



# Osage River Bridge Replacement Route B, Cole County

## Frequently Asked Questions

### **What is the purpose of tonight's public meeting?**

The purpose of tonight's public meeting is to gather input about the upcoming rehabilitation of the Osage River Bridge on Route B in Cole County.

### **What work is included as a part of this project?**

Construction crews will remove and replace the outer 3 feet of each lane along the length of the bridge. Crews will replace the expansion joints in the bridge deck, which allow the deck to flex with traffic movement and changes in temperatures. A thin layer of concrete will be placed across the entire length of the bridge deck to smooth the driving surface. Some areas of the bridge girders will be painted.

### **How will traffic be affected?**

One lane will remain open across the bridge during construction and temporary traffic signals will guide motorists through the work zone. Motorists are encouraged to follow work zone signing and drive safely through the work area.

### **When will work take place?**

Work will begin in early 2013 and take about four months to complete.

### **Will additional right of way be needed to construct this project?**

No additional right of way is needed for this work.

### **What is the project cost?**

The project will cost about \$3.6 million to construct.

### **How do I learn more?**

You may learn more by contact us toll free at 1-888-ASK-MoDOT (275-6636) or by visiting us on the Web at [www.modot.org/central](http://www.modot.org/central).