

Construction Preparation Checklist: Aurora Businesses

Preparing your business for construction



Checklist items:

- Visit the Colfax BRT project webpage at [Denvergov.org/ColfaxBRT](https://denvergov.org/ColfaxBRT) or by scanning the QR code on this page.**
 - Begin to familiarize yourself with the project.
- Sign up for construction updates.**
 - Click the button: “Sign up for email updates.”
- Review construction timeline.**
 - Construction begins in spring 2026. Think about your business location in relation to upcoming construction.
- Under the “City of Aurora Construction Updates” tab, review the What to Expect During Construction document.**
 - Get information specific to Aurora businesses, contact information and an FAQ.
- Navigate to the “Business Support” tab and take the self-assessment for Aurora businesses under “Getting Started.”**
 - This asks guiding questions to prepare your business for construction.
- Review the business support materials on the same webpage.**
 - These materials cover promotional, financial and communication support for businesses.
- Prepare for financial support by reviewing documents under “Next Steps.”**
 - Many organizations, including the Aurora Small Business Development Center (SBDC), are offering their services to small businesses on East Colfax during construction at no cost. These services include financial forecasting, business planning and tax filing support. Review these resources and begin reaching out if you feel comfortable doing so.
- Participate in the “We Back The Fax” campaign.**
 - Follow the social media accounts linked on this page.
- Contact Us!**
 - If you did not answer “Yes” to the final question in the self-assessment and require further communications from the business support team, reach out to colfaxbrtbizassist@gmail.com with your questions.

Quick Links



Project Website
[Denvergov.org/ColfaxBRT](https://denvergov.org/ColfaxBRT)



Aurora-South Metro Small Business Development Center (SBDC) Website
sbdc.colorado.gov



Small Business Self-Assessment
bit.ly/AuroraSelfAssessment



SBDC Business Advising Sessions
sbdc.colorado.gov/business-advising



Fax Pass Signup Form
bit.ly/FaxPass



City of Aurora Signage Information
bit.ly/AuroraSignage

Contact Us

Construction hotline
(720) 336-0025

Business support email
colfaxbrtbizassist@gmail.com

Operating your business during construction

Checklist items:

- ❑ **Keep your employees informed about construction impacts and any strategies.**
 - Your employees should be well informed on your plan for operating during construction. Create “talking points” and train everyone to speak as one.
- ❑ **Collect and organize contact information for the project:**
 - Construction hotline - (720) 336-0025
 - Business support - colfaxbrtbizassist@gmail.com
- ❑ **Apply for Technical Assistance (sbdc.colorado.gov/business-advising)**
 - The Aurora Small Business Development Center (SBDC) offers no-cost, one-on-one sessions with industry experts to provide free, confidential advising to new and existing small business owners in Aurora. Use the QR code on this page to sign up for a session.
- ❑ **Join the Fax Pass using the QR code on this page.**
 - This is a business passport program bringing people to Colfax. More information on TheFaxPass.com.
- ❑ **Attend “Chats on Colfax”**
 - Monthly informational meetings provide updates to businesses. Come ask questions and collaborate with others. RSVP on the “Business Support” page at Denvergov.org/ColfaxBRT.
- ❑ **Review The City of Aurora’s Signage guidelines.**
 - Scan the QR code on this page to review Aurora’s signage rules and guidelines.
- ❑ **Reach out!**
 - Use the contacts listed above to get the answers your business needs.

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