



DECATUR AREA PROJECTS July 2025

ONGOING PROJECTS

- A U.S. 51 FROM NORTH OF FORSYTH TO I-72**
Scope: Resurfacing and ADA improvements.
Project Cost: \$13.9M
Project Duration: Spring 2024 – Summer 2025
Traffic Impacts: Lane closures with one lane open in each direction.
- B U.S. 36 AND WEST ELDORADO STREET (U.S. 36 FROM ILLINOIS 48 TO CHURCH STREET AND WEST ELDORADO STREET FROM ILLINOIS 48 TO U.S. 36)**
Scope: Resurfacing, ADA improvements including sidewalks ramps, traffic signal modernization and replacement, bridge joint replacement.
Project Cost: \$8.4M
Project Duration: June 2024 – August 2025
Traffic Impacts: Lane closures with one lane open in each direction.
- C BRUSH COLLEGE ROAD AND FARIES PARKWAY**
Scope: Creates a grade separation at the intersection of Brush College Road and Faries Parkway, including over two railroad tracks.
Project Cost: \$75M (This project is led by the city with significant state contributions.)
Project Duration: October 2023 – July 2026
Traffic Impacts: The south leg of Brush College Road is closed. Other lane closures will be occurring around the area. Detour utilizes North 22nd Street.
- D REAS BRIDGE ROAD**
Scope: Removal and replacement of two bridge structures carrying Reas Bridge Road over Lake Decatur.
Project Cost: \$30M (This project is led by Macon County with significant state contributions.)
Project Duration: September 2023 – June 2026
Traffic Impacts: Reas Bridge Road traffic will be down to one lane through the different stages of the construction. Signals will be used to direct traffic through the work zone.

UPCOMING PROJECTS

- E U.S. 36 OVER LAKE SHORE DRIVE**
Scope: Bridge replacement.
Project Cost: \$2.36M
Project Duration: September 2025 – November 2026
Traffic Impacts: Lane closures with one lane open in each direction.
- F ILLINOIS 48 AT MOSQUITO CREEK 1.5 MILES NORTHEAST OF BLUE MOUND**
Scope: Bridge replacement.
Project Cost: \$2.36M
Project Duration: September 2025 – November 2026
Traffic Impacts: Lane closures with one lane open in each direction.
- G I-72 AT U.S. 36 EXIT TO HARRISTOWN BOULEVARD; U.S. 36: I-72 TO 0.2 MILE WEST OF HARRISTOWN BOULEVARD AND U.S. 51: I-72 TO CANTRELL ROAD WEST OF DECATUR**
Scope: Lighting replacement.
Project Cost: \$3.3M
Project Duration: Summer 2025 – Spring 2026
Traffic Impacts: Lane closures with one lane open in each direction.
- H I-72 OVER ILLINOIS 121 AND CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILROAD NORTHWEST OF DECATUR**
Scope: Bridge replacement.
Project Cost: \$15.1M
Project Duration: September 2025 – November 2026
Traffic Impacts: Lane closures with one lane open in each direction.