



800 Better Bridges



Community Briefing

MoDOT's Harrisburg Maintenance Facility
September 3, 2009
4:30—6 p.m.

Frequently Asked Questions

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

Safe & Sound is an innovative program developed to replace or rehabilitate more than 800 of MoDOT's most worn-out bridges in five years. Since early 2009, nearly 80 bridges across the state have already been improved. MoDOT will sell bonds to pay for the project, with annual payments of approximately \$50 million. MoDOT will use roughly one-third of the federal bridge replacement funds it receives each year to make those payments. The Safe & Sound program requires no additional funding.

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 and scheduled for improvement within the next five years. The following bridges are being featured at tonight's meeting:

Boone County

- Route 124, Perche Creek Bridge
- Route NN, Perche Creek Bridge

The cost for improvements to the bridges listed is approximately \$610,000.

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

The bridge decks will be replaced and work will be completed within the existing right of way.

4. How will traffic be handled during construction?

To speed construction and save money, the bridges will be closed to traffic during construction. Work is planned between early 2010 and fall 2010. Once work begins, each bridge is expected to remain closed for 45 days and traffic will be detoured around the work area. Both bridges will not close at the same time. Please refer to the back of this handout for details.

5. Who do I contact for more information?

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

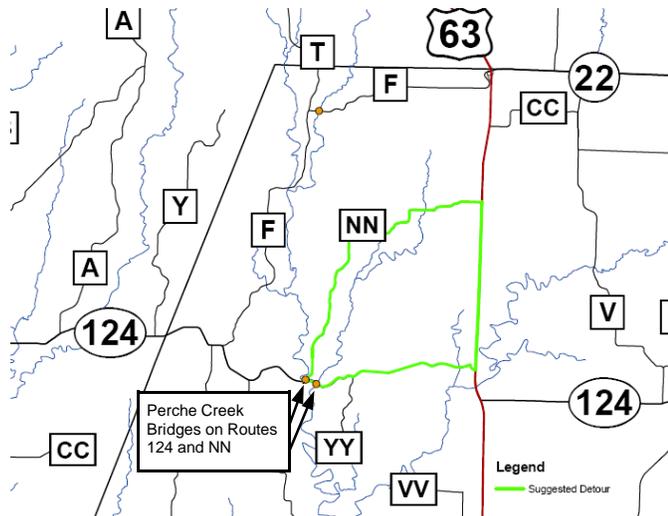
Signs Of Improvement!

Safe & Sound signs are posted on all bridges included in the program to notify the public of bridges scheduled for improvement. Thirty days 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.



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BOONE, ROUTES 124 AND NN —PERCHE CREEK BRIDGES



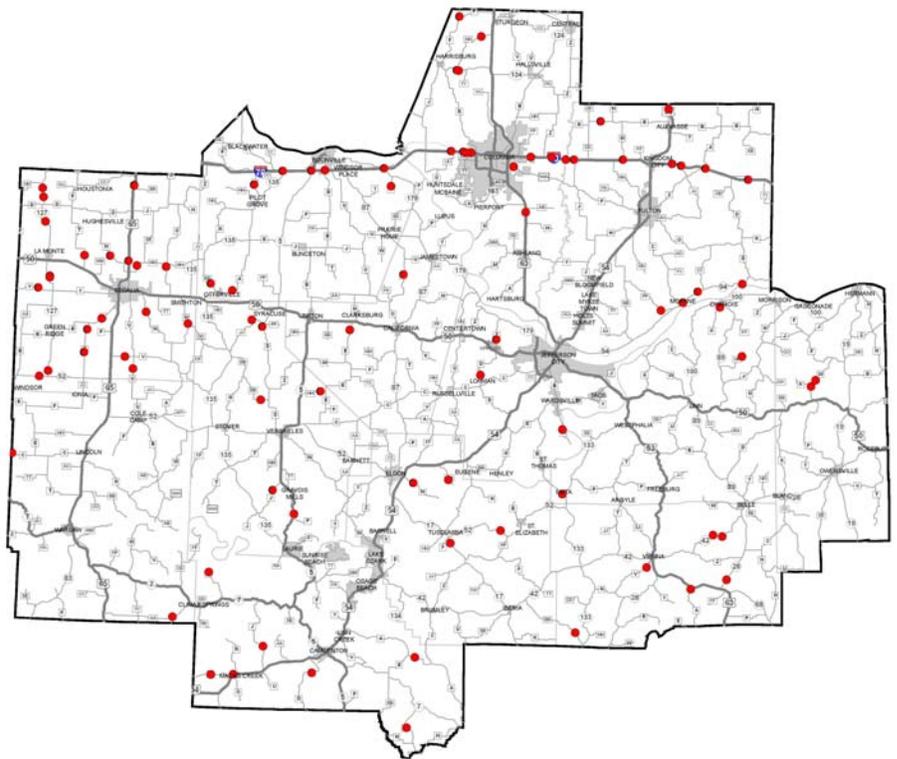
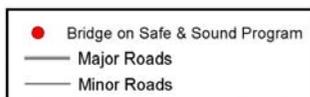
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 Traffic will be detoured around the work area on Routes 124, NN and 63.

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



Log onto 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).