

2026-2027 City of St. Louis Construction Guide

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1. Interstate bridge washing – This project washes three bridges over the Mississippi River – the I-70 bridge (Stan Musial Veterans Memorial Bridge), the I-55/I-64 bridge (the Poplar Street Bridge) and the I-255 bridge (the Jefferson Barracks Bridge). Work starts in early 2026 and should be completed by fall 2026.

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2. Interstate 55 bridge and pavement improvements – This project resurfaces I-55 between I-44 and Lindbergh. This year, crews will complete any remaining rehabilitation on the southbound I-55 bridge over Union Pacific Railroad and resurface pave portions of the interstate and associated interchanges. This project should be complete in summer 2026.

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3. Interstate 55 sign updates – This project reviews and replaces overhead signs along I-55 between the Poplar Street Bridge and the Ste. Genevieve County line. Work continues through late 2026.

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4. Interstate 64 sign updates – This project reviews and replaces overhead signs along Interstate 64 between the Poplar Street Bridge and Interstate 70 in St. Charles County. Work continues through late 2027.

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5. Interstate 270 bridge construction – Illinois Department of Transportation project. Constructs a new I-270 bridge across the Mississippi River north of city of St. Louis. Construction on the new bridge is well underway, although traffic impacts should be minimal. Drivers can expect narrowed and shifted lanes within that section. In addition, drivers can expect work around the westbound I-270 interchange with Riverview Drive, including extended ramp and lane closures as crews tie the ramp in with the new bridge lanes.

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6. Route 100 (Chouteau/Manchester) pavement improvements – This project resurfaces Route 100 between the St. Louis City limits and I-55. This work includes corridor safety improvements coordinated with the city of St. Louis and will include a protected bike lane on Chouteau between 39th Street and Broadway. Work continues through 2026.

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7. Route D (Page Boulevard/ Dr. MLK Drive) pavement improvements – This project updates Route D between Tucker Boulevard and the St. Louis County limits. It includes a number of safety updates along the corridor, followed by resurfacing. Work starts in spring 2026 and continues through 2027.

The following 2026 projects will continue construction in 2027:

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8. Interstate 55 bridge painting – This project paints several bridges that carry I-55 between Gravois Creek and 2nd Street. It includes the northbound and southbound bridges over Gravois Creek, Green Park Road, River Des Peres, the Union Pacific Railroad, and south 2nd Street. There should be minimal impact to traffic on the interstate. This work will begin in spring 2027 and should be complete later in the year.

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9. Interstate 64 pavement maintenance – This project fills cracks and repairs concrete on the interstate between McCausland Avenue and Sarah Street. This project starts in early 2027 and should be complete by fall 2027.

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10. Future 64: Interstate 64 bridge maintenance – This project replaces the eastbound bridge over Vandeventer Avenue and rehabilitates the westbound bridge over Vandeventer Avenue. The project will require a full closure of the eastbound bridge for roughly a year, with eastbound traffic detoured onto city streets. Will also include interchange updates at Grand, to include building a north-south city street to provide a new connection between Forest Park and Spruce and constructing a shared use path along portions of Bernard, Teresa and Forest Park with a pedestrian crossing at Teresa and Forest Park. Work begins in late 2027 and continues into late 2029.

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11. Route H (Riverview) pavement improvements – This project updates the driving surface on the route from Hall Street to Interstate 270. Work starts in early 2027 and continues through the year.

