

IMPROVE I-70 KC

Downtown to Stadiums (The Paseo to Van Brunt Blvd.) beginning early-January 2027

What's Happening?

The Kansas City District of the Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT), in coordination with the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), is improving Interstate 70 (I-70) between The Paseo Boulevard and U.S. 40/31st Street, also known as Improve I-70 KC.

The Improve I-70 KC project:

- Adds a fourth eastbound I-70 lane from The Paseo to the Manchester Ave. bridge
- Replaces 15 bridges and rehabilitates another seven bridges
- Improves pedestrian and bicycle connectivity throughout the project area
- Reconstructs I-70 from Chestnut Ave. to 18th St. (Benton curve)
- Reconstructs eastbound I-70 from 27th St. to Cypress Ave. (Jackson curve)
- Makes improvements to the westbound I-70 near the Jackson Ave. bridge

Improve I-70 KC Goals

- Deliver the project within the programmed budget of \$237 million by December 31, 2028.
- Implement innovative transportation solutions to improve safety and reliability along the corridor.
- Provide durable and maintainable infrastructure that revives the corridor and aligns with regional development.
- Improve accessibility for the local community and create opportunities to grow a diverse workforce.
- Minimize overall traffic impact during construction in partnership with stakeholders.

Visit the Project Webpage



Scan the QR code or visit <http://modot.org/improvei70kc> for more information about the plan for construction impacts by year, and photos of anticipated improvements.

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Project Timeline

- ☒ EIS Re-evaluation - January 2022 – July 2023
- ☒ Design-Build Team Procurement - July 2023-August 2024
- ☐ Construction Begins - Spring 2025
Construction will be completed in three phases.
 - **2025** – Work on 23rd St. and 25th St. pedestrian bridges.
 - **2026** – Work on 27th St, Cleveland Ave., and Lister Ave. bridges. Three lanes of I-70 open each direction during FIFA World Cup.
 - ➔ • **2027** – 11-month closure of I-70 from The Paseo to Van Brunt Blvd. for mainline bridge and roadway work
- ☐ Anticipated construction completion - Spring 2028

Early-January to mid-December 2027 The Paseo to Van Brunt Blvd. Closure

Both directions of I-70 will be closed for approximately 11 months.

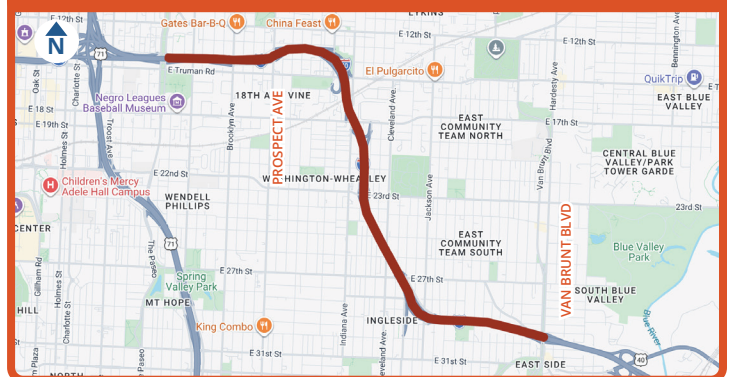
- ✓ Work taking place during the closure will include the completion of:

- Constructing of a fourth eastbound thru-lane on I-70 between The Paseo and Van Brunt Blvd.
- Replacing of the mainline bridges
- Reconstructing of the Benton and Jackson curves
- Additional related improvements on this section of I-70

- ✓ **Know before you go, plan your route before every trip!**

Motorists are encouraged to consider alternate routes and travel times. Before leaving, use navigation apps to determine the best route for each trip.

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Questions? Contact the Project Team at improvei70kc@modot.mo.gov.