

Charlier Associates, Inc.

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

EAST AVON COMMERCIAL AREA ACCESS AND CIRCULATION PLAN Avon, Colorado (completed)

Charlier Associates, Inc. prepared an access and circulation plan addressing land use, urban design, traffic circulation and multimodal access issues for the Avon commercial area. CAI developed short-range and long-range recommendations addressing a wide variety of issues ranging from improving existing pedestrian systems and safety within the commercial area, to strategic planning for the coordinated redevelopment of East Avon, and the intermodal center in Avon Town Center (where future modes will include pedestrian, ski area gondolas, rail, bus, bike and automobile). Tasks also included assisting the Town in developing strategies for anticipated large-parcel annexations. A particular challenge in this project was developing a high quality pedestrian environment in and around a series of high-speed roundabouts previously built by the Town along its principal thoroughfare, Avon Road. Since the creation of the plan the commercial area has emerged as an important regional center in the Vail Valley and is highly accessible by all modes of transportation. Most of the recommended elements of the plan are built or in the last phase of construction.

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