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BRIDGE DECK REPLACEMENT PROJECT

Howard County

Route P

Bonne Femme Creek Bridge



PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

Construction: Planned for 2024.

Location: Howard County Route P in New Franklin.

Traffic impact: Full road closure up to 85 calendar days.

Total cost estimate: \$910,000.

Average daily traffic:

Approximately 650 vehicles daily.

Improvements: The new bridge deck will have two 12-foot lanes with updated bridge rail.





PROJECT DETAILS

Subject to change.
Information current as of December 2023.

Why is MoDOT planning changes?

The 214-foot long Howard County Bonne Femme Creek Bridge on Route P, in New Franklin, was built in 1961 and carries approximately 650 vehicles per day. The supporting structures of the bridge are in good condition, but the deck of the bridge has deteriorated to the point it needs to be replaced. During the project, the bridge will be widened from 22 feet to 24 feet and the bridge rails will also be brought up to current standards.

How will traffic be impacted?

The bridge will be closed up to 85 days calendar days during construction and motorists will need to use an alternate route during that time. Signs warning of the closure will be placed prior to the closure date and far enough in advance to allow drivers to re-route.

What is the cost of the project?

The anticipated total cost for this project, including engineering and construction, is \$910,000. This is subject to change.



Scan to visit the project's webpage.

When is MoDOT planning to make the improvements?

At this time, the project is expected to be part of MoDOT's January 2024 letting when contractors may submit competitive bids.

Construction is anticipated to take place in 2024, however the exact schedule of the 85-day closure has not yet been determined. The earliest date the contractor may begin work is expected to be March 4, 2024.

As with all projects that are in the planning stage, these dates are subject to change.



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