



Proposed New Franklin Route 5 Improvements

Viable Alternatives Under Consideration

Remove the Viaduct and Place Route 5 at Ground Level.

- New Pavement and curb/gutter for this stretch of Route 5.
- Improve safety and mobility for people coming to, or within, New Franklin.
- Increase New Franklin visibility to Katy Trail travelers.
- Take advantage of available Federal Funds.

Do Nothing.

- Continued deterioration of the bridge superstructure and riding surface.
- Frequency of repairs, load postings, and unscheduled temporary closures would increase as the bridge ages.
- Eventually require permanent closure of the bridge.

