

### Vasquez/E. 60<sup>th</sup> Avenue Improvements

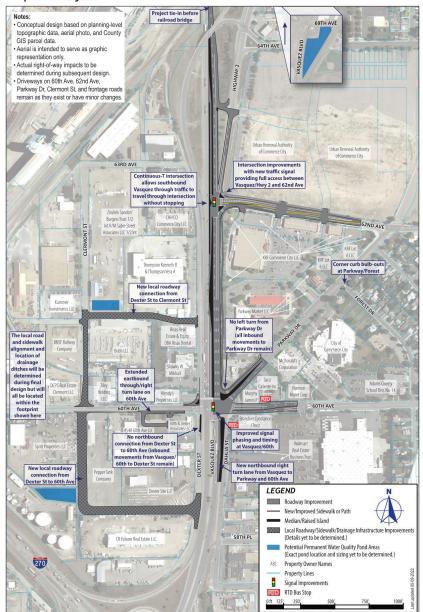
IGA Amendment August 21, 2023

#### **Purpose**

- The purpose of the Vasquez/E. 60<sup>th</sup> Avenue Transportation Improvements include:
  - Improve operations
  - Improve mobility
  - Improve safety for vehicles and freight at the I-270/Vasquez Boulevard Interchange
  - Improve the connection to the Vasquez Boulevard/E. 56<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Vasquez/E. 60<sup>th</sup> Avenue intersections
  - Improve transportation connectivity for all modes of travel



#### **Proposed Project**



# E 60<sup>th</sup> Ave & Vasquez Blvd. Project



#### Overview

#### Project History

- Planning and Environmental Linkage (PEL) Study completed in 2018
- IGA with CDOT for Design executed in 2021 (C3 share \$1.5M)
- Congressional Directed Spending request (\$4M) in April 2022
- Design for Vasquez/E. 62<sup>nd</sup> Accelerated as Package 1
- CMGC Delivery Method Contracting with Jalisco
- Project is fully funded (\$28.2M) with completion of this IGA amendment



#### **Funding**

- Funding
  - \$21,700,000 (DRCOG/CDOT)
  - \$6,500,000 (Commerce City)
    - \$1.5M CIP
    - \$800k HUTF
    - \$200 General Fund
    - \$4M Congressional Direct Spending
  - Total = \$28.2 Million



#### **Next Steps**

- CDOT continuing with design
- FHWA final review: Aug. 28 Sept. 15
- 30-day public review: Oct. 30 Dec. 1
- Finding Of No Significant Impact (FONSI) signature: end of Feb. 2024
- Bid long lead items June 2024
- Begin construction Q1 2025





## Questions?