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N Fessenden St Critical Connection

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

N Fessenden St is one of the few multimodal corridors that cross the railroad cut dividing the neighborhoods of St Johns and Portsmouth. This short stretch of roadway between N Columbia Way and N Portsmouth Ave is just over a half a mile.

This busy corridor has frequent bus service and is the primary walking and biking route on the north end of the peninsula, providing access to Northgate Park, New Columbia, the Peninsula Crossing Trail, and the N Fessenden St businesses.

Today, this busy stretch of roadway has long distances between crossings and some of the narrowest bike lanes in North Portland. This project would add additional crossings, make safety improvements to the wide intersection at N Wall Ave, and reconfigure the roadway to provide a safer bike connection. In the narrower section of N Fessenden St east of the railroad cut, these changes would require removing all on-street parking between N Wall Ave and N Portsmouth Ave.





N Fessenden St Bridge



N Fessenden St Near Northgate Park

ESTIMATED PROJECT COSTS:



[can vary greatly depending on scope]