What to Expect During Construction

Construction will take place in stages. Two lanes of traffic in each direction will be maintained on I-44 through Rolla throughout construction. Outside of Rolla, drivers should expect periods of single-lane traffic during construction.

Work includes:

- Pavement improvements along westbound I-44.
- Rebuilding and widening a portion of I-44 in both directions from Route 72 to Tim Bradley Way.
- Replacement of the Route V bridge and a reconfiguration of the interchange.
- Adding a signal to the Route 68/8 northern ramp terminals and changing the existing traffic signal at Parker Lane/Route B into a roundabout.

Drivers can expect:

- **I-44 will remain open throughout construction** though lanes will be narrowed, shifted and traffic will be slowed to allow for construction.
- Short-term bridge and ramp closures during pavement replacement construction.
- Mid-term closures of ramps and cross streets during the construction of the interchange projects.
- Signed detours will be provided for all closures.