

Columbia I-70 Bridges Fact Sheet

The Columbia I-70 Bridges Project is an \$18 million design-build project to replace the I-70 bridges over Business Loop 70/West Boulevard, Garth Avenue, and MO Route 763/Rangeline Street in Columbia, Mo. Design-build is a project delivery method that combines both the design and construction phases into one contract to save time and resources.

Project Need

- Built in 1957, the bridges carry an average of 80,000 vehicles a day.
- Currently all are in poor condition, though safe for travel.
- The bridge decks require continual maintenance.
- The bridges would be very difficult to rehabilitate, which is why they are being replaced.

Project Timeline

- Aggressive schedule will minimize traffic impacts.
- Construction will begin in late summer 2015.
- Project to be completed in fall 2016.

Scheduled Closures

I-70 will remain open at all times except for a few temporary evening lane closures.

Other intermittent closures include:

45 days
45 days
30 days
30 days
20 days
15 days

Additional Work

New roundabouts will be built at Rangeline and on the north and south sides of I-70 at the Business Loop 70/West Boulevard interchange.

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