



## **Jamieson Bridge Deck Replacement over Interstate 44**

### **Why are Improvements Needed on the Jamieson Avenue Bridge over Interstate 44?**

The Jamieson Avenue Bridge over Interstate 44 was built in 1971 and carries over 15,000 vehicles per day. It has deteriorated beyond the point of performing maintenance repairs to the driving surface on the bridge. The Jamieson Avenue bridge deck needs to be removed and replaced.

### **What Improvements Will MoDOT Accomplish?**

- Remove and replace the existing bridge deck
- Add decorative fencing to the bridge
- Add decorative lighting to the bridge (sponsored by the City of St. Louis)
- Replace sidewalks along the bridge

### **How Will Traffic Be Impacted?**

Jamieson Avenue over Interstate 44 will be fully closed to pedestrians and vehicles from late June 2011 when the project begins until mid-October 2011 when the bridge reopens to traffic.

There will be various lane closures on Interstate 44 on weekdays and weekends during off-peak travel times. The removal of the driving surface on the bridge will require lane closures on I-44. The interstate ramps to/from Jamieson Avenue will remain open for the duration of the project.

### **Detour Routes**

There will be signed detours for pedestrians and vehicles.

*\*Maps of the detour routes are provided as handouts.*

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## **When Will Construction Begin?**

The project is expected to begin in late June 2011. The Jamieson Bridge will be opened to traffic by mid-October 2011. Construction will be completed by early April 2012. The estimated cost for this project is \$4 million.

## **Check out the Virtual Public Meeting!**

*\*It will be live after 3 p.m. March 10 and available until March 23.*

People who are not available to attend can view the same information on a virtual public meeting webpage at the following link:

[http://www.modot.org/stlouis/major\\_projects/JamiesonBridgeReplacementProjectVirtualPublicMeeting.htm](http://www.modot.org/stlouis/major_projects/JamiesonBridgeReplacementProjectVirtualPublicMeeting.htm)

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