

Pulaski County Route T Bridge Rehabilitation over Gasconade River Online Public Meeting March 1-12, 2021

# **Frequently Asked Questions**

# What is the purpose of the online meeting?

The purpose of the online meeting is to provide information on plans to rehabilitate the bridge structure including deck rehabilitation, bridge barrier improvements, bridge pier protection, other rehabilitative measures of bridge components, and roadway and safety improvements at both ends of the bridge over the Gasconade River on Route T between Swedeborg and Waynesville, approximately 5.5 miles west of Waynesville.

# Why is this work necessary?

The existing bridge over the Gasconade River was built in 1973 and is forty-nine years old. The condition of the bridge has reached a point where it is necessary to rehabilitate the bridge deck and other components of the bridge, improve pier protection, and make safety improvements.

## How will traffic be affected?

During construction, Route T in the area of the bridge will be reduced to one lane to cross the bridge. Travel across the bridge by motorists will be controlled with the use of temporary traffic signals at both ends of the work area. The lane reduction through the work area will be in place for up to 5 months. Signs and message boards will alert motorists to the lane reduction and the work on the bridge during construction.

## When will the work take place?

The project is scheduled to be awarded in the spring of 2021, with construction taking place in 2021.

#### Will additional right of way be needed to construct this project?

No right of way or easement will be required for the bridge project.

## What will the project cost?

The total construction cost is approximately \$1,236,000.

#### How can I learn more?

You may learn more by contacting us toll-free at 1-888-ASK-MoDOT (275-6636) or by visiting www.modot.org/central.