

Hot Spring County Leadership Forum



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ARDOT OVERVIEW

ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION



**Chairman
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**Vice Chairman
Keith Gibson**



**Commissioner
Marie Holder**



**Commissioner
David Haak**



**Commissioner
Jerry Halsey**

Director

Jared D. Wiley, P.E.





ARDOT Quick Facts

- 3rd Largest State Agency
- Approximately 3,900 Employees
- Maintain 16,371 miles of Highway and 7,335 Bridges
- Highway System valued at \$140 billion
- Central Offices in Little Rock

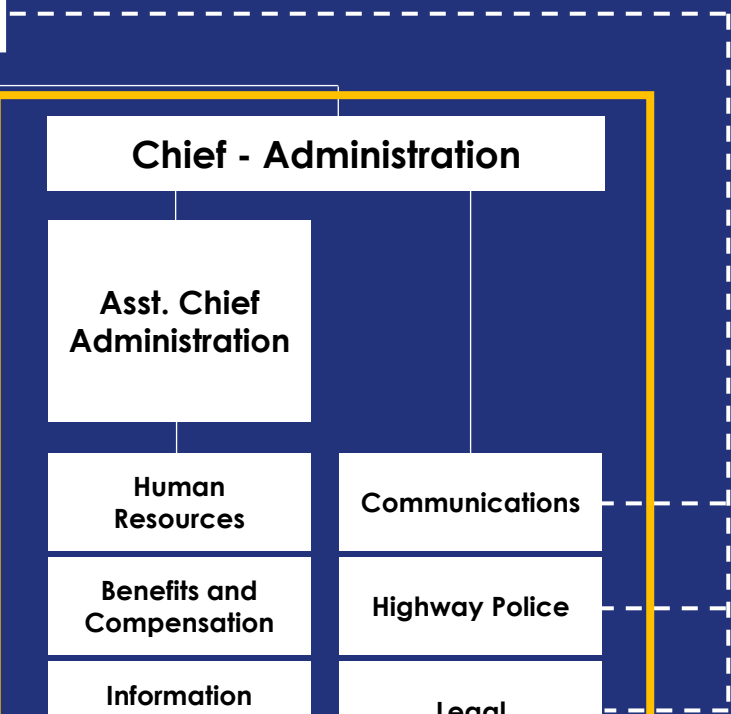
Citizens of Arkansas

Governor & Legislature

Highway Commission

Director

Internal Audit



Chief Engineer - Preconstruction

Asst. Chief Engineer Planning

Asst. Chief Engineer Program Delivery

Asst. Chief Engineer Design

Planning & Research

Alternative Delivery

Bridge

Environmental

Local Programs

Right of Way

Consultant Contracts

Program Management

Roadway Design

State Aid

Surveys

Chief Engineer - Operations

Asst. Chief Engineer Construction

Asst. Chief Engineer Maintenance

10 Districts

Construction

Maintenance

Materials

Bridge Operations

Transportation Systems Management & Operations

Chief - Administration

Asst. Chief Administration

Human Resources

Communications

Benefits and Compensation

Highway Police

Information Technology

Legal

Equipment & Procurement

Governmental Relations Officer

Fiscal Services

Special Projects Coordinator

Civil Rights

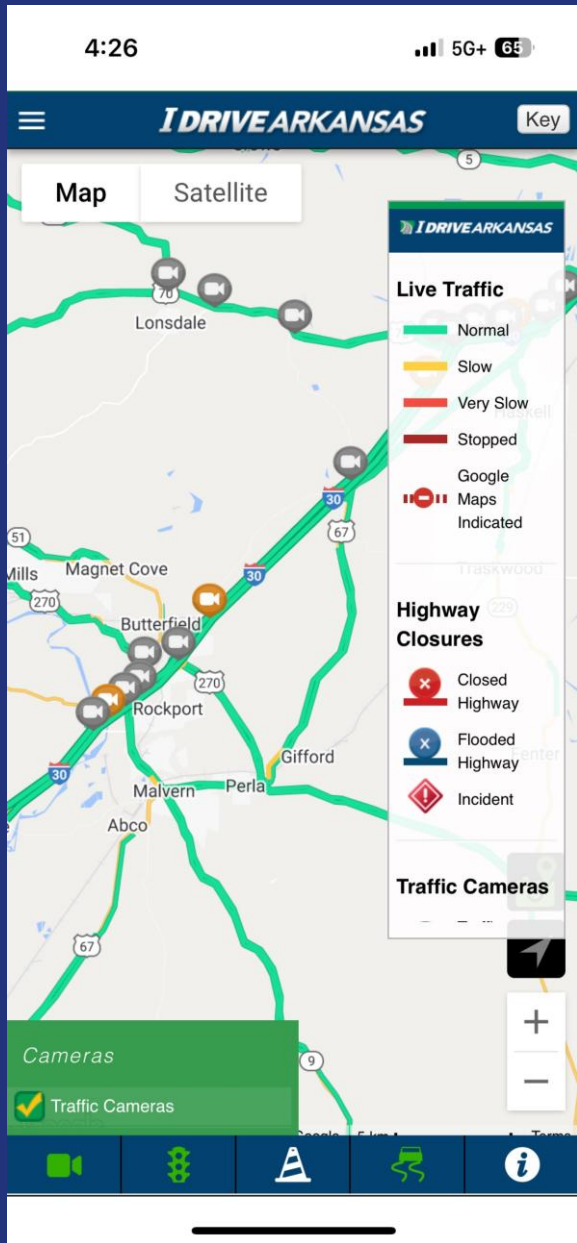


Hunter Lake

District 6 Engineer

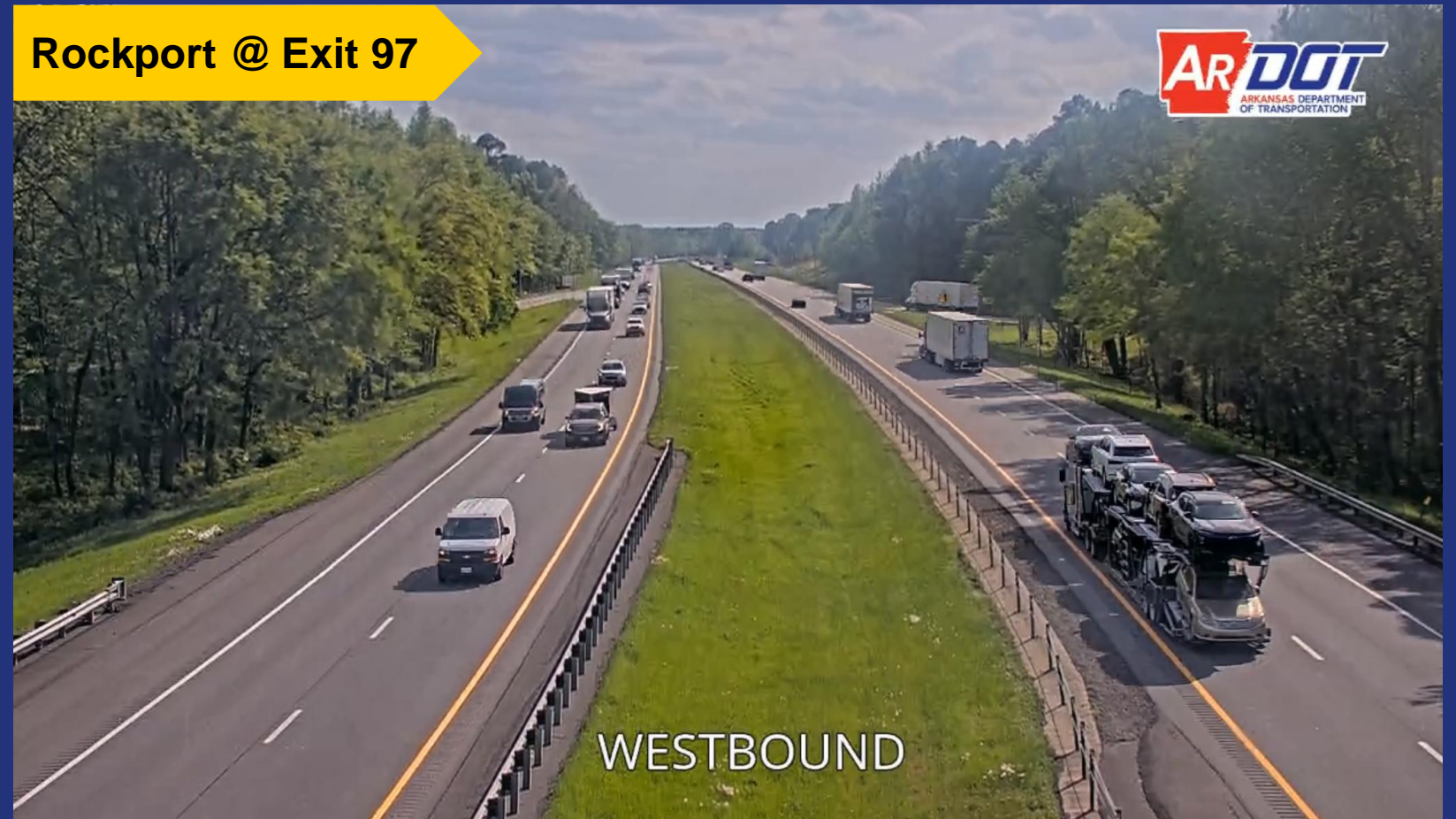
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Rockport @ Exit 97





YEAR ONE



2025-2026 school year



6-8th graders statewide



Seatbelts, bicycle and pedestrian safety & distracted brains



SLOW DOWN
PHONE DOWN
in work zones

YEAR FOUR



2025-2026



18-24-year-olds
statewide



Distracted driving

ANNUAL FUNDING

01

State Funds

\$1.3 Billion

02

Federal Funds

\$843 Million



STIP

STATEWIDE
TRANSPORTATION
IMPROVEMENT
PROGRAM

FEDERAL FISCAL YEARS
2025-2028



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2025-2028 STIP



743 Projects



4,500 Miles



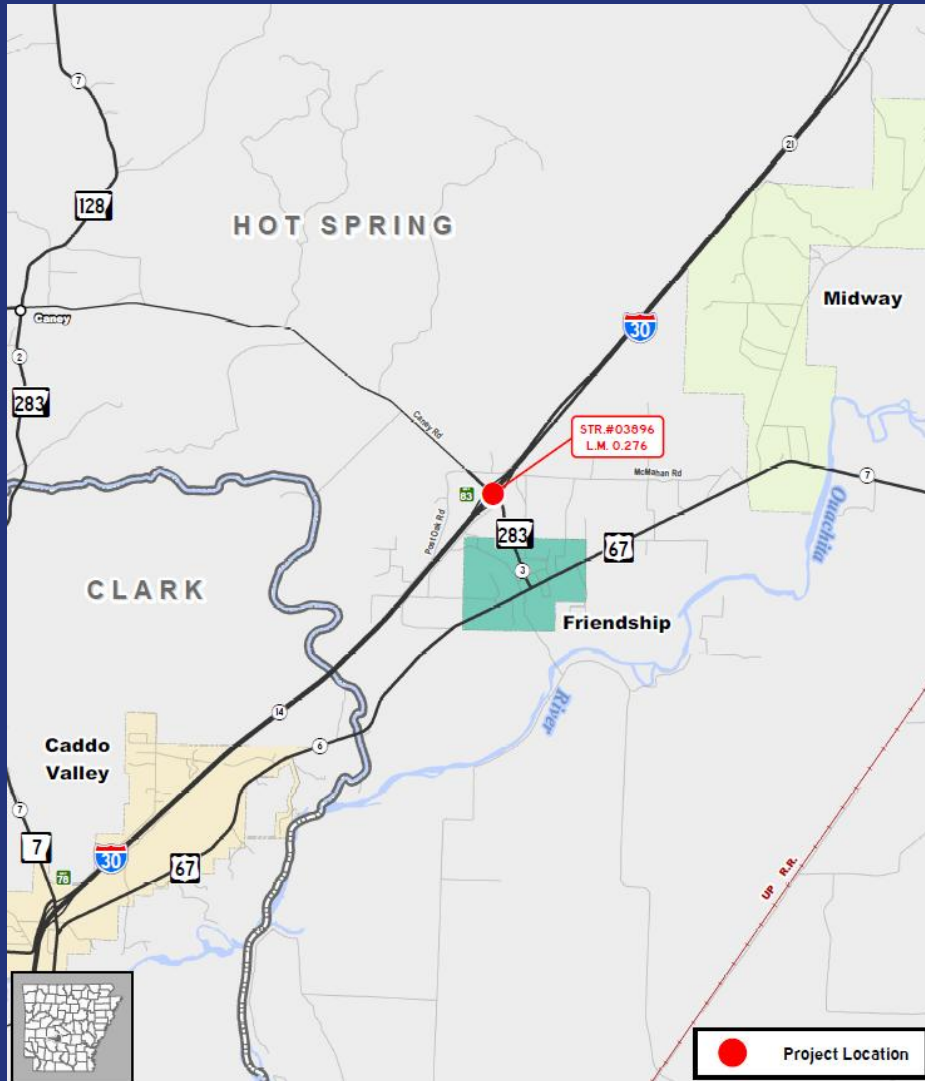
212 Bridges



\$5 Billion

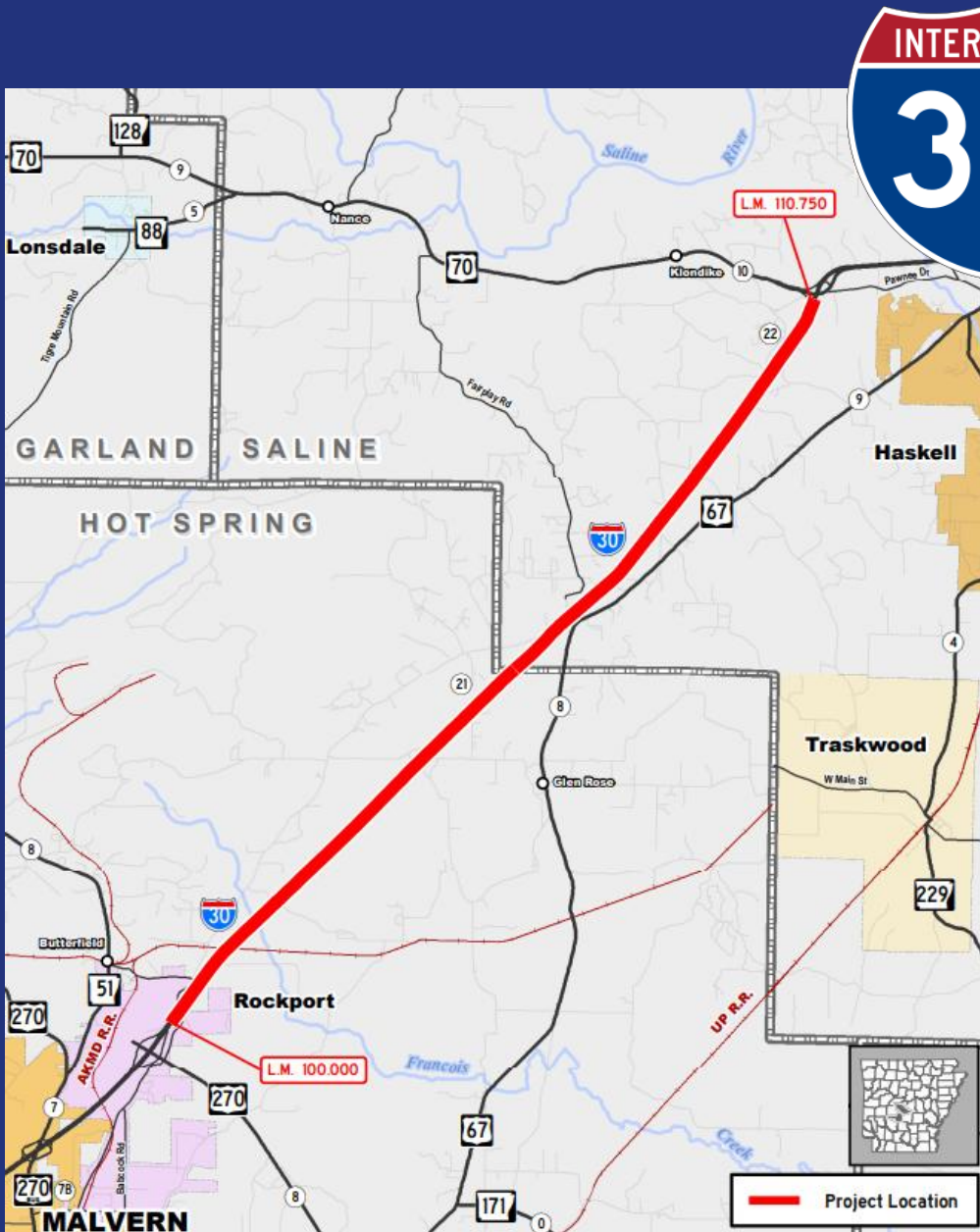


PROJECT UPDATES



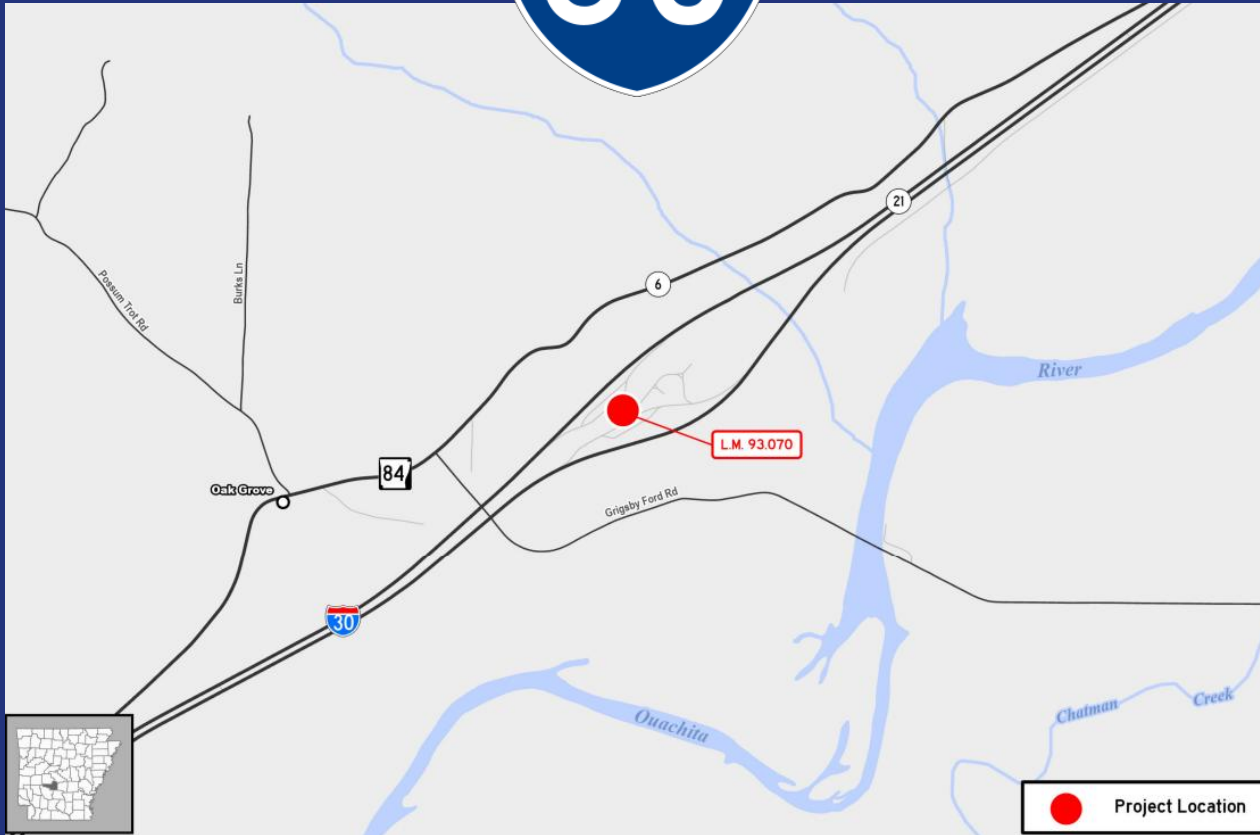
HIGHWAY 283

- Bridge Replacement
- Kiewit Infrastructure South Co.
- Estimated Completion 2027
- \$8.8 million



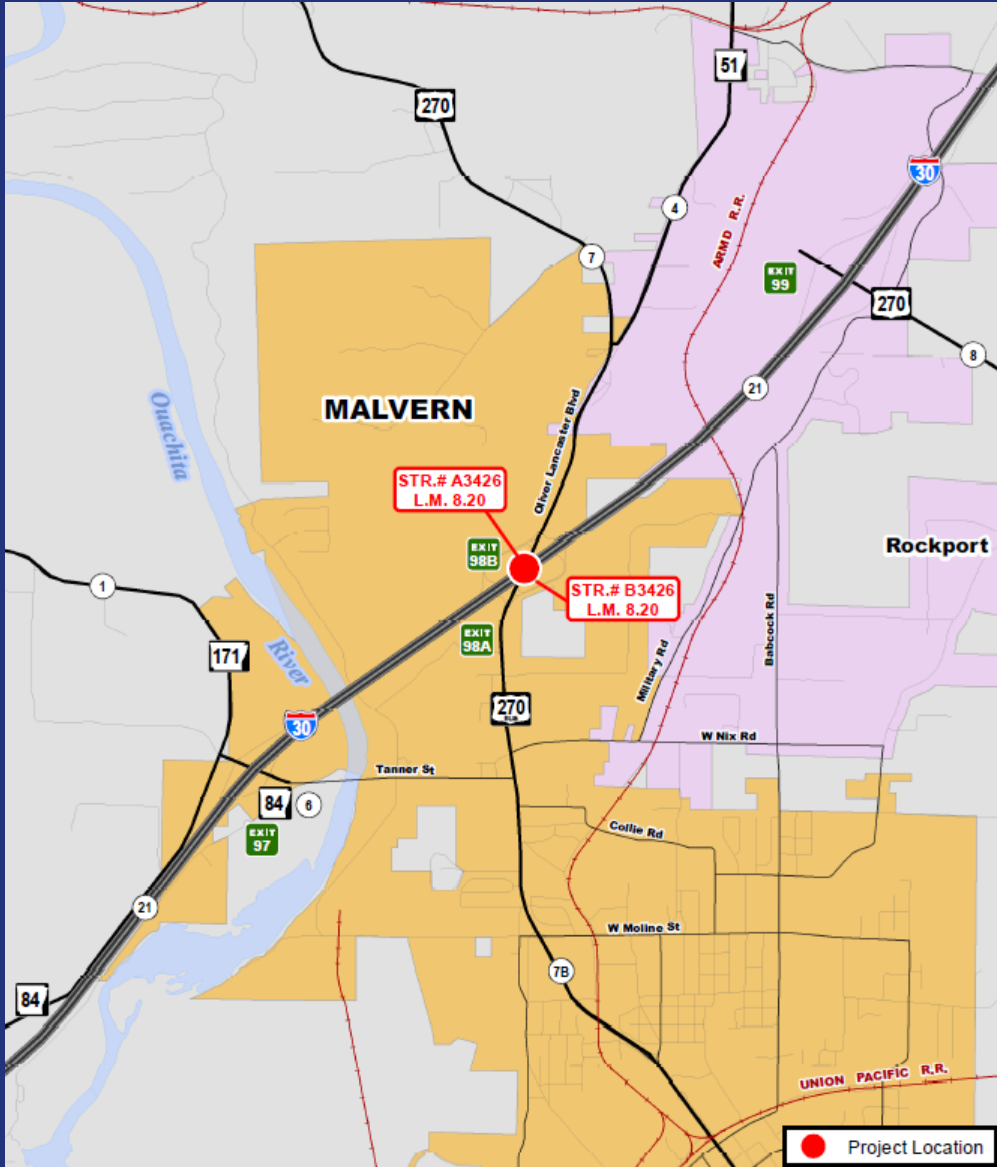
INTERSTATE 30 REHABILITATION

- Total 10.75 miles
- Emery Sapp & Sons, Inc.
- Estimated Completion 2025
- \$19 million



SOCIAL HILL REST AREA

- Improve Safety Lighting
- Begin Summer 2025
- TLS Construction Group
- \$970k
- Estimated Completion Early 2026



I-30 / HWY. 270

- Replace 2 bridge structures
- Increase Capacity and Safety
- Shovel Ready 2027
- \$75 million

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