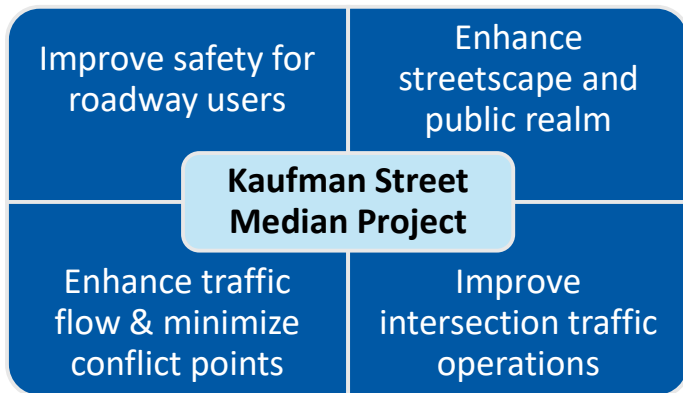




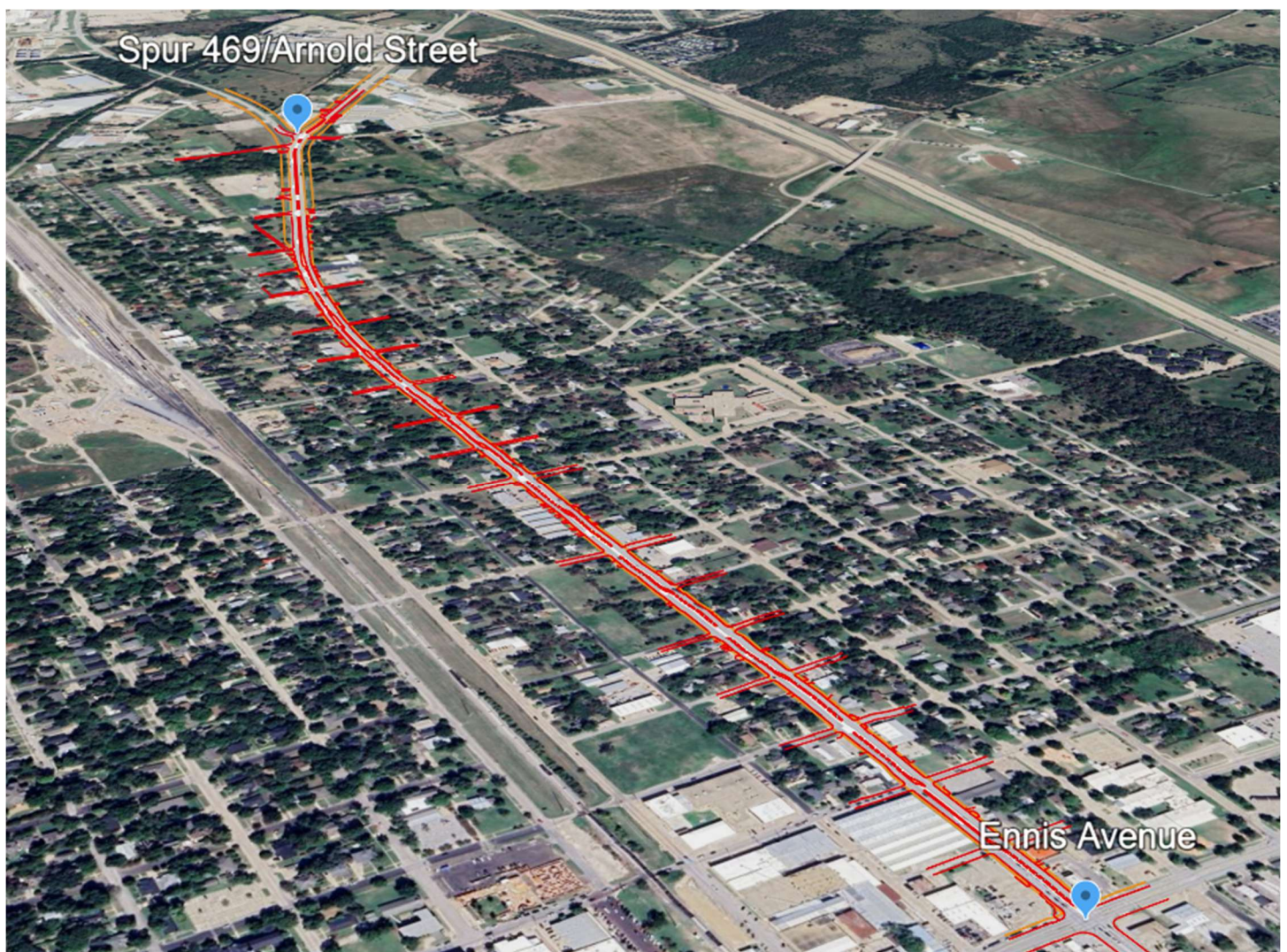
# Kaufman Street Median Project



Kaufman Street is a prominent transportation corridor within the City of Ennis and for Ellis County. It is both a major highway and also serves our community as one of the city's prominent gateways. Transportation and land use changes, as well as general traffic and community growth over time have contributed to safety concerns, which prompted the proposed Kaufman Street Median Project.



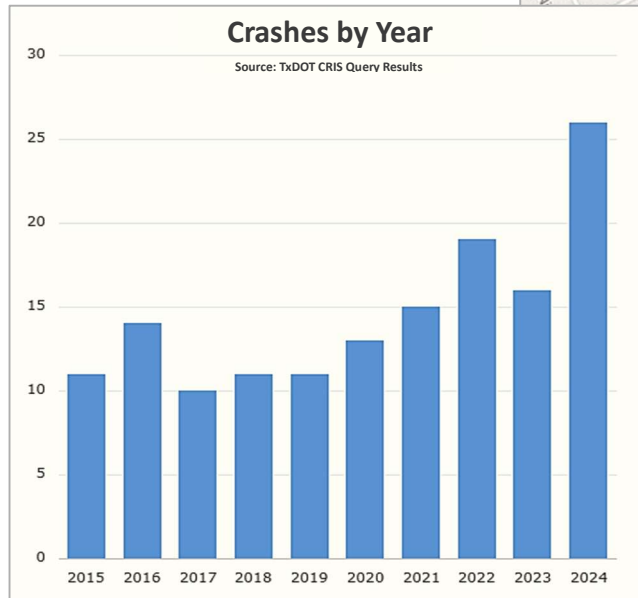
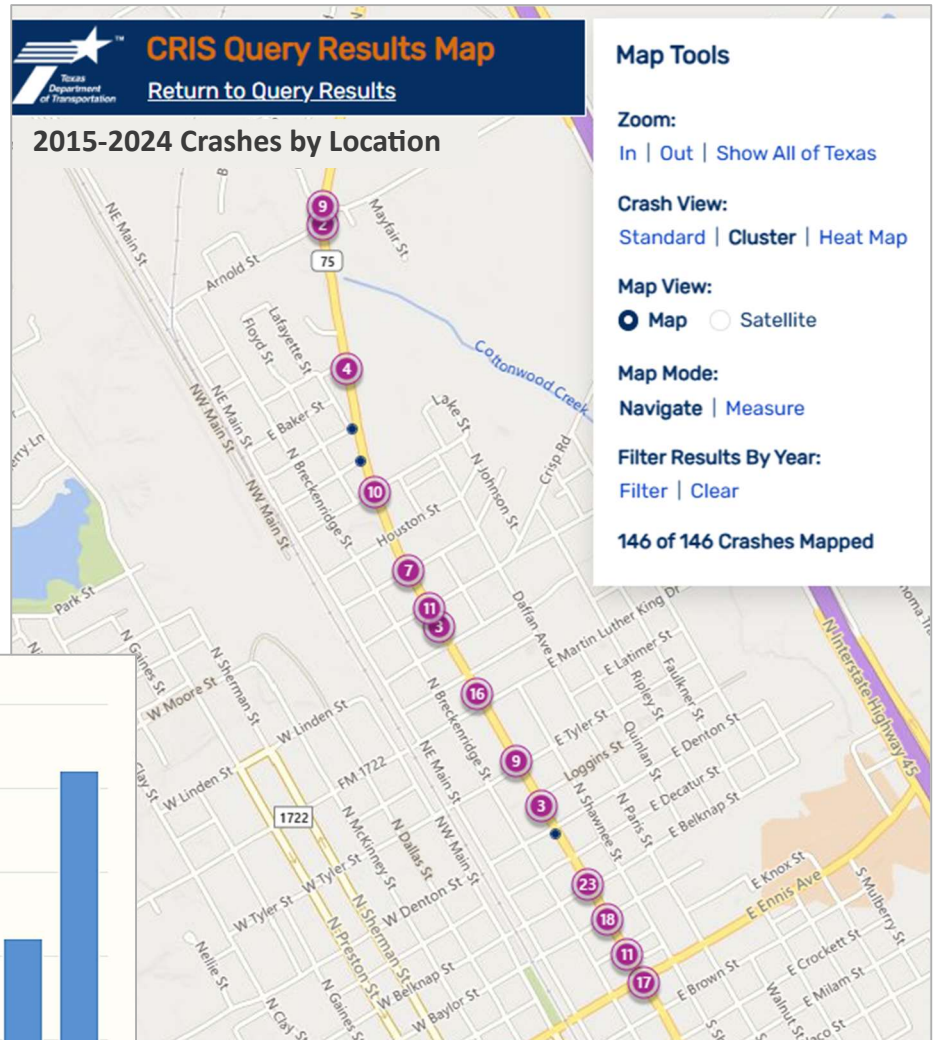
Jointly undertaken by the Texas Department of Transportation and the City of Ennis, the project will affect Kaufman Street, between Ennis Avenue and Spur 469/Arnold Street. The 1.5-mile segment encompasses 20 intersections, which experienced a significant number of crashes in the last decade. The proposed project aims to improve roadway safety, traffic operations, and aesthetics.



## 10-Year Crash History

In the most recent decade, from January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2024, this segment of the Kaufman Street corridor has seen a total of 146 crashes, most of which occurred near intersections.

The number of crashes has grown year-over-year, a trend that would likely continue, unless suggested safety improvements are implemented.



## Raised Median Barrier

The proposed project includes the addition of a raised median that will affect travel patterns for 10 out of 20 intersections along the segment.

## Funded Through Highway Safety Improvement Program & Green Ribbon Grants

Combining both safety improvements as well as landscaping enhancements, the Kaufman Street Median Project utilizes two funding streams, both of which are administered by TxDOT:

1. HSIP – Highway Improvement Safety  
**\$2.0 million** (estimate, subject to change)
2. GR – Green Ribbon  
**\$1.5 million** (estimate, subject to change)

## Landscaping Enhancements

In addition to the proposed safety measures, aesthetic improvements will be made to the corridor, wherein portions of the median will be upgraded with plantings to enhance the streetscape.

**Share Your Feedback** - View related materials online at [www.ennistx.gov/KaufmanMedianProject](http://www.ennistx.gov/KaufmanMedianProject) or join the **Public Open House on July 30, 11 am to 1 pm** at the **Ennis Welcome Center Blue Bonnet Room**, 201 NW Main Street, Ennis, Texas to view the plan sets. Comments are accepted in person or via email at [KaufmanMedianProject@ennistx.gov](mailto:KaufmanMedianProject@ennistx.gov) through July 30, 2025.