Purpose and Need - Traffic and Safety

2013-2017 CRASH STATISTICS

- 861 crashes
 - 355 northbound
 - 506 southbound
- Crash rate is 43% higher than the statewide average
- 10 crashes on the Capitol Drive ramps

EXISTING AND FORECAST TRAFFIC PROJECTIONS

AVERAGE ANNUAL DAILY TRAFFIC (AADT)

I-43	2019 AADT	2050 AADT	Percent Change
At Capitol Drive	132,000	152,000	15%
Between Locust Avenue and Keefe Avenue	154,000	176,700	15%
Between North Avenue and Locust Avenue	166,000	191,500	15%