

Benefits of roundabouts

Safety

- Up to 90 percent reduction in fatal crashes
- Up to 75 percent reduction in injury crashes
- Up to 40 percent reduction in total crashes

Efficiency

- Reduced delay for vehicles
- Improved traffic flow
- Reduced vehicle emissions

Community benefits

- Reduced speeds
- Increased landscape area
- Aesthetic focal point

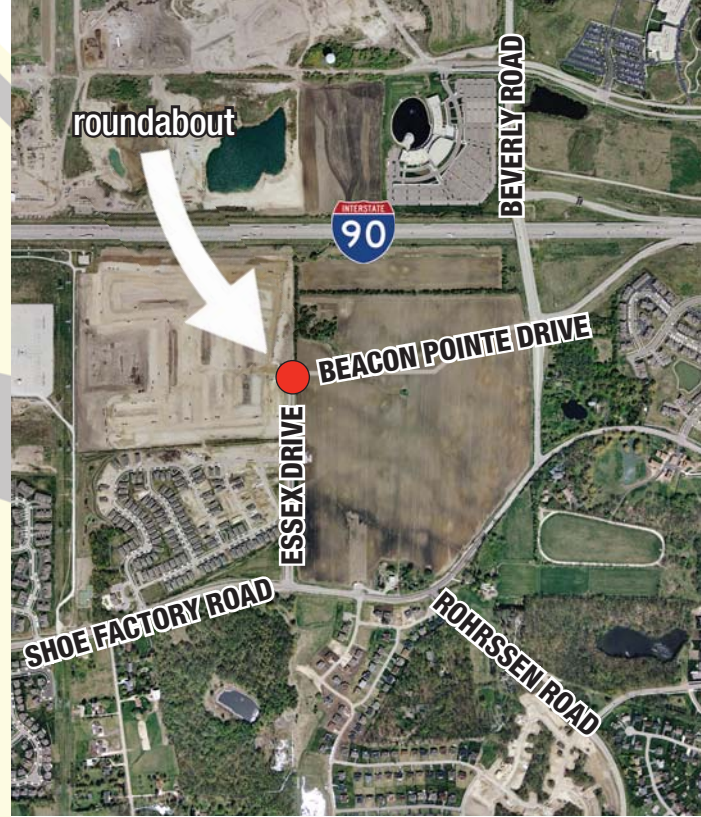
Special features of roundabouts

Emergency vehicle instructions

- Do not enter the roundabout when emergency vehicles are approaching on another leg
- Do not stop within the roundabout for an emergency vehicle
- If you are already in the roundabout, continue through and pull over once you have exited

Pedestrian crossing instructions

- Cross at signed and marked locations
- The design allows you to cross one direction at a time
- Do not cross through the center island



The ins and outs of roundabouts in Hoffman Estates

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Yield to all traffic in the roundabout. Drive counterclockwise only.



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Yield to pedestrians as you enter the roundabout.



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Find your exit and proceed out of the roundabout.

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There is a roundabout ahead. Slow down.



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Make sure to look for pedestrians upon exit.

