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Project Purpose and Need

A connection between Ameriplex
Parkway and Southport Road has
been identified in the Marion County
Thoroughfare Plan since 1997



Purpose:

To improve east-west connectivity across the southern part of Marion County

To support economic development within the southwest portion of Marion County



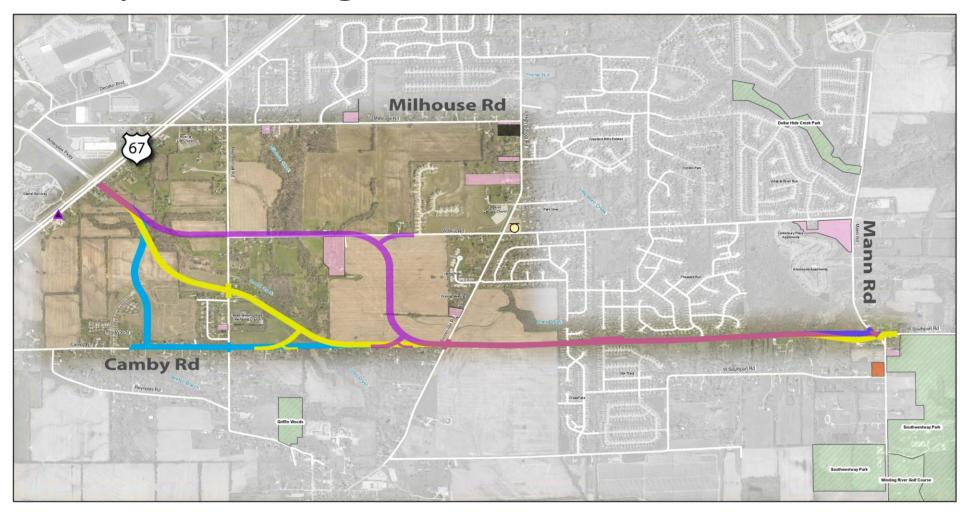
Original Alignment Study

- Original Alignment Study completed in November 2017
 - Evaluated multiple alignments to connect SR 67 to Mann Road
 - Conducted Public meeting in May 2017 to share data collected and seek input
 - Study was then put on hold





Analyzed 3 Alignments





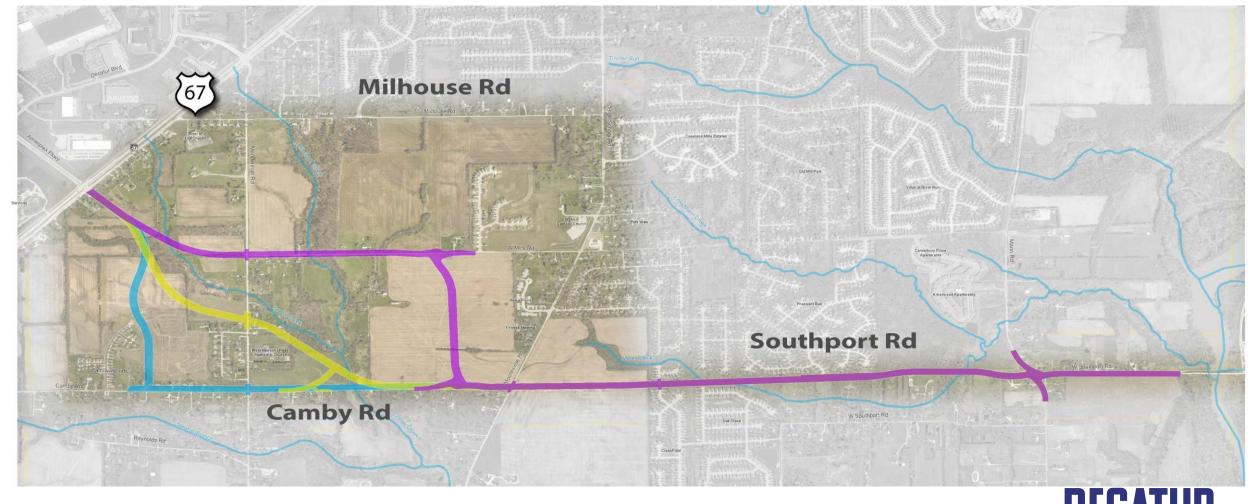
Updated Alignment Study Began in 2019

- Why now?
 - Funding for I-69 identified and construction beginning
- What was updated?
 - Extended project to White River
 - Environmental impacts
 - Traffic projections
 - Costs





Analyzed 3 Alignments



Legend Alternative 3 Right-of-Way Limits Alternative 2 Right-of-Way Limits Roads Alternative 1 Right-of-Way Limits

CONNECTING THE COMMUNITY.

Prepared Traffic Forecasts



Travel Demand Model used to project future traffic demand 21,000 to 27,000 vehicles per day in 2045 from Kentucky Avenue and Mann Road 38,000 to 40,000 vehicles per day on Southport Road east of Mann Road



Stop control on lower volume streets that intersect the new roadway..



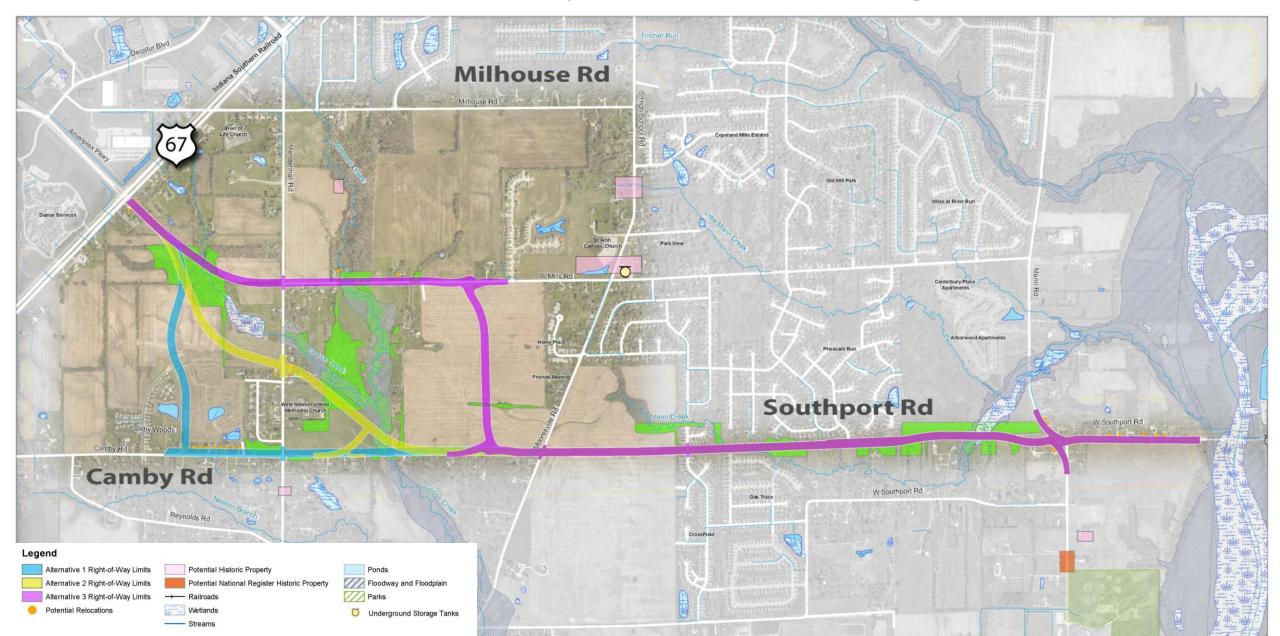
Traffic signals or roundabouts assumed at higher volume intersections.



Detailed traffic forecasts and analysis would be necessary during project design to select the best intersection control and lane configurations.



Identified Potential Impacts of Each Alignment

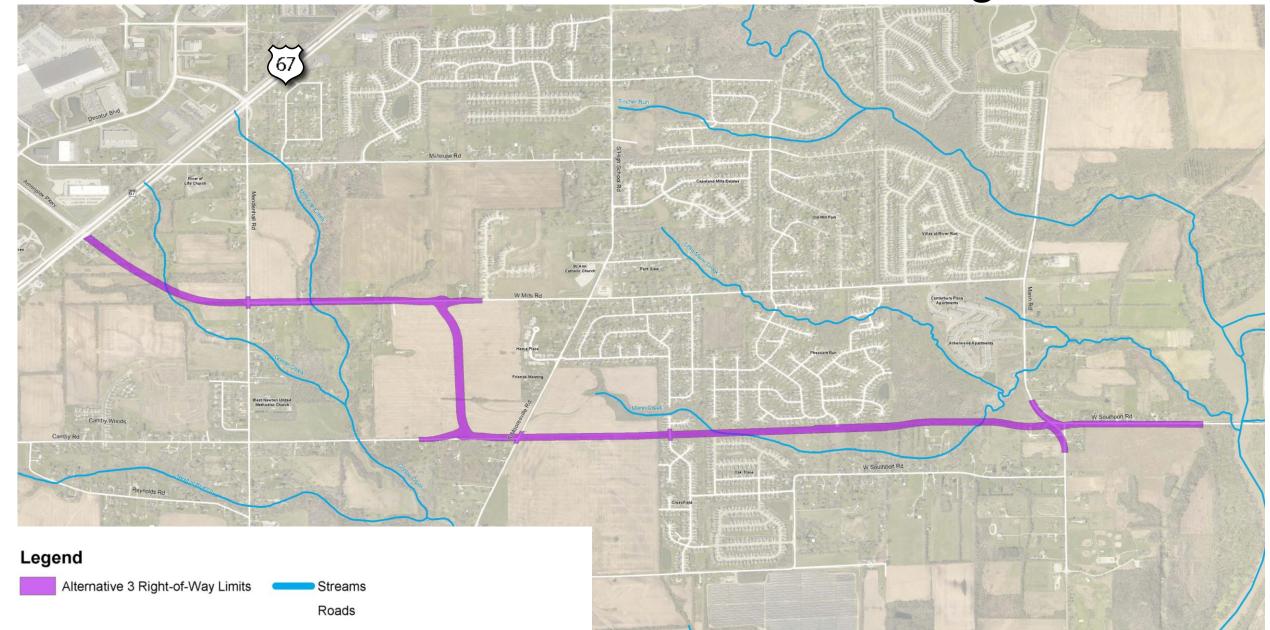


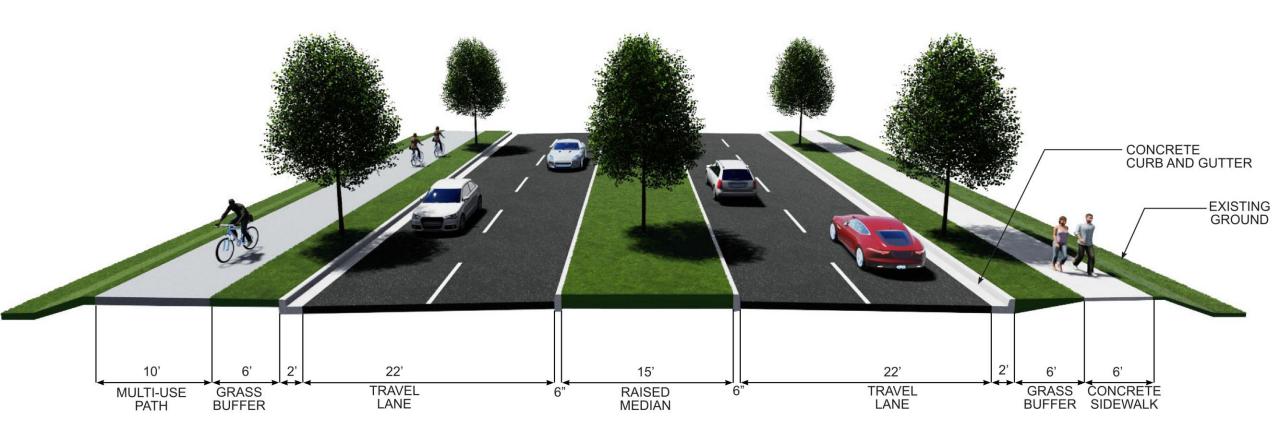
Comparison of Alternatives

Impact		Alternative 1	Alternative 2	Alternative 3
Alternative Length		3.76 miles	3.44 miles	3.62 miles
Streams & Wetlands	Stream Crossings	4	4	5
	Stream Impacts	1,702 feet	1,752 feet	1,948 feet
	Floodplain/Floodway	1.8 acres	2.2 acres	2.4 acres
	Wetland Impacts	0.5 acres	0.5 acres	0.5 acres
Right-of-Way	New Right of Way	103 acres	103 acres	102 acres
Potential Relocations	Residential	16 homes	21 homes	6 homes
Land Use	Forest Impacts	10.7 acres	12.4 acres	11.0 acres
	Residential Impacts	24.4 acres	20.5 acres	18.4 acres
	Commercial Impacts	<0.1 acres	1.1 acres	<0.1 acres
	Agricultural Impacts	76.4 acres	78.4 acres	82.3 acres
	Exempt / Park Impacts	2.2 acres	2.2 acres	2.2 acres
Costs		\$75-\$85 million	\$70-\$80 million	\$70-\$80 million



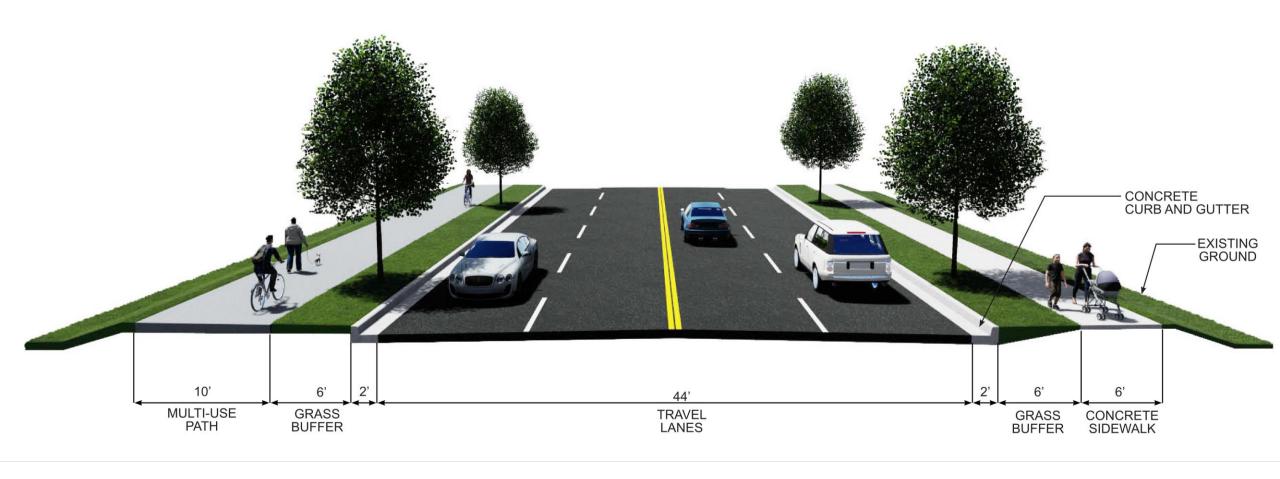
Alternative 3 is Recommended as Preferred Alignment





Typical Section

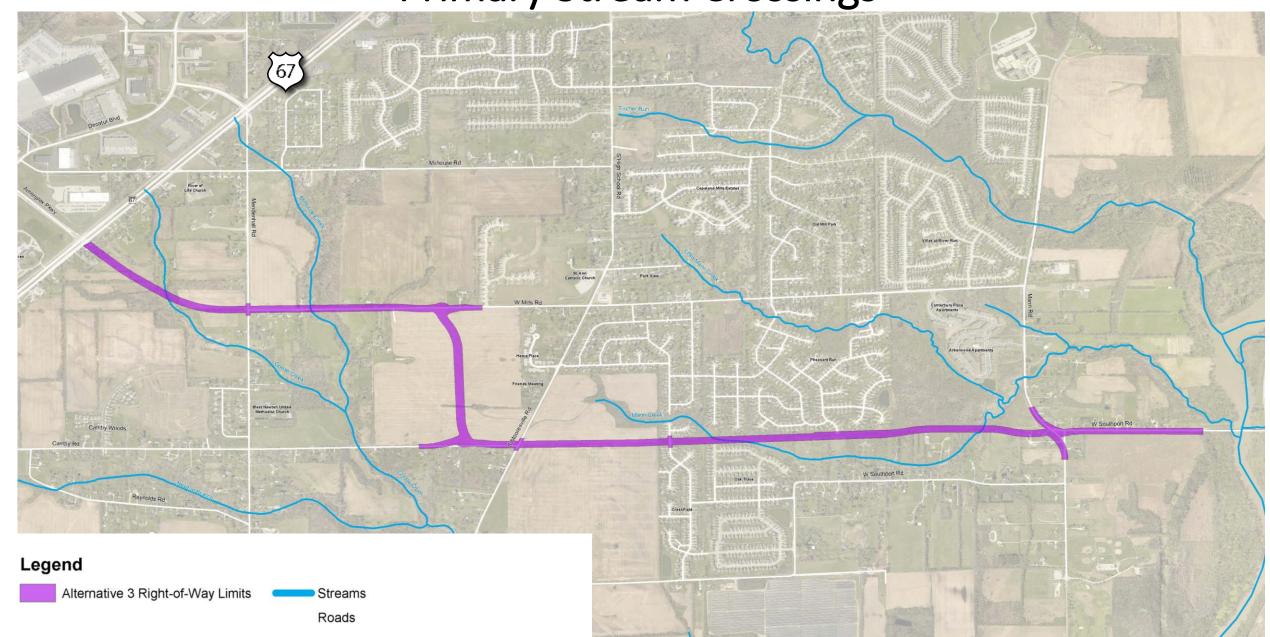




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Primary Stream Crossings

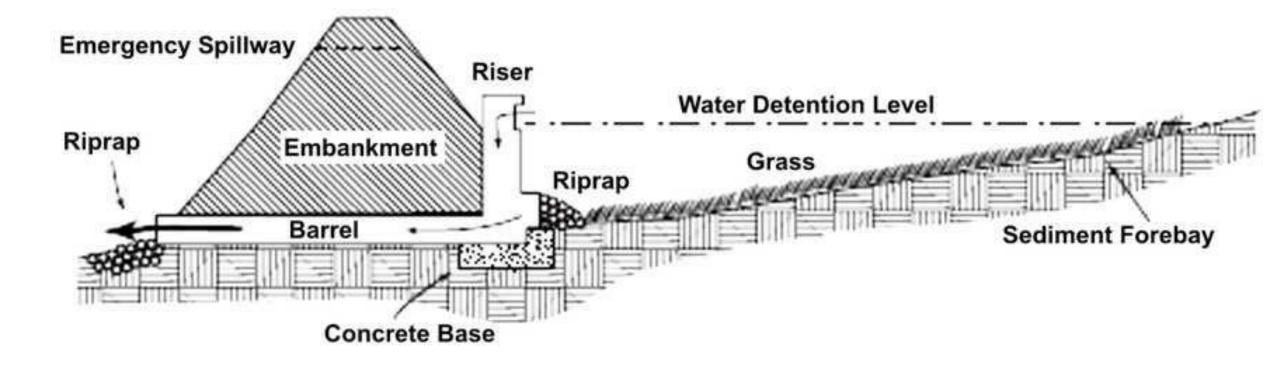




Detention Basins

- Detention ponds (dry basin and wet pond shown here) are meant to gather and slow down water from roadways and rooftops
- The capture of water slows down erosion in the receiving streams and generally reduces flood flows.
- Safety precautions such as curbs or guardrails must be taken to protect drivers exiting the road in the vicinity of a wet pond.





Detention Basins

- The sediment forebay that provides a water quality improvement component
- The outlet structure through the barrel (which creates the reduction in flows exiting the basin)
- The emergency spillway for inflows greater than those that are in City standards.
- This depiction could be for either a dry basin or wet pond.







PEDESTRIAN & BIKE FRIENDLY DESIGN



ROUNDABOUTS



LIGHTING







Pedestrian & Bike Friendly Design

- Sidewalks for Pedestrians
- Multiuse Path for Bikers
- ADA Compliant
- Optional Pedestrian Hybrid Beacon (HAWK Signal)







Roundabouts

- Improved Safety
- Improved Traffic Operations
- Promote Traffic Calming reduced travel speed through corridor.







Lighting

- Intersection and Roundabout Lighting
- Pedestrian Safety at Crosswalks



Next Steps



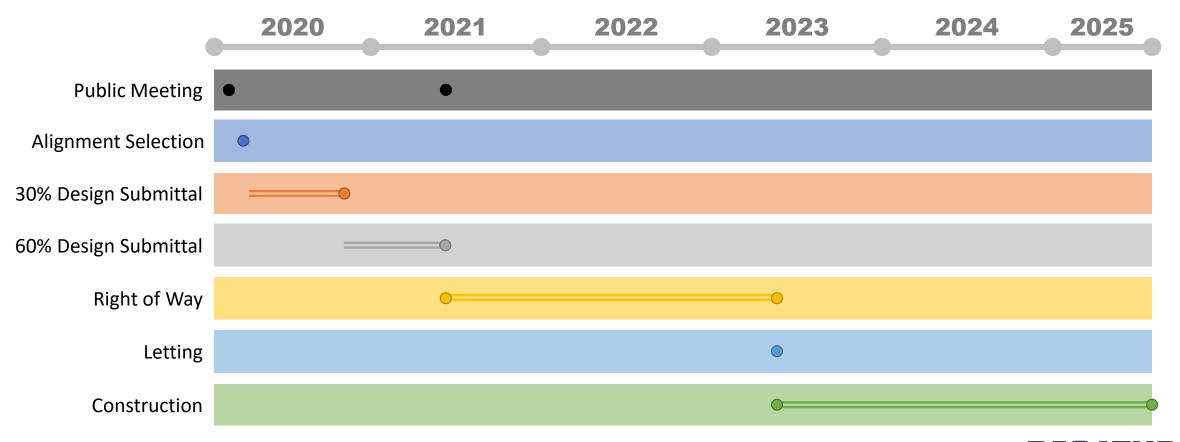
Input from Public and Stakeholders by March 6



Alignment Selection and Engineer's Report



Timeline





How to share your input



Information Stations

GOOGLE EARTH STATIONS

Zoom in on your area of interest

ROLL PLOTS

Overall view of the project

RIGHT OF WAY PROCESS

Find out how offers are made

ALIGNMENT STUDY

Get more details about the alignment study

PUBLIC COMMENT STATIONS

Please stop by to share your thoughts

DRAINAGE

Get information about roadway drainage

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACTS

Get information on environmental considerations

