



ROGERS ROTARY CLUB WEEKLY MEETING

DISTRICT ENGINEER STACY BURGE

SEPTEMBER 16, 2025





ARDOT OVERVIEW



ARDOT QUICK FACTS

**3RD LARGEST
STATE AGENCY**

**MAINTAIN MORE
THAN 16,000 MILES OF
HIGHWAY & MORE
THAN 7,000 BRIDGES**

**CENTRAL
OFFICES
LOCATED IN
LITTLE ROCK**

**HIGHWAY SYSTEM
VALUED AT \$140
BILLION**

**HOME TO OLDEST LAW ENFORCEMENT
AGENCY IN ARKANSAS**



ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION



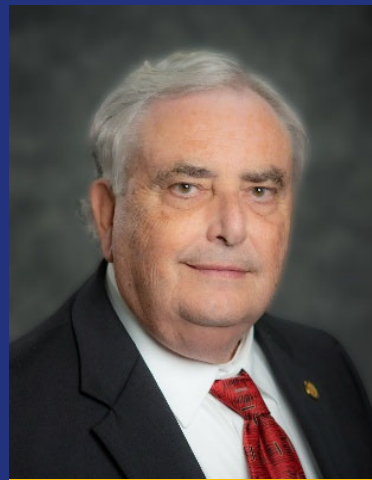
**Chairman
Philip Taldo**



**Vice Chairman
Keith Gibson**



**Commissioner
Marie Holder**



**Commissioner
David Haak**



**Commissioner
Jerry L. Halsey, Jr.**

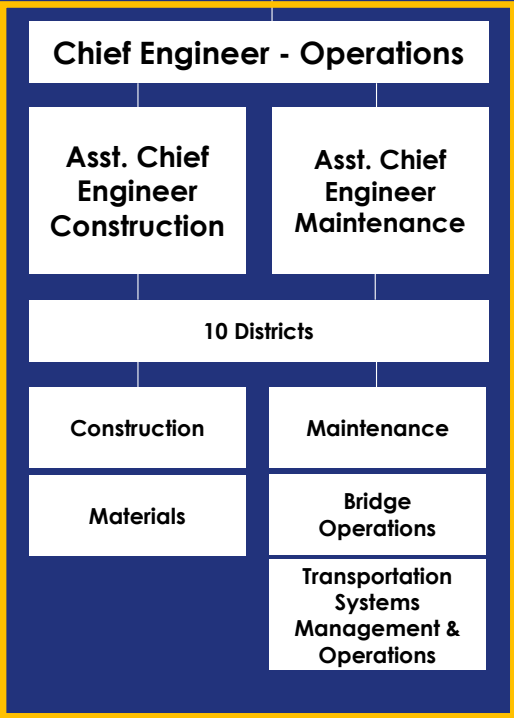
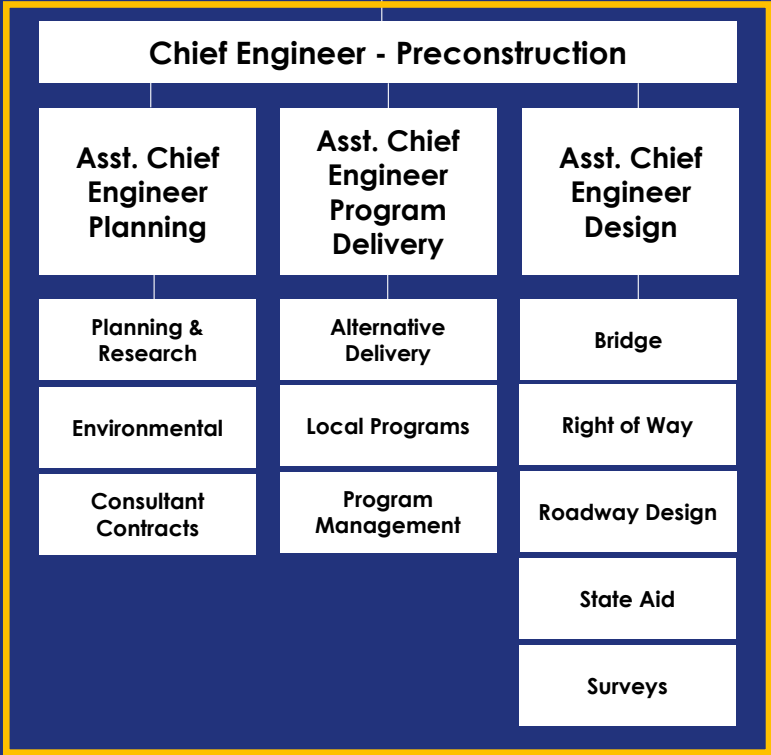
Citizens of Arkansas

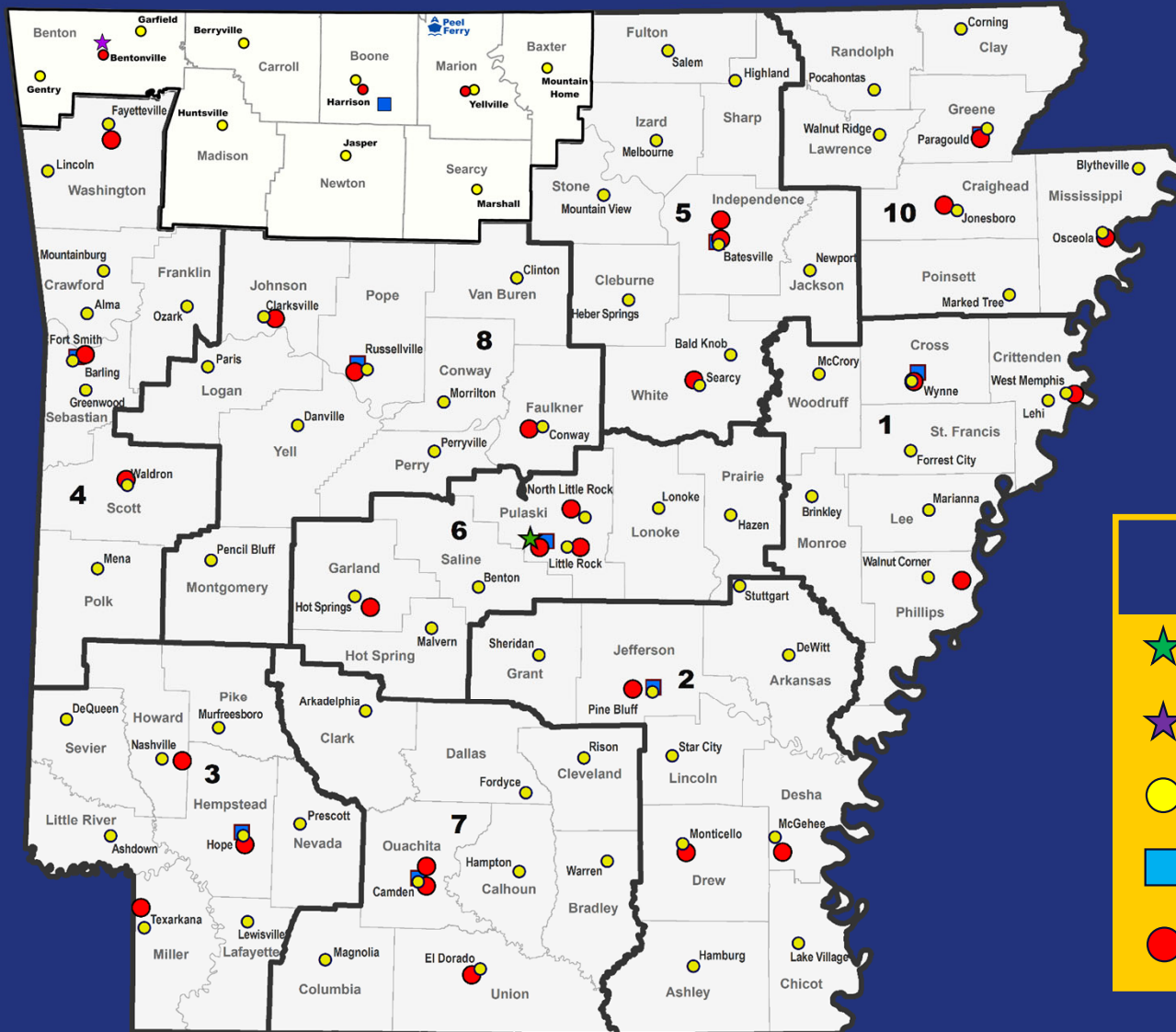
Governor & Legislature

Internal Audit

Highway Commission

Director





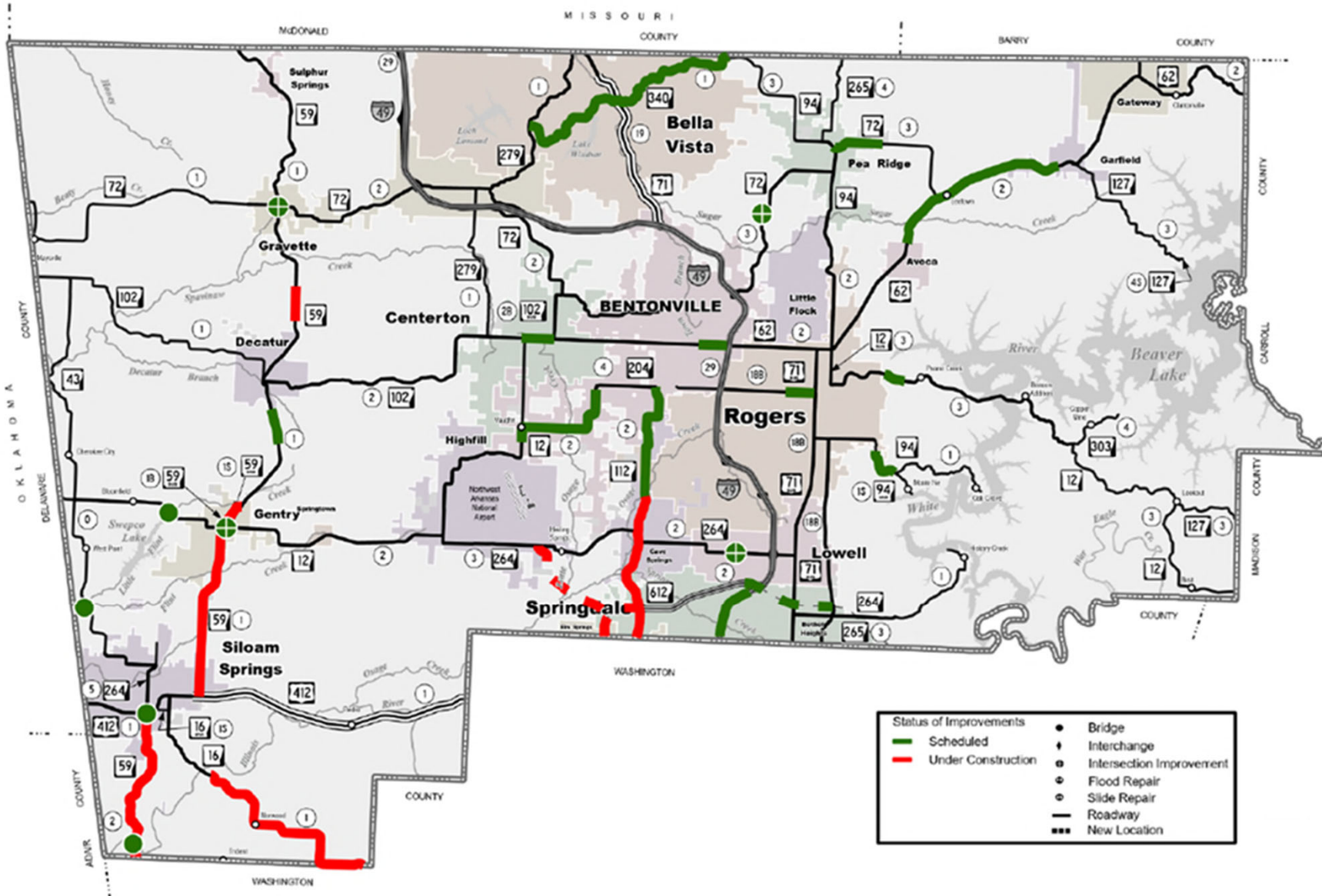
FACILITY TYPE

- ★ Central Offices
- ★ Northwest Office
- Area Headquarters
- District Headquarters
- Resident Engineer Offices

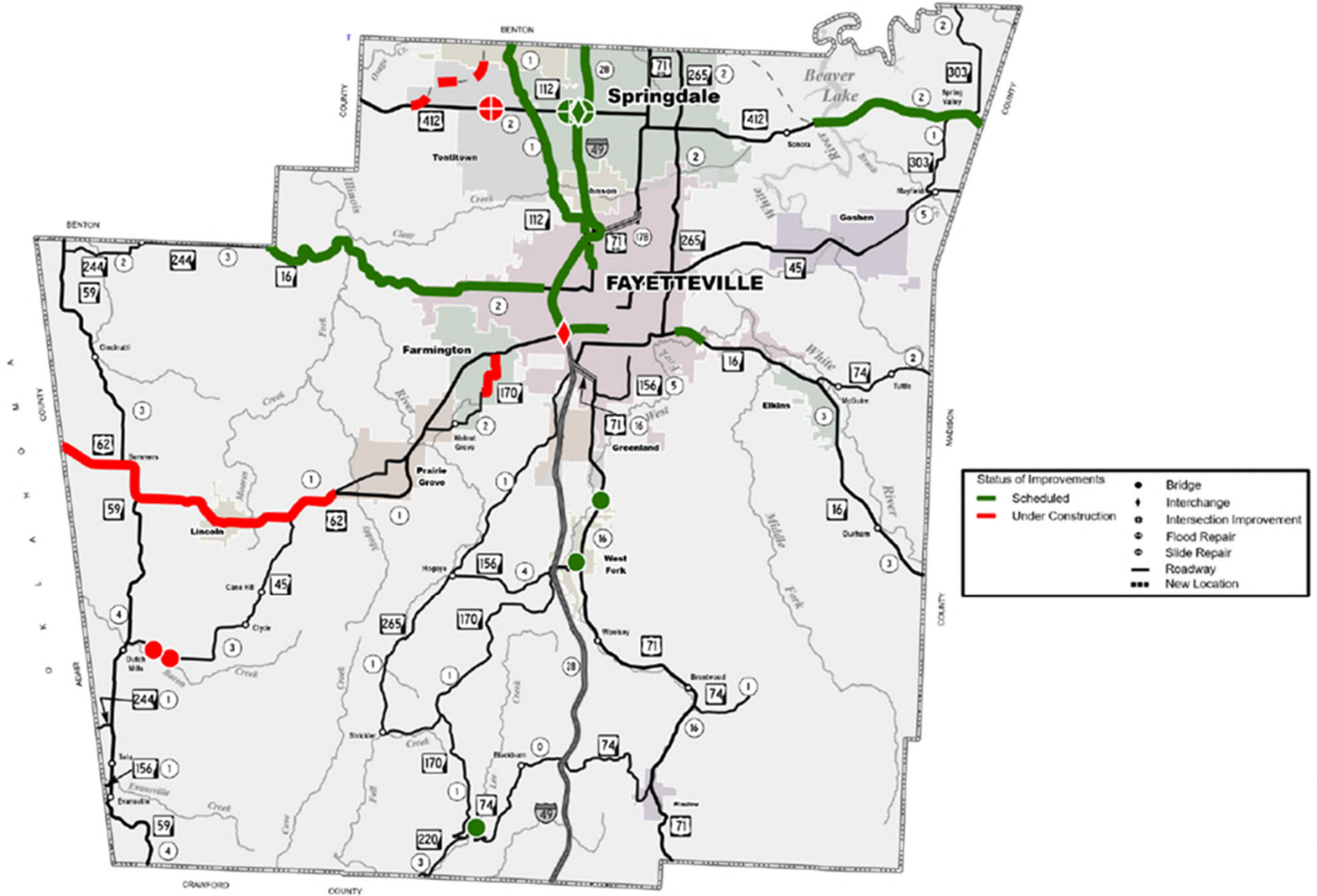


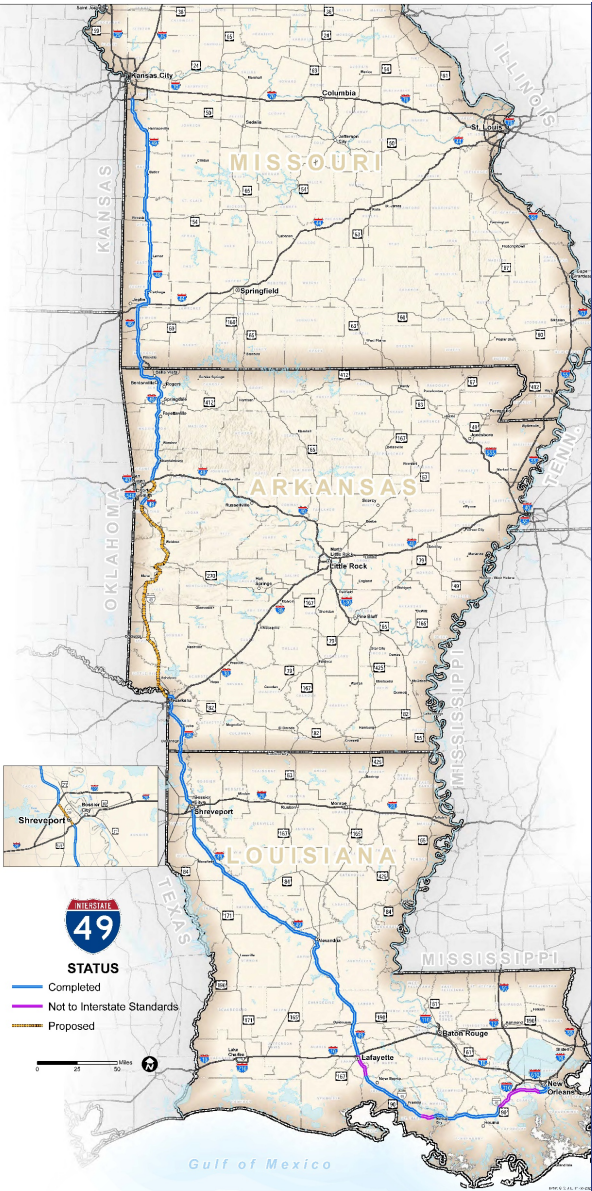
PROJECT UPDATES

BENTON COUNTY



WASHINGTON COUNTY









INTERSTATE 49



PRELIMINARY CONSTRUCTION PHASES

Segment	Major Work Scope Items
 Phase 1	River Bridge and Approach Grading/Paving (Highway 22 to Gun Club Road)
 Phase 2	Grading and Six Structures and Approaches (Clear Creek Road to I-40)
 Phase 3	Grading, Paving, Grade Separations and Cross Drainage Structures (Gun Club Road to Clear Creek Road)
 Phase 4	Base, Surfacing, and Six Structures and Approaches (Clear Creek Road to I-40)



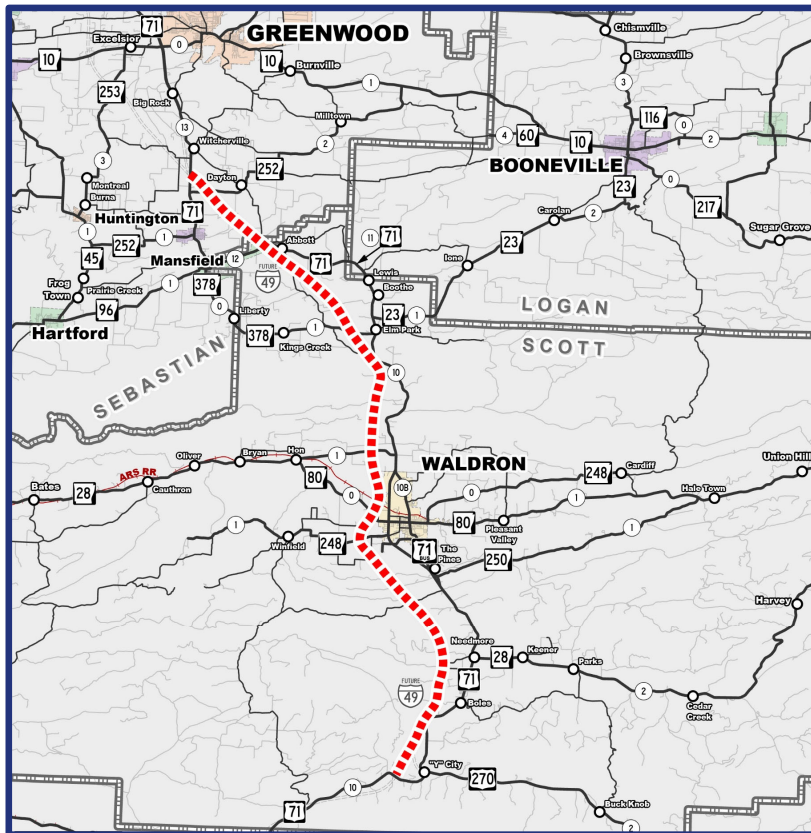
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ARKANSAS RIVER BRIDGE



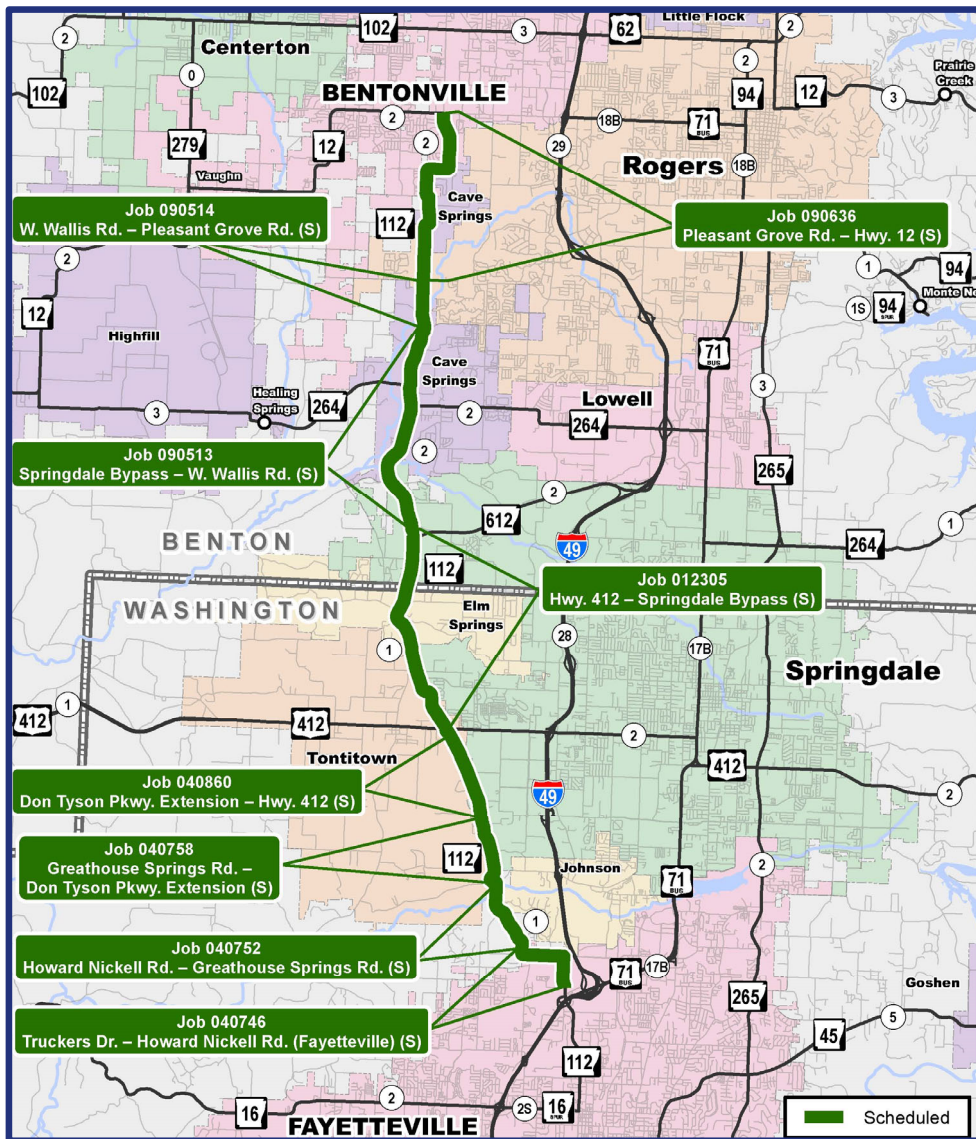


INTERSTATE 49 SOUTH OF BARLING



- **Objective:** Plan Development and Right of Way Acquisition
- **Available Funding:** \$9 million
- **Status:** Surveys Underway





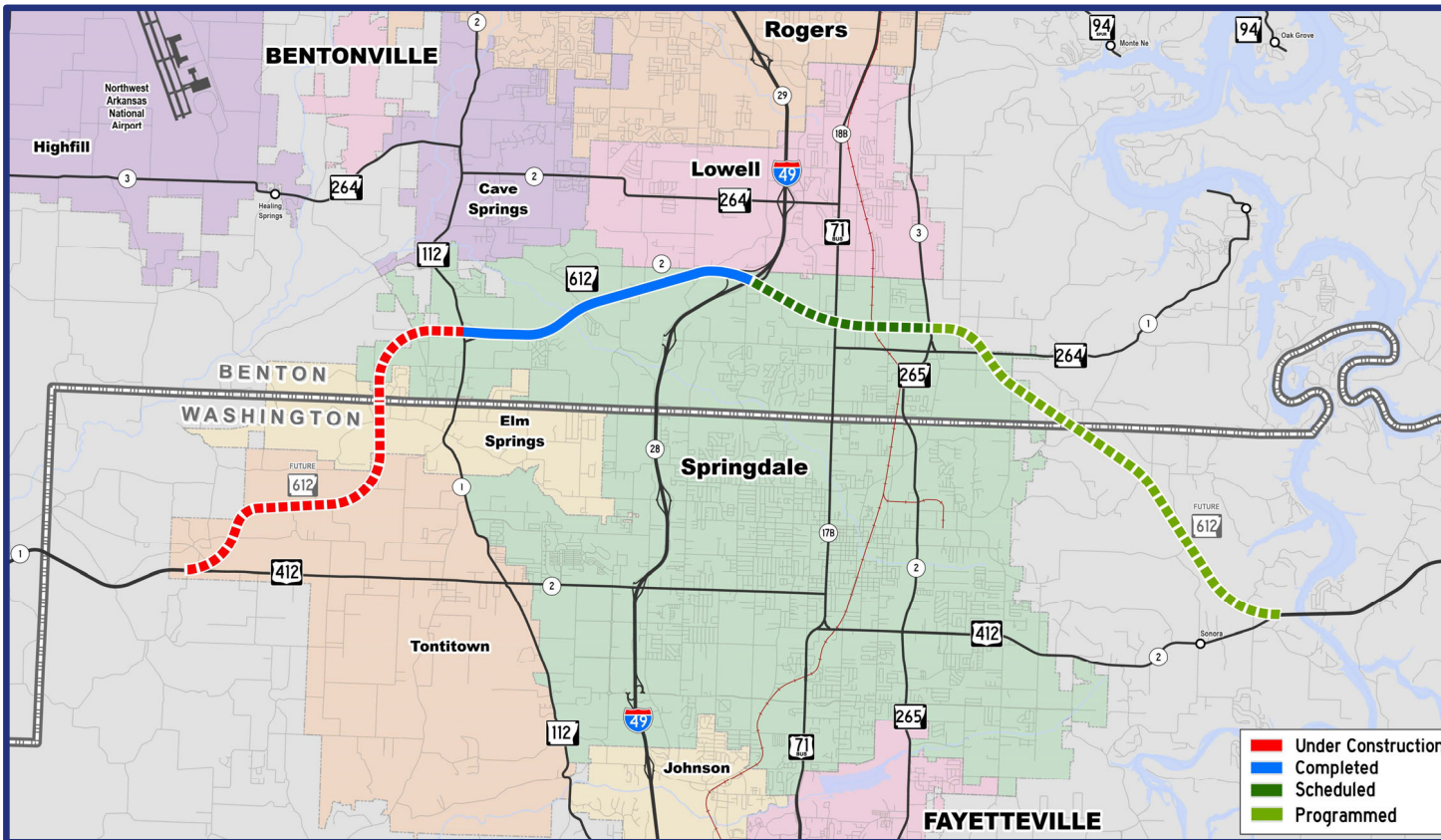
HIGHWAY 112 CORRIDOR

BENTON & WASHINGTON COUNTIES



SPRINGDALE BYPASS

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● Hwy. 412 to Hwy. 112

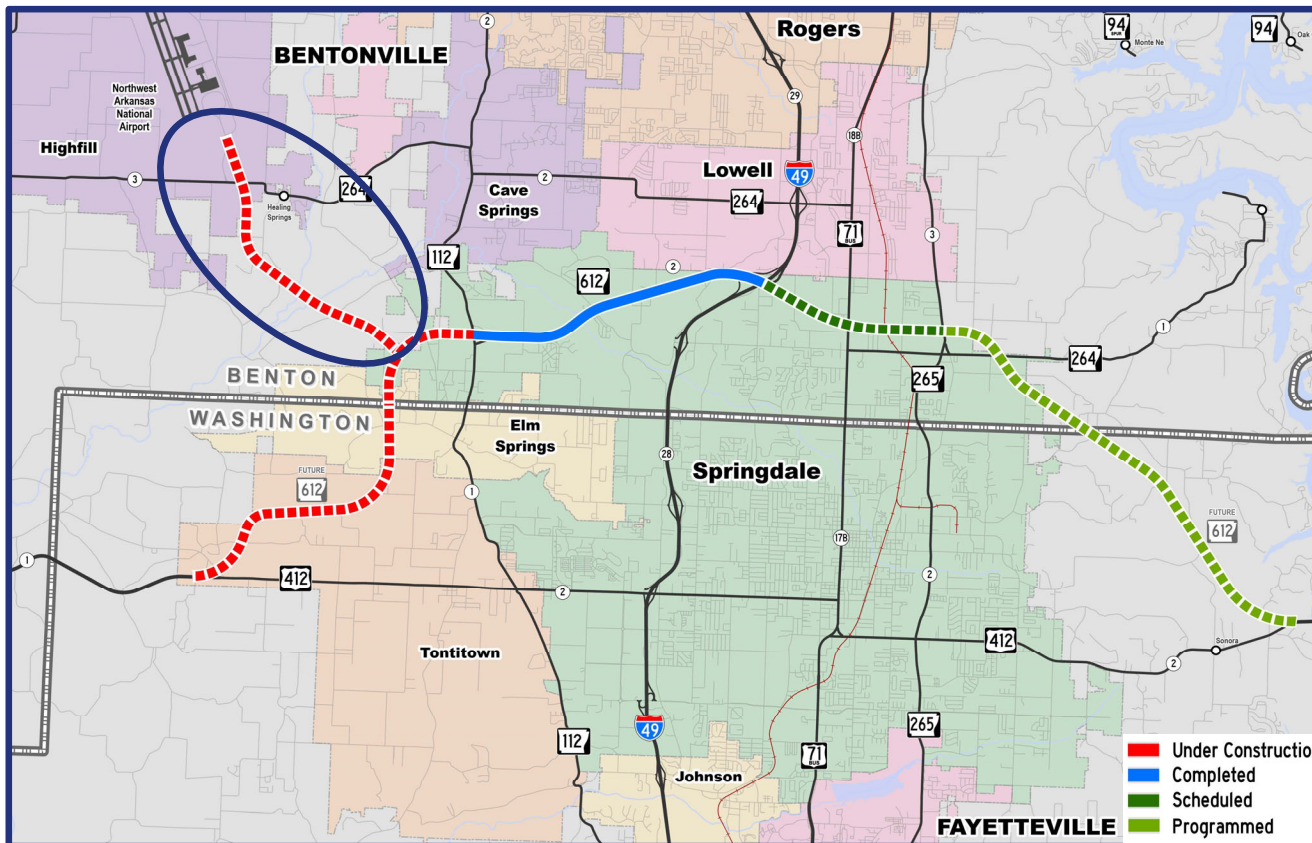
● Hwy. 112 to I-49

● I-49 to Hwy. 265

● Hwy. 265 to Hwy. 412

XNA CONNECTOR

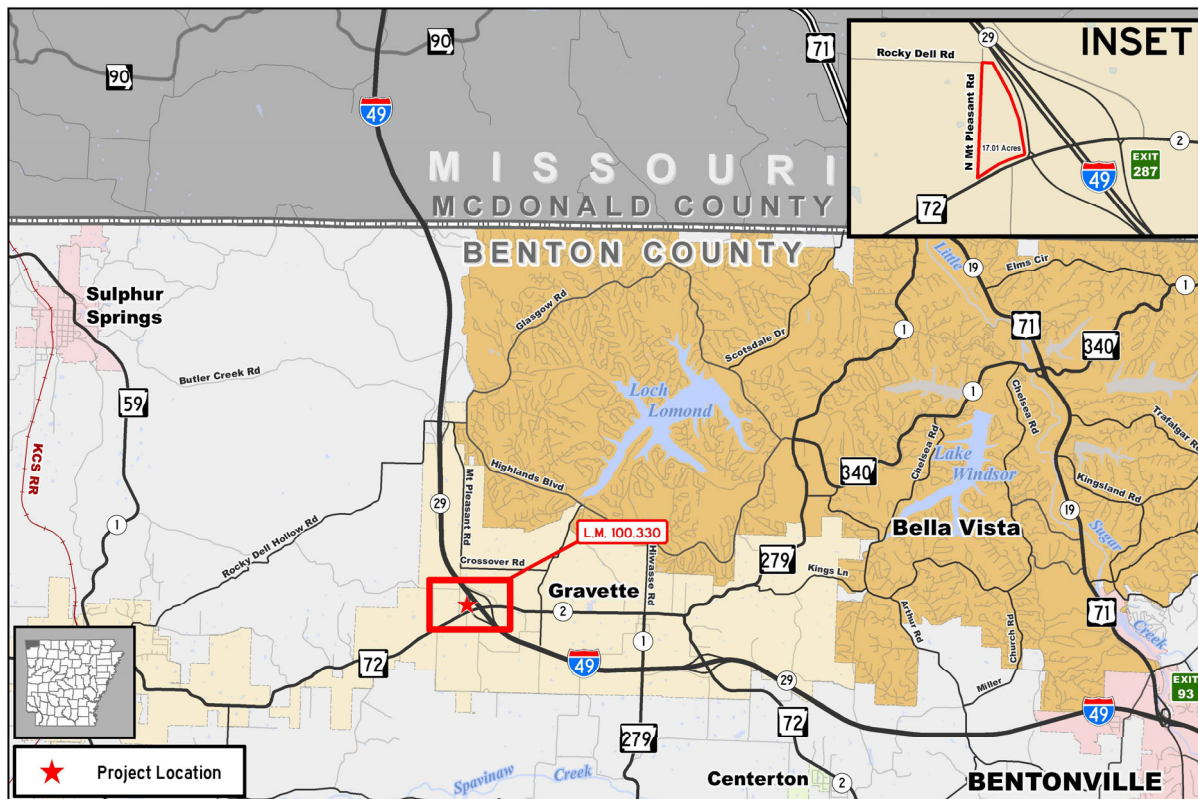
BENTON COUNTY



- **Objective:**
New Location
- **Awarded:** Crossland Construction Co., Inc. for \$127.7 Million
- **Estimated Completion:** Mid-2027
- **Partnering:**
City of Springdale

WELCOME CENTER

NORTHWEST ARKANSAS



- **Objective:** Construction of a new Welcome Center
- **Awarded:** Contractor Services Groups
- **Estimated Completion:** Mid-2026
- **Location:** West of Exit 100 on Hwy 72

WELCOME CENTER

NORTHWEST ARKANSAS

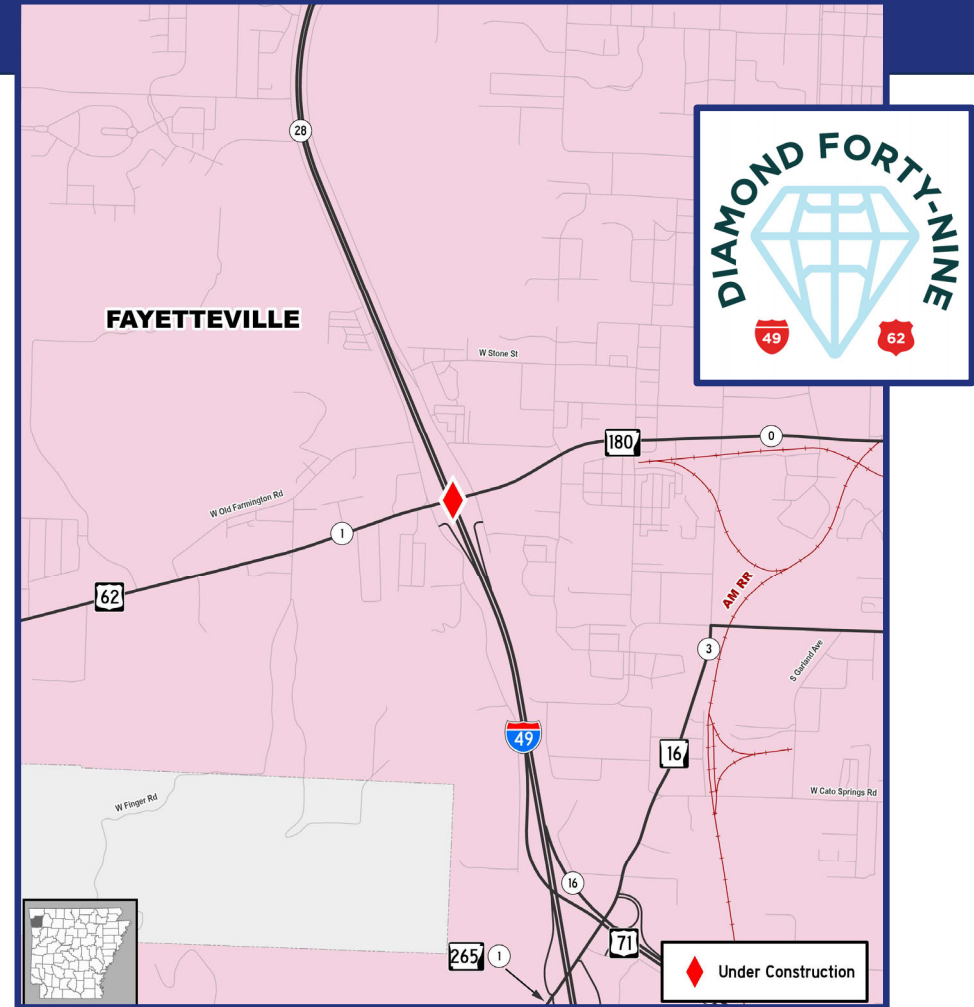




INTERSTATE 49 | MLK JR. BOULEVARD

WASHINGTON COUNTY

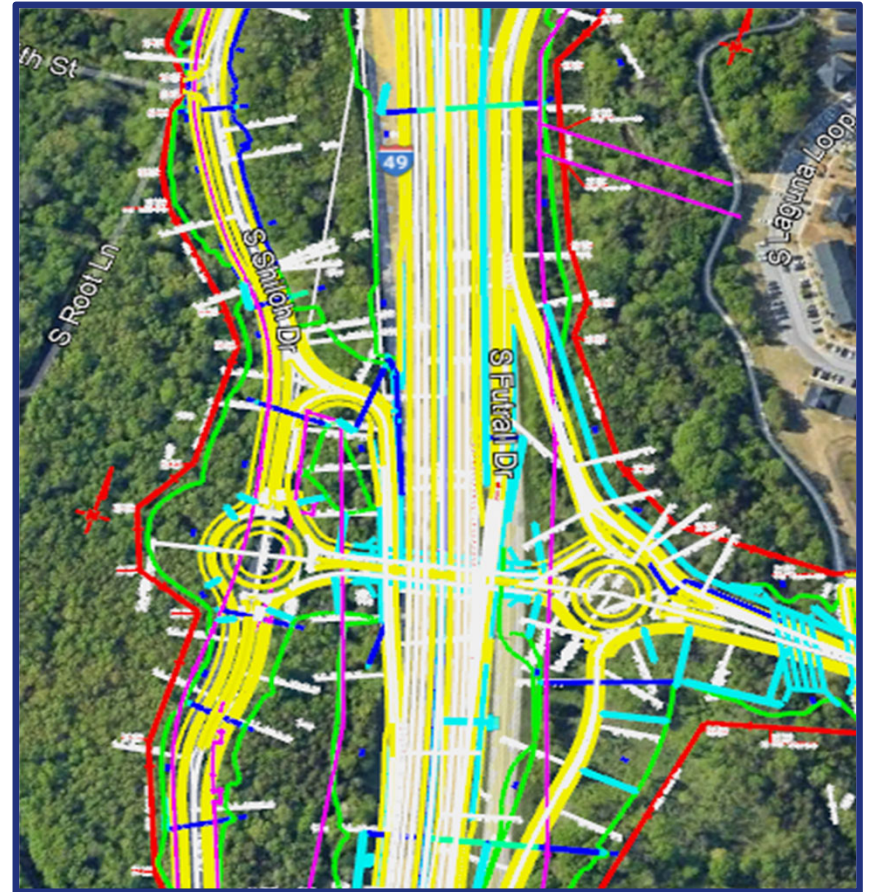
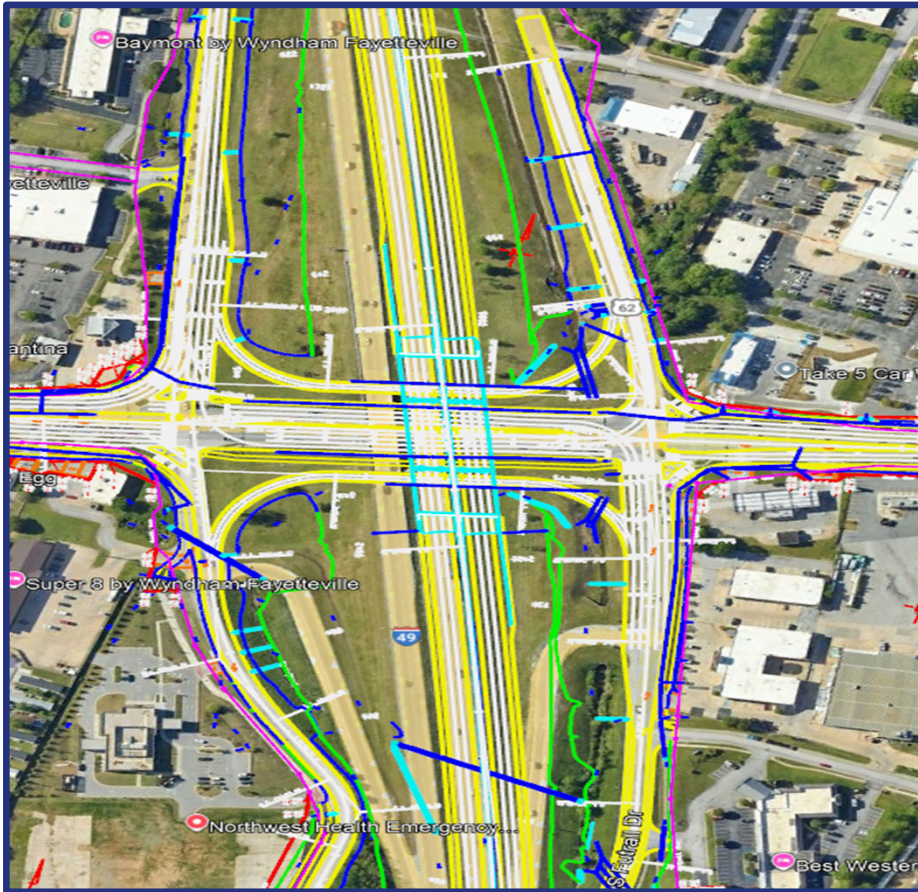
- **Objective:** Interchange improvements
- **Awarded:** Manhattan Road & Bridge Co. & APAC-Central, Inc. for \$100 million
- **Estimated Completion:** Mid-2028
- **Partnering:** City of Fayetteville





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ARDOT UPDATES

2025 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Green Lights	Act 209
Amendment to Driver's Manual	Act 117
Safety for Mobile Operations	Act 327
School & Office Trailer Deregulation	Act 256
Changes to Bonding Authority	Act 217
CM-GC Changes	Act 328
Surplus Property	Act 210
Utility Relocation	Act 699
Denatured Ethanol	- - -



YEAR ONE



2025-2026 school year

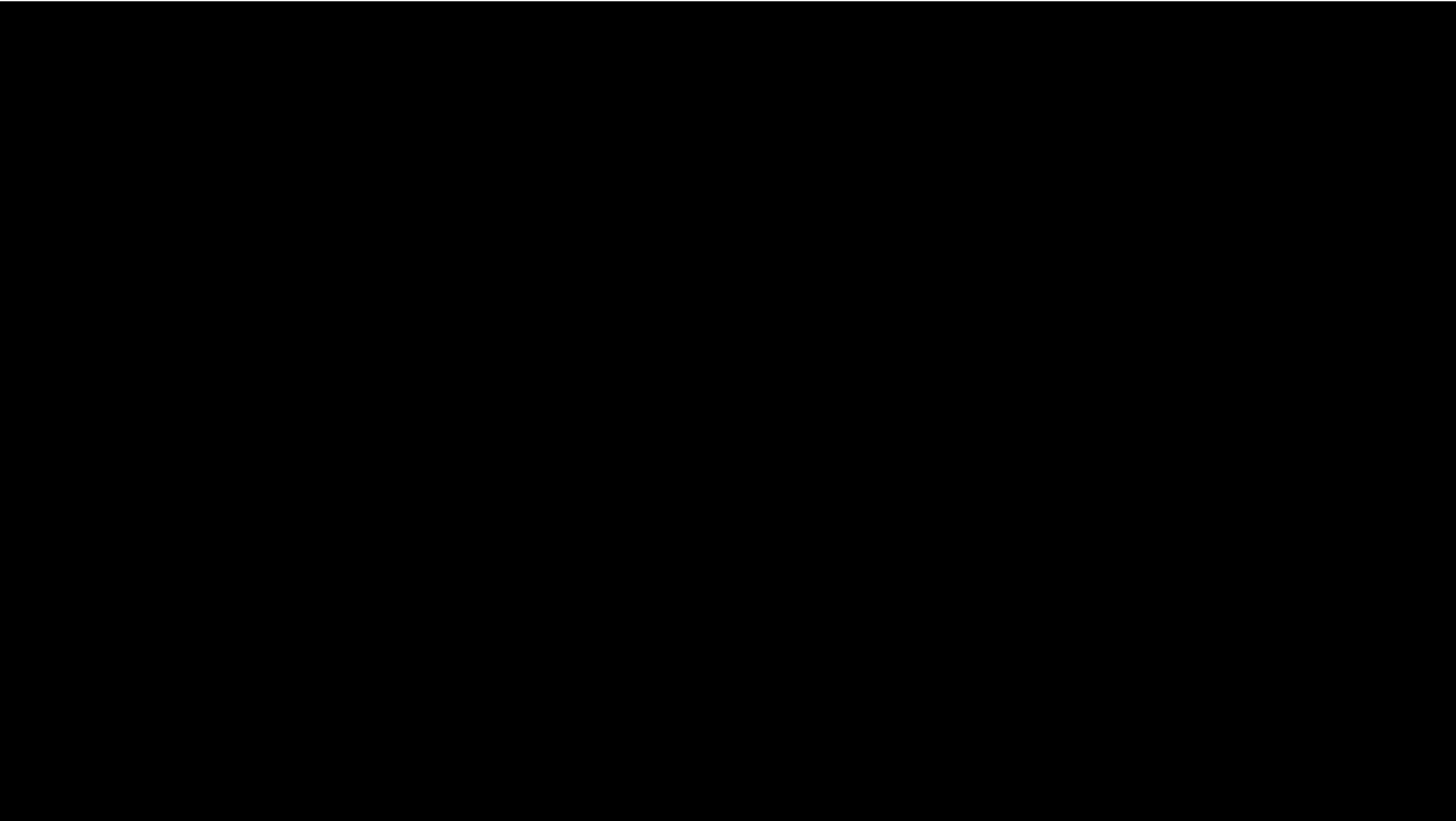


6-8th graders statewide



Seatbelts, bicycle and
pedestrian safety &
distracted brains

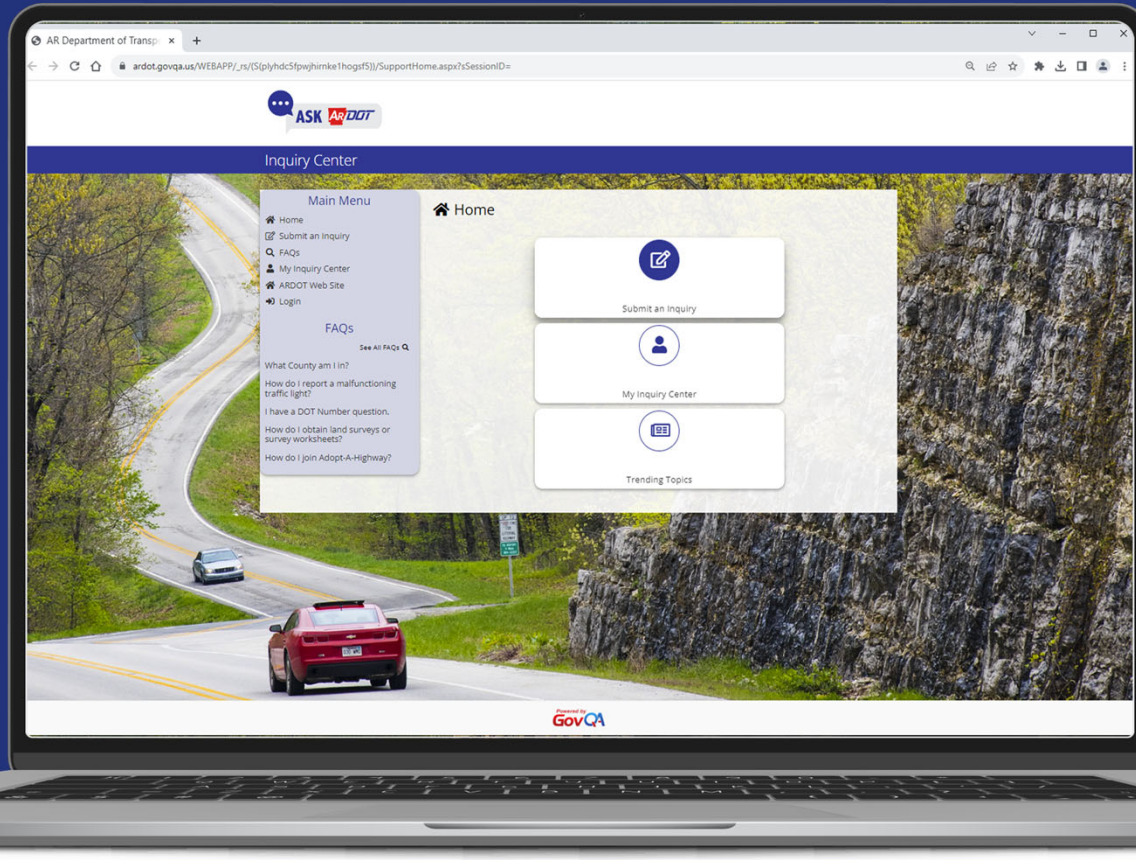




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