

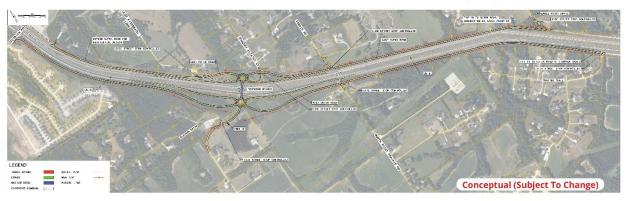
U.S. Route 61 Corridor Preferred Alternatives

Including new Route W interchange

HWY W INTERCHANGE

- Roundabout interchange recommended with outer road connections
- Minimizes severe crashes

- Removes 4 at-grade crossover intersections
 - Dietrich Ln, Hwy W, Farris Rd/Point Prairie Rd, McHugh Rd (not shown)
- Estimated Cost: \$40,000,000



Since fall 2023, MoDOT and traffic consultants have been conducting a Traffic Safety and Operations study on U.S. Route 61 from the I-64/I-70 interchange to the Lincoln County line. Engineers reviewed safety and crash data for the corridor, as well as current and projected traffic volumes based on anticipated developments in the area.

The study team confirmed and recommended the construction of a grade-separate interchange on Highway W at U.S. Route 61 which would replace the current at-grade median crossover that exists today. To provide local motorists full access to the 61/W interchange, the study recommended constructing/connecting outer roads along both sides of U.S. Route 61 between Dietrich Road and McHugh Road. These initial outer road segments would allow for the closure of the remaining at-grade median crossovers in St. Charles County. The current conceptual configuration for the proposed 61/W interchange is a "dogbone" style with roundabouts at each end of the future bridge, like the I-64/Prospect dogbone interchange in Lake St. Louis.

To view all the display from the open house style public meeting, visit the project website at: https://www.modot.org/projects/us-route-61-safety-and-traffic-study-st-charles-county

For a link to the online comment form, go to:

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