

Existing McLean's Branch Bridge



What McLean's Branch Bridge will look like after completion



Project Overview: MO 79 - McLean's Branch Bridge Replacement

Construction of a new bridge on Missouri Route 79, over McLean's Branch, will begin on March 23, 2020, weather permitting, at which time the road will close with the anticipation of completion to be the end of June.

Built in 1938, McLean's Branch is the last bridge needing replacement on Missouri Route 79 within the Northeast District. The new bridge will be longer and wider and include additional guardrail for safety. Route 79 will be closed at the bridge; however, a detour will be signed over

MoDOT Routes Y, EE and 47. Route N adjacent to the bridge will remain open for access.

Bleigh Construction Company submitted the low bid of \$821,331 and was awarded the contract last fall. This bridge is

included in Gov. Mike Parson's \$351 million Focus on Bridges program, which will repair or replace 250 bridges across the state.

Project Specifics

Contractor:	Bleigh Construction Co.
Estimated Cost of Project:	\$821,331
Project Start Date:	March 23, 2020
Est. Completion Date:	June 30, 2020

Bridge Comparison Facts

Existing	New
24' Wide	32' Wide
110' Truss-Style	130' Length
Built in 1938	2-inches higher than existing bridge



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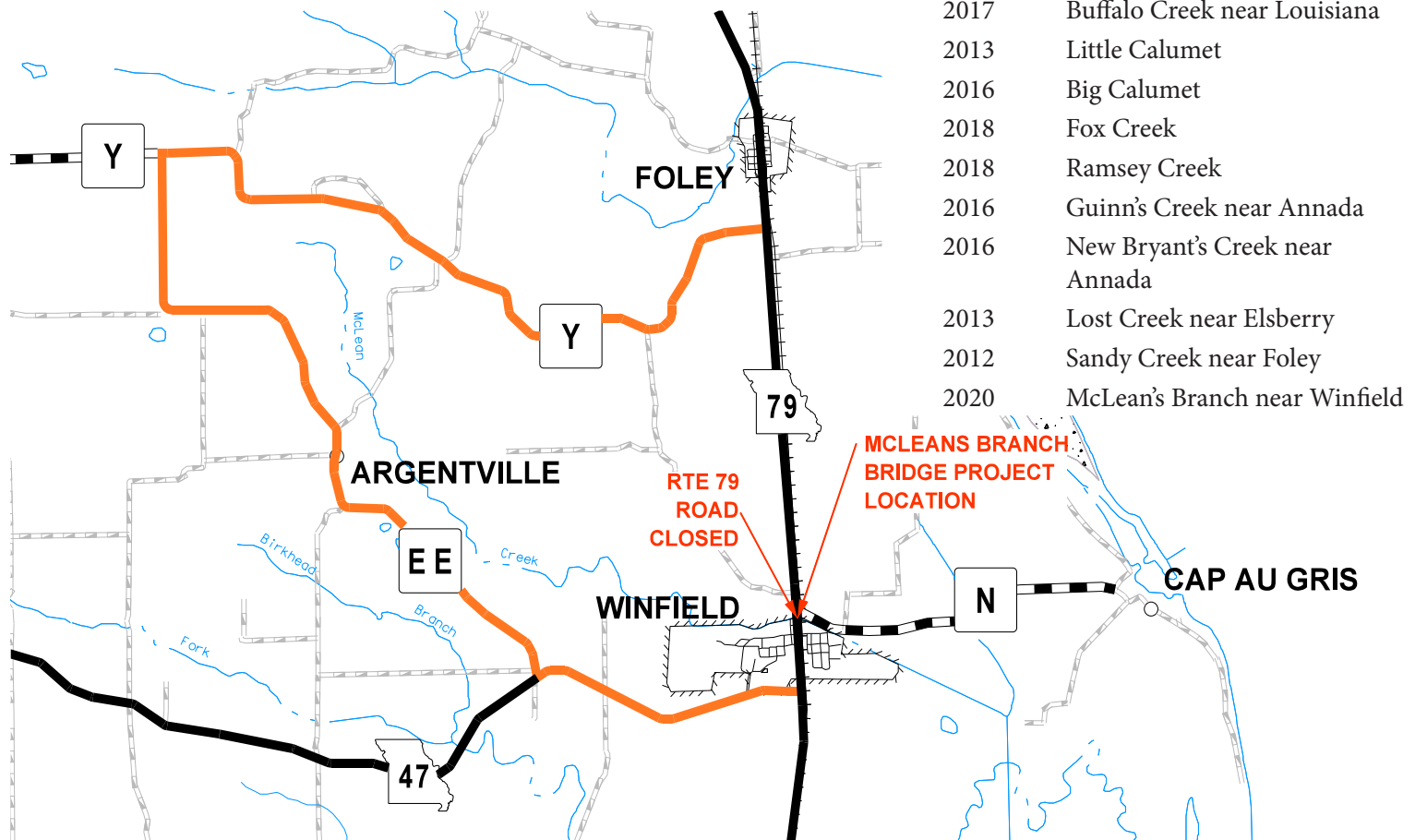
Detour Route

Rte Y > Rte EE > MO 47 = 16 Miles

Route 79 Bridges Replaced from
Louisiana to Winfield

Year
Completed

Location



2017	Noix Creek near Louisiana
2017	Buffalo Creek near Louisiana
2013	Little Calumet
2016	Big Calumet
2018	Fox Creek
2018	Ramsey Creek
2016	Guinn's Creek near Annada
2016	New Bryant's Creek near Annada
2013	Lost Creek near Elsberry
2012	Sandy Creek near Foley
2020	McLean's Branch near Winfield

Questions?

Call MoDOT Area Engineer
Erik Maninga toll-free during
normal business hours at
1-888-275-6636



Traveler Information Map

Check MoDOT's Traveler Info Map for
weather-related road conditions, flood
closures & work zone locations.



Additional Area Projects

Lincoln Co. - U.S. Route 61 bridges over Cuivre River

Lincoln Co. - Demo of bridge over Cuivre River on 2nd St. in Moscow Mills

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