

Noida plans 6-km elevated road to ease Delhi-bound traffic

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NOIDA: Noida Authority has planned a six-km, six-lane elevated road connecting MP-1 and MP-2 roads to provide relief to thousands of commuters travelling between Greater Noida West, Noida and Delhi.

The proposed elevated corridor will stretch from beyond the Rajnigandha underpass to Uflex in Sector 60 and is expected to ease congestion near the National Dalit Prerna Sthal, one of the busiest traffic bottlenecks on the route, said officials. The project, estimated to cost around Rs 700 crore, is aimed at improving connectivity towards the DND Flyway and reducing travel time for daily commuters. Officials said the elevated road will allow motorists to bypass three major traffic signals, cutting the journey from nearly 30 minutes to around 10 minutes during peak hours.

The Noida Authority has received the feasibility report for the project from IIT Roorkee and has now assigned the

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institute the task of preparing the detailed project report (DPR). The authority will pay about Rs 3.5 crore for the DPR, which will include engineering designs, traffic studies and implementation details.

Officials said the project is expected to significantly improve traffic flow on the Noida-Delhi corridor and benefit residents of Greater Noida West, including those living in large residential societies that rely on this route for daily travel.

The elevated road is being seen as a key infrastructure initiative to address long-standing congestion issues and strengthen connectivity between Noida, Greater Noida West and Delhi.