

# Camden County Route 54 Safety Improvements January 30, 2018

# **Frequently Asked Questions**

## What is the purpose of tonight's meeting?

The purpose of today's meeting is to provide information on planned safety improvements to Route 54 from Camdenton to Osage Beach.

### Why is this work necessary?

The work will help prevent crossover accidents and improve the safety of several intersections. Median guard cable that will be installed on this project has been shown to prevent almost all crossover accidents. The installation of J-turns will help eliminate right-angle crashes and has been shown to reduce injury/fatal accidents by more than 50 percent.

#### How will traffic be affected?

Most of the construction will be accomplished with lane closures on Route 54 during night time hours. During off-peak traffic times, contractors will be allowed to perform daytime work with lane closures.

#### When will the work take place?

The construction of the improvements will start in fall 2018 and is expected to be completed summer 2019.

Will additional right of way be needed to construct these projects?

No new right of way will be needed.

#### What will the project cost?

The total cost is approximately \$2,300,000.00

#### How can I learn more?

You may learn more by contacting us toll-free at 1-888-ASK-MoDOT (275-6636) or by visiting us on the Web at <a href="https://www.modot.org/central">www.modot.org/central</a>.