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# I-75 and Zilwaukee Bridge Improvements

**Saginaw County** 

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# What Is Being Done?

The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) is reconstructing 4 miles of I-75, as well as replacing bearing pads on the Zilwaukee Bridge, in Saginaw County. Work on this \$70 million investment includes reconstructing I-75 between the north and south junctions of I-675, replacing the Janes Road bridge and repairing the Wadsworth Road and CSX Railroad bridges.

# When Will This Be Done?

Janes Road bridge replacement begins in October 2012, with remaining road and bridge work to begin in April 2013. Southbound I-75 will be reconstructed in 2013, while northbound I-75 will be reconstructed in 2014. The overall project is expected to be complete in April 2015.

## **How Will Traffic Be Affected?**

I-75 traffic will be shifted twice per week to ensure three open lanes in the direction of peak travel, with traffic detoured to I-675 in the opposite direction. The traffic shift and detour schedule is as follows:

# 2013

### Sundays - Tuesdays

- Three southbound I-75 lanes will be shifted onto northbound I-75.
- Northbound I-75 will be detoured to northbound I-675.

### Wednesdays - Saturdays

- Three lanes open on northbound I-75.
- Southbound I-75 will be closed with traffic detoured to southbound I-675.

# 2014

### Sundays - Tuesdays

- Three lanes open on southbound I-75.
- Northbound I-75 will be closed with traffic detoured to northbound I-675.

### Wednesdays - Saturdays

- Three northbound I-75 lanes will be shifted onto southbound I-75.
- Southbound I-75 lanes will be closed with traffic detoured to southbound I-675.

# **Long-term Benefits**

The purpose of these improvements is to maximize the service life of the bridge and improve the overall condition of this section of I-75.

MDOT's road and bridge program supports the creation of jobs, growth of the economy,

preservation of the environment and the safety and security of the transportation system.

# **How Will We Keep Motorists Informed?**

During construction, signs will alert motorists to detours and lane closures on local roads above and below I-75.

