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North St. Louis County News

Meet Your New North St. Louis County Area Engineer

I would like to take a moment to introduce myself. My name is Betherny Williams and I have replaced Lisa Kuntz as the MoDOT North St. Louis County Area Engineer.

I earned my degree in civil engineering from Southern University in Baton Rouge, Louisiana and have been with MoDOT for more than 13 years.

Prior to my promotion, I worked as a senior construction inspector. I have worked on major MoDOT construction projects such as: Stan Musial Veteran's Memorial Bridge, 15 Bridge rehabilitation project on the I-270 and I-170 interchange and the Lindbergh resurfacing project.

I am very excited about this new challenge as your area engineer. I look forward to working with the residents, legislators and businesses in North St. Louis County to help the area flourish in the years to come.



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1-888-ASK-MODOT
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New Crossing Signal Improves Pedestrian Safety on New Florissant Road

Recently, MoDOT crews installed a new type of pedestrian crossing on Florissant Road (Route N) just south of Eddy Avenue. The signal provides protected crossing for pedestrians on Florissant Road.

The crossing signal acts like a traffic signal but remains completely dark until it is activated by a pedestrian. Pedestrians can activate the signal by pushing a button.

When activated, drivers will see a flashing yellow light indicating the need to reduce speed, followed by a solid yellow light, and then a solid red light requiring drivers to stop while pedestrians are crossing. Pedestrians must wait during the yellow lights and cross only when the light is solid red for traffic and a countdown signal activates, showing the amount of time to safely cross.

After the countdown, the lights will flash red, indicating drivers can proceed, if clear, through the intersection. The lights remain dark until another pedestrian activates the signal.

[Click here to view the how-to-use demonstration image](#)

I-270 North project moves forward

Project Director Justin Wolf recently met with members of the I-270 North Community Advisory Group (CAG) to update them on the status of the project. The project is scheduled to begin in 2020. To stay abreast on the I-270 North project, visit i270North.org or send an email to Justin.Wolf@modot.mo.gov.

