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Description

The proposed interchange would provide access to south Scott City, as well as a connection from Interstate 55 to Kelso. Additionally, the project would relieve congestion at the Route 61/I-55 interchange.

Project Phase

The project is in the scoping phase, with MoDOT currently working to gain environmental clearances. Once funding becomes available, MoDOT will be ready to move forward with this project and begin the design phase.

Alternates

MoDOT is examining three design alternates for constructing the interchange. The three alternates include constructing the interchange near the Route PP crossing.

Alternate A: Add Ramps to the Existing Route PP Overpass and Outer Roads

This alternate allows the roadway for Route PP and existing overpass bridge to be used in place. The alternate requires construction of approximately 3,500 feet of new outer road and widening two of the existing bridges that cross Ramsey Creek for I-55.

Alternate B: Add Ramps to the Existing Route PP Overpass and Outer Roads (Diamond Interchange)

This alternate allows the roadway for Route PP and the existing overpass bridge to be used in place. This alternate requires construction of approximately 3,500 feet of new outer road and widening two of the existing bridges that cross Ramsey Creek for I-55.

Alternate C: New Diamond Interchange With One Outer Road

This alternate features a new diamond interchange located along a straight section of I-55. The interchange would tie into an existing county road system on the east side of I-55 with 2,500 feet of new roadway and Route PP on the west side of I-55 with 5,000 feet of new roadway. This alternate requires two new bridges across Ramsey Creek and approximately 2,000 feet of new outer road.

Contact Information

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ALTERNATE A



ALTERNATE B

