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# MISSOURI ROUTE 8 BRIDGE DECK REPLACEMENTS

Washington County



## PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

**Type of work:** Bridge deck replacements.

**Construction expected:** 2026.

**Estimated cost:** \$3.1 million including engineering and construction costs, subject to change.



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# PROJECT DETAILS



## Why is this work needed?

The Route 8 bridges over Allen Creek, Mid Fork Fourche a Renault, and North Fork Fourche a Renault in Washington County, west of Potosi, are slated for deck replacements in 2026. All three bridges were built in 1965. The supporting structures are in good condition, but the decks need to be replaced.

## Traffic Impacts

All three bridges are expected to remain open during construction but narrowed to one lane with temporary traffic signals directing motorists through the work zone. Construction is anticipated to last 60 calendar days on each bridge, subject to change.



## Proposed Improvements

Route 8 over Allen Creek, Mid Fork Fourche a Renault, and North Fork Fourche a Renault:

- Replacing bridge decks (driving surface) the same width as the existing structures.
- Replacing current railings with new barriers.
- Installing new guardrail.

## Current Proposed Timeline

**March 2026:** Contractors may submit competitive bids.

**April 2026:** Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission may award contract.

**June 2026:** If awarded in April, earliest contractor may begin work.

**Dec. 2026:** Anticipated project completion.

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