MDT is conducting the Highway 84 - East of Norris Corridor Study to explore feasible safety solutions.

## WHAT IS A CORRIDOR STUDY?

Corridor studies are conducted early in the planning process. Once a roadway with a traffic problem is identified, a study is conducted to develop feasible solutions to the specific problem.

On highway projects such as Montana Highway 84, this process is especially critical. MDT not only must consider how to solve the current need; we have to consider roadway function years into the future.

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# WHAT SOLUTIONS ARE BEING EXPLORED?

Highway 84 has many curves with poor sight distance. To make this road safer, engineers are exploring ways to flatten curves and increase the amount of roadway a driver can see. Below are some of the main ideas we are exploring, but other ways to improve Highway 84 exist. Please contact us with your feedback.



## CARVE INTO LANDSCAPE OPTION

Flatten curves by cutting into the hills around the curves



## RE-ALIGN ROAD INCLUDING BRIDGE OPTION

Adding a bridge across the water to create a straighter route



## TUNNEL OPTION

Straightening the road by creating a tunnel through the hillside



## RE-ALIGN ROAD TO GO AROUND MOUNTAINS OPTION

Re-designing the road so that it goes around hills/mountains



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