More Vision Zero Street Safety Improvements Coming

Denver Public Works improvements being made:

- **Speed reduction initiative** – Evans Ave. between Huron St. and Federal Blvd. will have its speed limit reduced from 35 MPH to 30 MPH by the end of August. Four other corridors will see their speed limits reduced through the fall.
- **“In-street” pedestrian crossing signage** will be installed at 10 locations by the end of August.
- **High visibility crosswalks downtown** will be installed this fall.
- **On-street bike corrals** will be installed at 12 locations by the end of August.
- **Enhancements to already protected bike lanes** will be made beginning with additional protection installed on the 15th Street protected bikeway down to Larimer Street by the end of September.
- **Five additional driver feedback signs to alert passing motorists of their speeds** will be operational by the end of September.
- **Additional improvements being explored and planned** – Low-cost safety treatments (shortening crossing distances, midblock crossing refuges) and parking setbacks.

Denver Police Department improvements being made:

- **Increasing traffic enforcement operations** targeted toward auto-pedestrian safety, highway safety, safety around schools as the school years begins, reduce aggressive/distracted driving and safety at key intersections with a high number of crashes.
- **Increasing staffing in the Traffic Operations Bureau** – the TOB will be bolstered with additional staffing once recruits graduate the field training program the first week of September.
- **Quadrupling large/heavy vehicle enforcement unit** and adding six officers to the enforcement team.

Denver Public Health and Environment Improvements being made:

- **Leading the Safe Routes to School Action Plan** to mirror and strengthen many of the Vision Zero concepts for schools, children, and their families, to be completed by the end of 2019.
- **Hiring youth to form a Teen Safe Driving program** to empower youth to be the voice to other youth about safe driving habits.

Elevate Denver Bond Program improvements proposed for next bond issuance:

- Construction of protected bike lanes and neighborhood bikeways.
- Multi-modal improvements along major corridors (Broadway, Colfax, Federal and Hampden).
- Third bond issuance is anticipated to occur in October.