

Springfield/Greene County



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Lane Widening, Bridge Replacement & Interchange Improvement Project



## I-44 Widening in Greene County

Springfield



### PROJECT FACTS

- Widening I-44 to 6 lanes between Missouri Route 13 (Kansas Expressway) and U.S. Route 65
- Build southbound Missouri Route 13 (Kansas Expressway) to eastbound I-44 flyover ramp
- Norton Road intersection improvements and underpass
- Replace the Melville Road bridge over I-44 (includes adding pedestrian facilities)
- Replace the following bridges carrying I-44 over city streets:
  - Broadway Avenue Bridge
  - Grant Avenue Bridge
  - National Avenue Bridge
- Rehabilitate Route EE (Division Street) Bridge over I-44
- Build pedestrian underpass and trail improvements east of Grant Avenue
- Resurface I-44 between west of Missouri Route 266 (Chestnut Expressway) and east of Missouri Route 125
- Build a sound wall south of I-44 from the National Avenue bridge west, approximately 2,550 feet



### TRAFFIC IMPACTS

- Lane Closures on I-44, Norton Road, Kansas Expressway & Route EE (Division Street) bridge
- Road and bridge closures for the following locations:
  - Broadway Avenue closed up to 140 days
  - Grant Avenue closed up to 140 days
  - National Avenue closed up to 140 days
  - Route EE bridge closed up to 90 days
  - Melville Road bridge closed up to 140 days
- I-44 will maintain two lanes of traffic in each direction, except for short duration closures during night time hours
- Narrowed lanes and traffic shifts on Route I-44
- I-44 Exit ramp closures
- During higher traffic volume, drivers can expect delays



### PROJECT TIMELINE

- Public Meeting—March 19, 2024
- Construction: 2025—2026
  - Widening I-44 between Glenstone Ave and Route 65
  - Melville Bridge Replacement
  - Resurface I-44 west of Route 266 and east of Route 125
  - Widening I-44 between Kansas Expy and Glenstone Ave
  - I-44 Sound Wall construction
- Public Meeting for Kansas Expressway Interchange—Winter 2025
- Construction: 2027—2028
  - I-44 and Kansas Expy Interchange Improvements
  - Route EE Bridge Rehab

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