

Better cruise. Better views.

The Montana Department of Transportation plans to improve nearly **20 miles of US 89 around Choteau**. We'll ease the curves and refresh the pavement. A more functional highway can also mean a more enjoyable one. Whether you're passing through or just taking in the sights, US 89 will be a better drive for all.



Want to stop to view the wildlife?

The new design will include sections with extra wide shoulders alongside the highway. These will be located along the Freezout Lake Wildlife Management Area. Enjoy the journey and the views.



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The Montana Department of Transportation recognizes the impact road projects can have. We are committed to keeping the public informed during the process.

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CHOTEAU US 89 ROAD IMPROVEMENTS





Three projects. Similar goals. Staggered construction.



2020-2021

Design and information gathering.



2022-2024

On-going design, permitting, and property acquisition



2023-2025

Expected construction. Advertise for the construction contract. Construction in segments as funding allows.

Improvements to US 89



- 1. Updated design.**
Improve the alignment and pavement.



- 2. New bridge.**
Upgrade the bridge over the Teton River.



- 3. Passing opportunities.**
Provide more options for passing slow vehicles.



- 4. Wider shoulders.**
Create more space along the highway which also means a larger buffer for bicyclists.



- 5. Gentler curves.**
Reduce the sharpness of the existing curves.



- 6. Wildlife pullouts.**
Places to stop and view the wildlife in the Freezout Lake Wildlife Management Area.

