

# Pioneer Rail Overpass Port of Ridgefield

Project Completed: September 2021

## Project Information

RTC funding: \$2,000,000 STBG

Total Project Cost: \$17,000,000

Project Type: Bridge

Project Length: 0.35 miles

Function Class: Rural Major Collector

Daily Traffic Volume: 3,000-5,000 ADT



## Project Description

This project constructed a bridge over the BNSF Railway north-south mainline in the City of Ridgefield at Pioneer Street. The project will provide safe access between downtown Ridgefield and the waterfront, which was previously separated by railroad tracks. Two at-grade rail crossings at Mill and Division Street will be closed as part of the project to improve safety. The project will also allow for the future development of the Port's 41-acre waterfront developable parcel. The project was constructed in three phases, with approach roads completed in years 2013 and 2014, and the bridge structure completed in 2021.

## Project Benefits

- Improves access to the Ridgefield waterfront for all modes.
- Improves safety by closing two at-grade rail crossings and adding a new grade separated rail crossing at Pioneer Street.
- Improves access to the waterfront for future economic development.

## Project Funding

Phase	Year	RTC Funds	Local Funds	Total
Design	2005	\$0	\$2,160,000	\$2,160,000
Right of Way	2011	\$0	\$749,000	\$749,000
Construction	2013	\$2,000,000	\$12,179,000	\$14,179,000
Total		\$2,000,000	\$15,088,000	\$17,088,000

## Project Map

