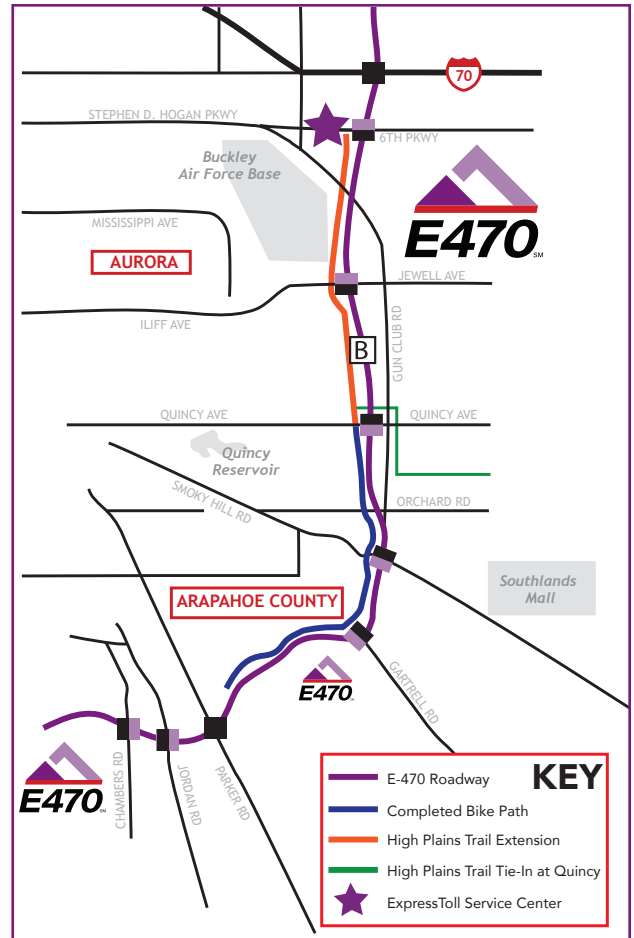




High Plains Trail 2019 Overview

As part of **E-470's Road Widening Project**, the High Plains Trail will be extended six miles from Quincy Avenue to Stephen D. Hogan Parkway. The extension will continue the design of the first segment, which opened in late 2018. The first phase of the High Plains Trail was constructed from the west side of E-470 to the south west of Ireland Way to Quincy Avenue. Additional tie-in and connectivity for this area is being explored by local jurisdictions and stakeholders including the Town of Parker, Aurora and Arapahoe County with the ultimate goal of connecting to the existing E-470 trail west of Parker Road.



HIGH PLAINS TRAIL AND BIKE/PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE RENDERING



HIGH PLAINS TRAIL RENDERING

High Plains Trail Extension Highlights

- Ten-foot wide concrete path with two-foot shoulders.
- Three grade-separated crossings at Hampden Avenue, Jewell Avenue and CO 30.
- One at-grade crossing at Quincy Avenue.
- The trail extension will open once all construction is complete and will not be opened in phases. Construction will be complete by December 2020.
- A portion of the trail will be constructed through the Arapahoe Park and Recreation District property north of Quincy Avenue.
- The High Plains Trail will connect to the new trail along the south side of Stephen D. Hogan Parkway. A future connection is also planned with the Triple Creek Trail near Coal Creek. Future connections will be coordinated with Arapahoe County Open Space and the City of Aurora Parks, Recreation & Open Space.
- Environmental and floodplain considerations were incorporated into the final selection of the trail alignment.

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