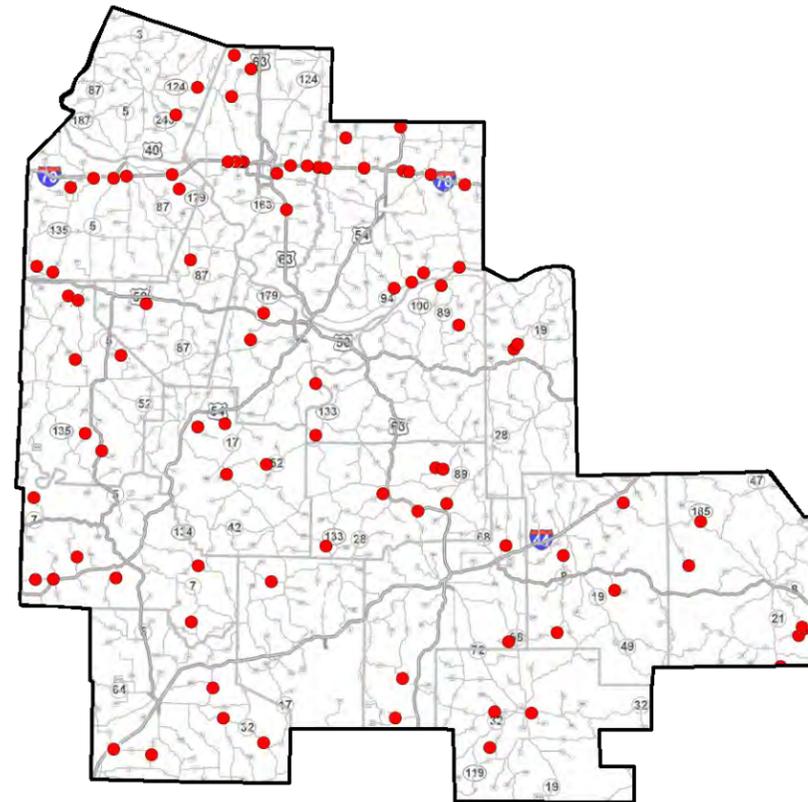
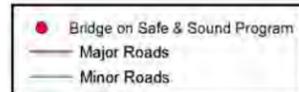


Safe & Sound Bridges In Mid-Missouri

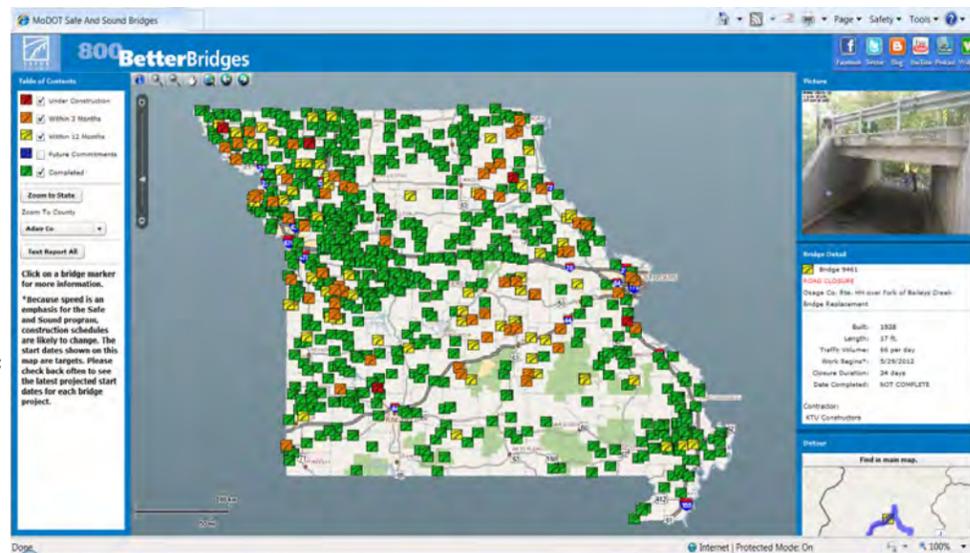
The following shows the location of mid-Missouri bridges included in the Safe & Sound program.

For details, log onto
www.modot.org/safeandsound.



Construction Status

Go to www.modot.org/safeandsound to learn more about the Safe & Sound program. An interactive map showing the status of bridge improvements is available online. To talk with a member of our staff, call 1-888-ASK-MoDOT (275-6636). You can also sign up for MoDOT's e-update system (www.modot.org) and receive project updates customized to your preference — by specific county or region of the state.



Signs of Improvement

Safe & Sound signs are posted on all bridges included in the program to notify the public of bridges scheduled for improvement. Prior to the start of construction, signs displaying a brief description of the work as well as the completion season and year will be installed. Check the web site or call MoDOT to get the latest projected start dates for each bridge.

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Osage County Community Briefing

Osage County R-I School District Multipurpose Room, 614 S. Poplar, Chamois, Mo.
Feb. 15, 2012, 4:30 to 6 p.m.

Frequently Asked Questions

1. What is the Safe & Sound Bridge Improvement Program?

Safe & Sound will replace or rehabilitate 802 of MoDOT's most worn-out bridges in five years — by the end of 2013. Bridge improvements began in early 2009 and over 670 are already completed. MoDOT is completing 248 bridges using innovative contracting methods. The other 554 bridges are part of a \$487 million design/build contract with KTU Constructors. Bonds will be sold to pay for the bridge work, with annual payments of about \$50 million. MoDOT will use one-third of the federal bridge placement funds it receives annually to make payments.

2. How many bridges are included in the Safe & Sound program in the central Missouri area?

Ninety bridges in the central Missouri area are included in the program. Tonight's meeting will focus on two bridges in Osage County that are scheduled for construction in 2012.

Route K, Doolings Creek, located just south of Chamois

Route HH, Fork of Bailey's Creek, located three miles east of Route 89

3. What type of improvements are planned for the bridges featured at tonight's meeting?

Both bridges will be completely replaced. Some temporary easements may be needed at the bridge locations.

4. When will work take place?

Work on the Route K bridge is scheduled to start in March 2012 and will last for approximately 45 days. Work on the Route HH bridge is scheduled to begin in late May 2012 and will take about 34 days to complete. Because construction crews across the state are moving from one bridge to another at an accelerated pace, construction schedules can change. Motorists should be aware that start dates can fluctuate as the contractor progresses from bridge to bridge. Check the Web site or call to get the latest projected start dates for each bridge. You can also sign up for MoDOT's e-update system (www.modot.org) and receive project updates customized to your preference — by county or region of the state.

5. How will traffic be handled during construction?

To speed construction and save money, the Route K and Route HH bridges will close completely during construction and motorists will need to find alternate routes around the work area.

6. Who do I contact for more information?

The public is always encouraged to contact us toll free at 1-888-ASK-MoDOT (275-6636) with questions and comments. Information about Safe & Sound and a complete listing of bridges included in the program can be found at www.modot.org/safeandsound.

Osage County, Route K, Doolings Creek Bridge

Bridge Replacement. Closure duration is approximately 45 days.
No signed detour. Motorists should seek alternate routes.

Osage County, Route HH, Fork of Bailey's Creek Bridge

Bridge Replacement. Closure duration is approximately 34 days.
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