Public Information Meeting

SR 32 Hamilton County Corridor Improvements

May 18, 2022



Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions
- Public Involvement Process
- Project Study Area
- Needs for Improvement
- Project Development Schedule
- Land Acquisition Process
- Key Project Issues and Impacts
- Construction Phasing
- Next Steps



Introductions

INDOT

- Jennifer Beck, Project Manager
- Adelle Dusold, Communications Director
- Kimbery Peters, Customer Services

Design Team

- Nick Batta, Consultant Project Manager
- Adam Burns, Roadway Design
- Morgan Stumpf, Traffic Design
- Jayne Stanfill, Administration Support
- Robert Winebrenner, Environmental Scientist
- Keriann Rich, Public Outreach
- Beverly Smith, Public Outreach
- Michael Keuhl, Land Acquisition
- Jaime Mendez, Spanish Interpreter

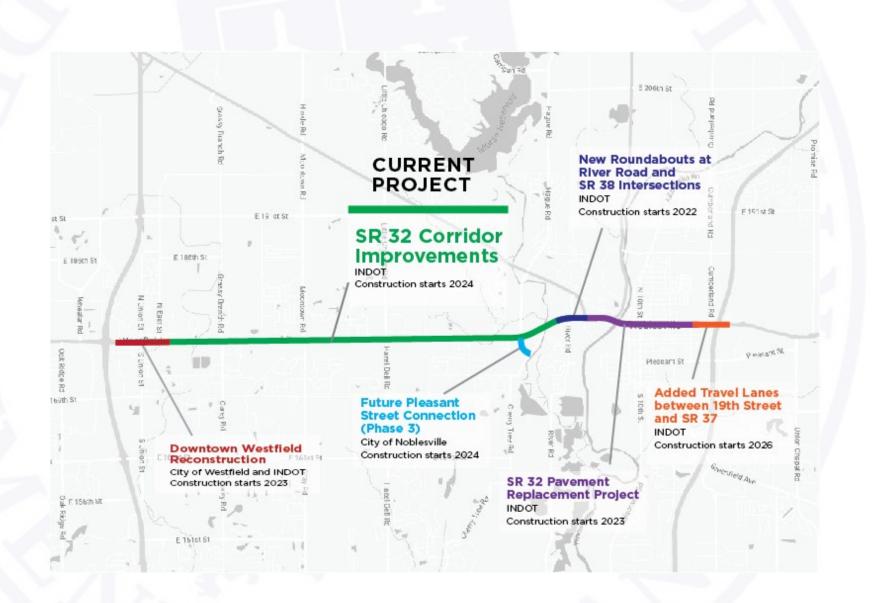


Public Involvement

- Importance of hearing from those use the corridor the most
- Input influences alternatives considered
- Optimizes the design
- Stay informed of the progress of design, land acquisition, permitting, and field work
- Alerts for traffic interruptions during construction
- Spanish-interpreters available tonight
- Deaf and hard-of-hearing also available upon request

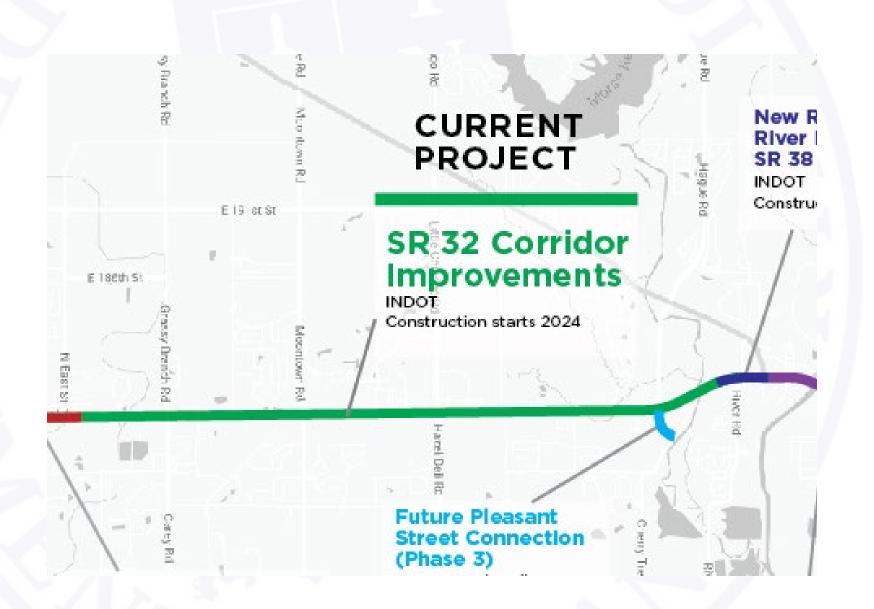


Traffic Projects on SR 32





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Project Development Process

- Programming
- Develop Purpose and Need / Data Analysis
- Environmental, Cultural, and Topographic Land Surveys
- Preliminary Design
- Public Hearing
- Environmental Document Approval
- Land Acquisition
- Final Design



Project Needs – Congestion at Intersections

- Levels of Service Grade
 - LOS of A, B or C average delay per vehicle satisfactory
 - LOS of D, E or F may require improvements
- Additional unsignalized subdivision streets also have high average delays

Grassy Branch Road/Carey Road LOS of F

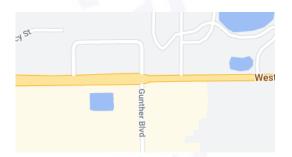


Little Chicago Road/Hazel Dell Road



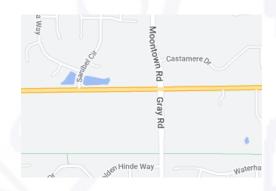
Gunther Boulevard

LOS of F



Moontown Road/Gray Road

LOS of E





Project Needs – Crash Rates

- Average about 110 crashes per year
- Approximately 70% of crashes are rear-end incidents
- Approximately 14% of crashes involved fatalities or incapacitating injuries
- Highest Crash Locations
 - Carey Road/Grassy Branch Road 17 crashes per year
 - Gunther Boulevard 9 crashes per year
 - Little Chicago Road / Hazel Dell Road 19 crashes per year





Project Needs – Crash Rates

- Willowcreek Way Averages 1 fatal or personal injury crash per year
- Grassy Branch Road / Carey Road Averages more than 2 fatal or personal injury crash per year
- Gunther Boulevard Averages more than 1 fatal or personal injury crash per year
- Moontown Road / Gray Road Averages 3 fatal or personal injury crash per year
- Pebble Brook Boulevard Averages more than 2 fatal or personal injury crash per year
- Little Chicago Road / Hazel Dell Road Averages more than 3 fatal or personal injury crash per year
- Oakmont Drive Averages 1 fatal or personal injury crash per year



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Project Needs – Corridor Travel Time

TODAY

7-8

minutes
during peak hours
of the day

20-YEAR PROJECTION

12-19

minutes
during peak hours
of the day

GOAL

Below

8

minutes
during peak hours
of the day



Key Project Issues



Intersection Treatments



Adding Through Lane Capacity



Pedestrian Enhancements



Drainage Control



Utilities



Bridges



Legal Drains



Environmental and Cultural Resources



Waterways And Wetlands



Historic Properties



Archeology Sites



Floodways



Hamilton Memorial Cemetery



Endangered Species



Right of Way Acquisition Process

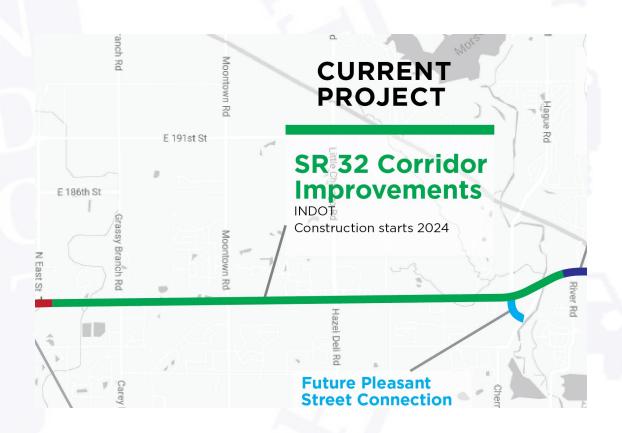
- Compliance with the Uniform Act (CFR Title 49, Part 24)
- Amounts of land needed for project not yet known
- Property owner meetings
- Appraising and buying process
- FHWA Acquisition Booklet



Construction Impacts and Sequencing

Sequencing

- How project will be built is not yet determined
- Want to hear from you what should be top priorities
- Construction Impacts
 - Lengthy closure of SR 32 unlikely
 - Closure of certain side roads a possibility
 - Access to property owners must always be provided





Project Schedule



NextLevel Notions

How to Stay Involved

- Review Public Involvement Plan
- Attending tonight
- Mailing list
- Visiting the website
- Additional public meetings
- Stakeholder meetings
- Talking to the project team
- Questionnaire



Thank You for coming!

