

I-690 to Hiawatha Boulevard

Viaduct and Community Grid Alternatives

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From I-690 to Hiawatha Boulevard, I-81 has three lanes in each direction, and NYSDOT has proposed widening this segment of the highway to improve safety, traffic operations, and capacity. Under the Viaduct Alternative it would be widened to four lanes in each direction. Under the Community Grid Alternative, northbound would be widened to four lanes and southbound would remain at three lanes.

BEFORE



AFTER



Viaduct Alternative: View south over southbound I-81 from the Spencer Street bridge

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Community Grid Alternative: View south over southbound BL 81 from the Spencer Street bridge