



95th Street & Union Pacific Grade Separation

Fact Sheet

Project Number: GS21a

Location: 95th St. at Eggleston Avenue (between State and Halsted Streets) in the City of Chicago

Scope of Work: The project will consider eliminating the at-grade crossing of 95th Street and two UP railroad tracks. Amtrak also operates on these tracks. This will be accomplished by creating either an overpass or underpass for vehicles using 95th Street at this location.

Daily Trains Affected:

- 24 freight trains
- 2 Amtrak

Benefits: Daily, 27,500 vehicles and 885 CTA and Pace buses (#N9, 95W, 108, 112, 352, 359, and 381) pass through the crossing. This is also a state designated truck route.

This project will reduce roadway congestion and improve safety at this location. The grade crossing separation will eliminate delay to nearly 3,800 vehicles daily, resulting in alleviation of 44,000 annual motorist hours of delay. It will also eliminate the potential for collisions between vehicles and trains.

This crossing is designated a City of Chicago “911 Critical Crossing.” This is a critical location for emergency services to access communities that have high a frequency of train movements or delays. The grade separation will eliminate this issue.

Communities Benefited

- Chicago – Washington Heights community area

Project Status:

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

*Plans, Specifications & Estimates

Project Location Map:

