



Arkansas State Highway Commission Meeting

February 22, 2023

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Meeting Minutes of December 7, 2022

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Consideration of Minute Orders

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Updates

State Highway Revenue

Patrick Patton

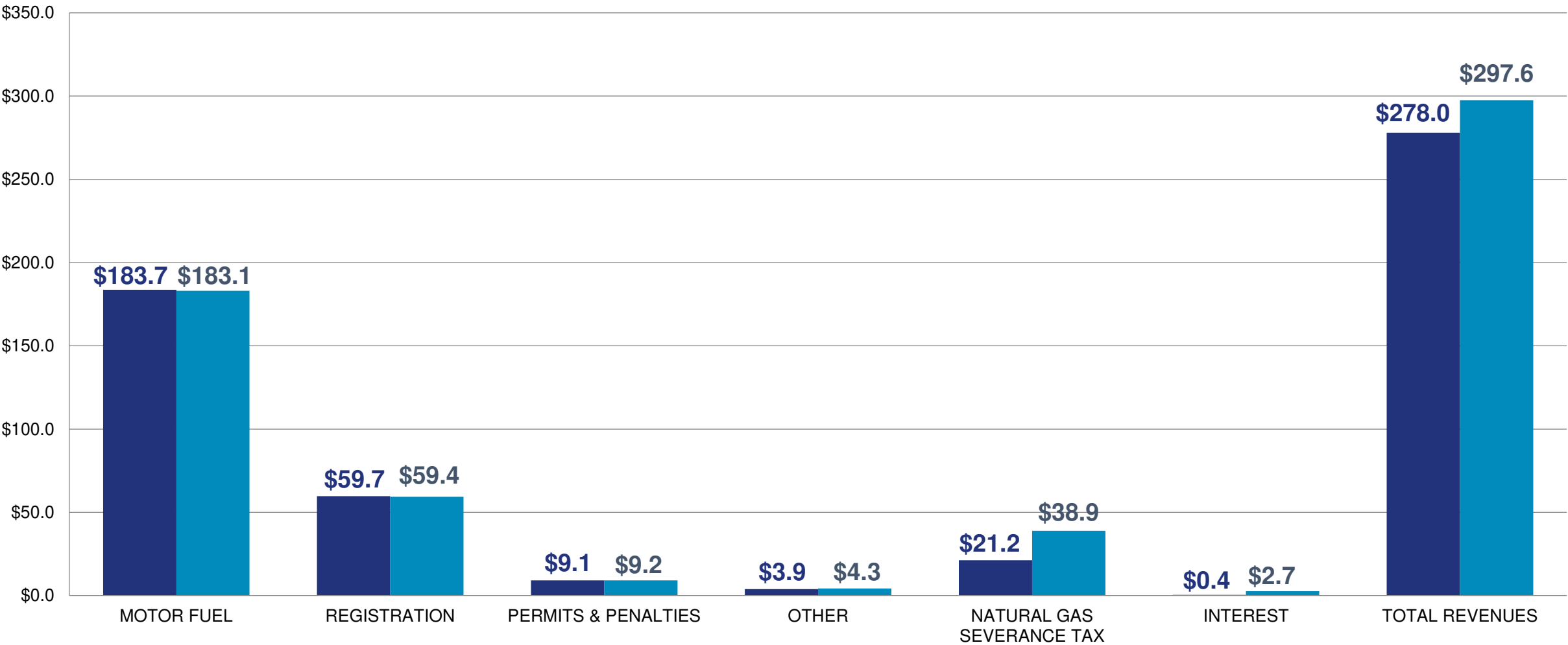
Chief Fiscal Officer

SFY 2022 vs. SFY 2023 Actual Revenue

January

■ FY 2022 ■ FY 2023
(MILLIONS)

VARIANCE	-\$0.6	-\$0.3	\$0.1	\$0.4	\$17.7	\$2.3	\$19.6
% CHANGE	-0.3%	-0.5%	1.1%	10.3%	83.5%	575.0%	7.1%



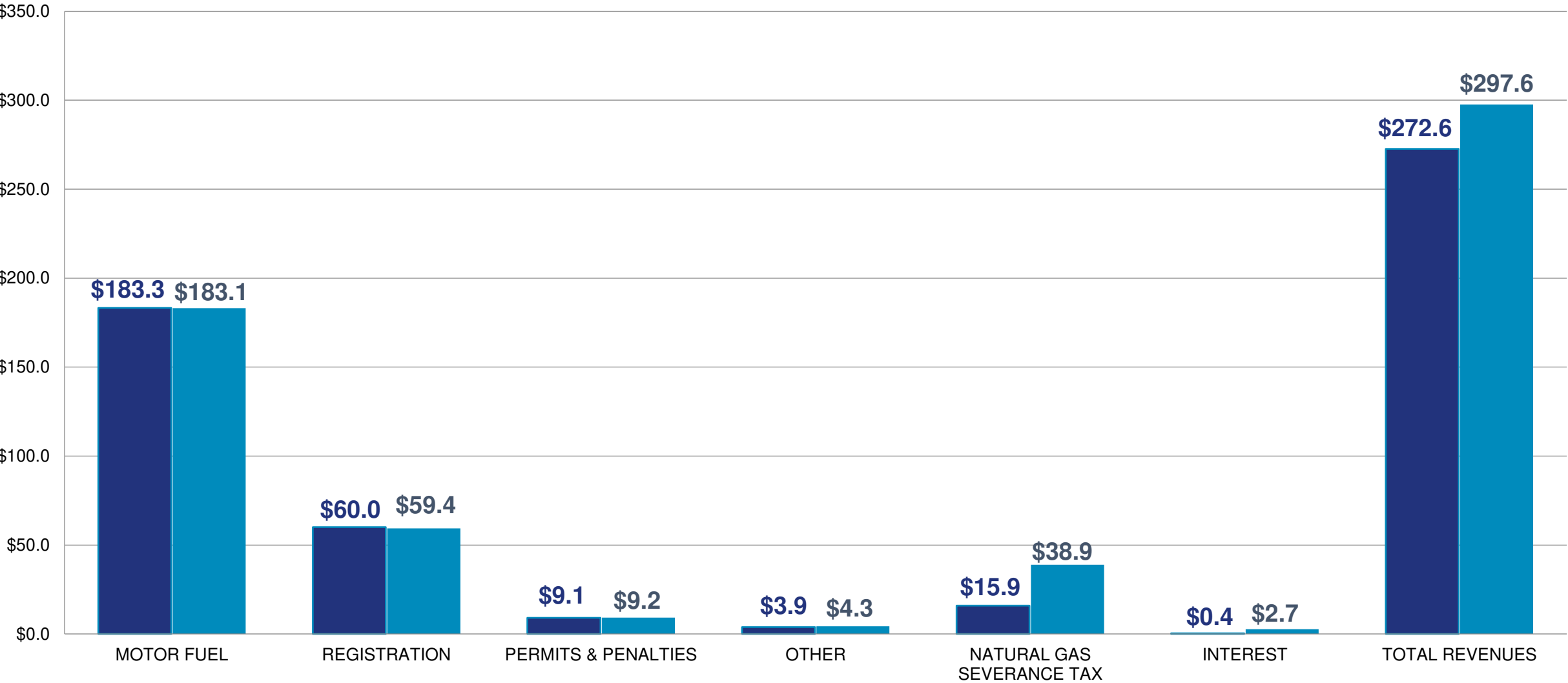
SFY 2023 Budgeted vs. Actual Revenue

BUDGETED ACTUAL

(MILLIONS)

January

VARIANCE	-\$0.2	-\$0.6	\$0.1	\$0.4	\$23.0	\$2.3	\$25.0
% CHANGE	-0.1%	-1.0%	1.1%	10.3%	144.7%	575.0%	9.2%



SFY 2022 vs. SFY 2023 Act 416 Actual Revenue

January

FY 2022 FY 2023
(MILLIONS)

VARIANCE	\$1.0	-\$0.3	\$0.0	\$0.7
% CHANGE	2.9%	-18.8%	0.0%	1.9%



SFY 2023 Budgeted vs. Act 416 Actual Revenue

January

VARIANCE
% CHANGE

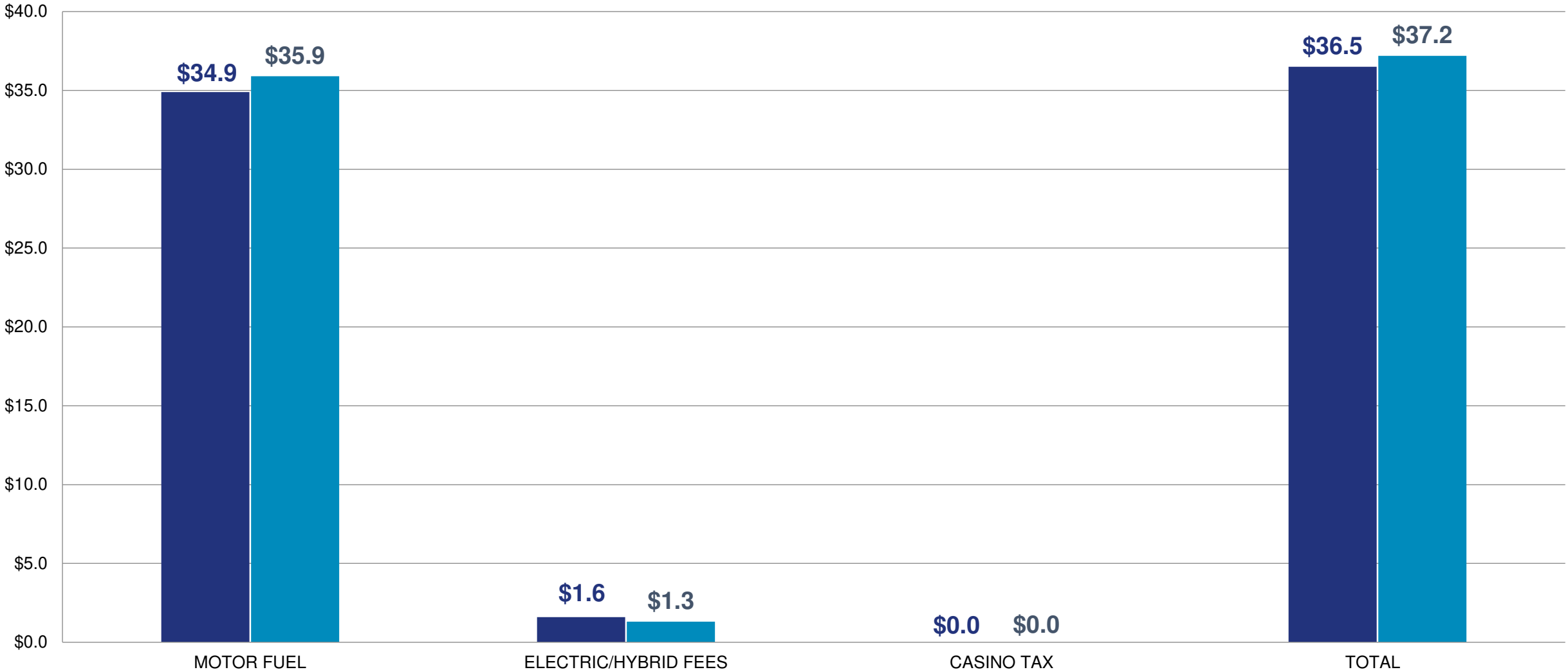
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2.9%

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-18.8%

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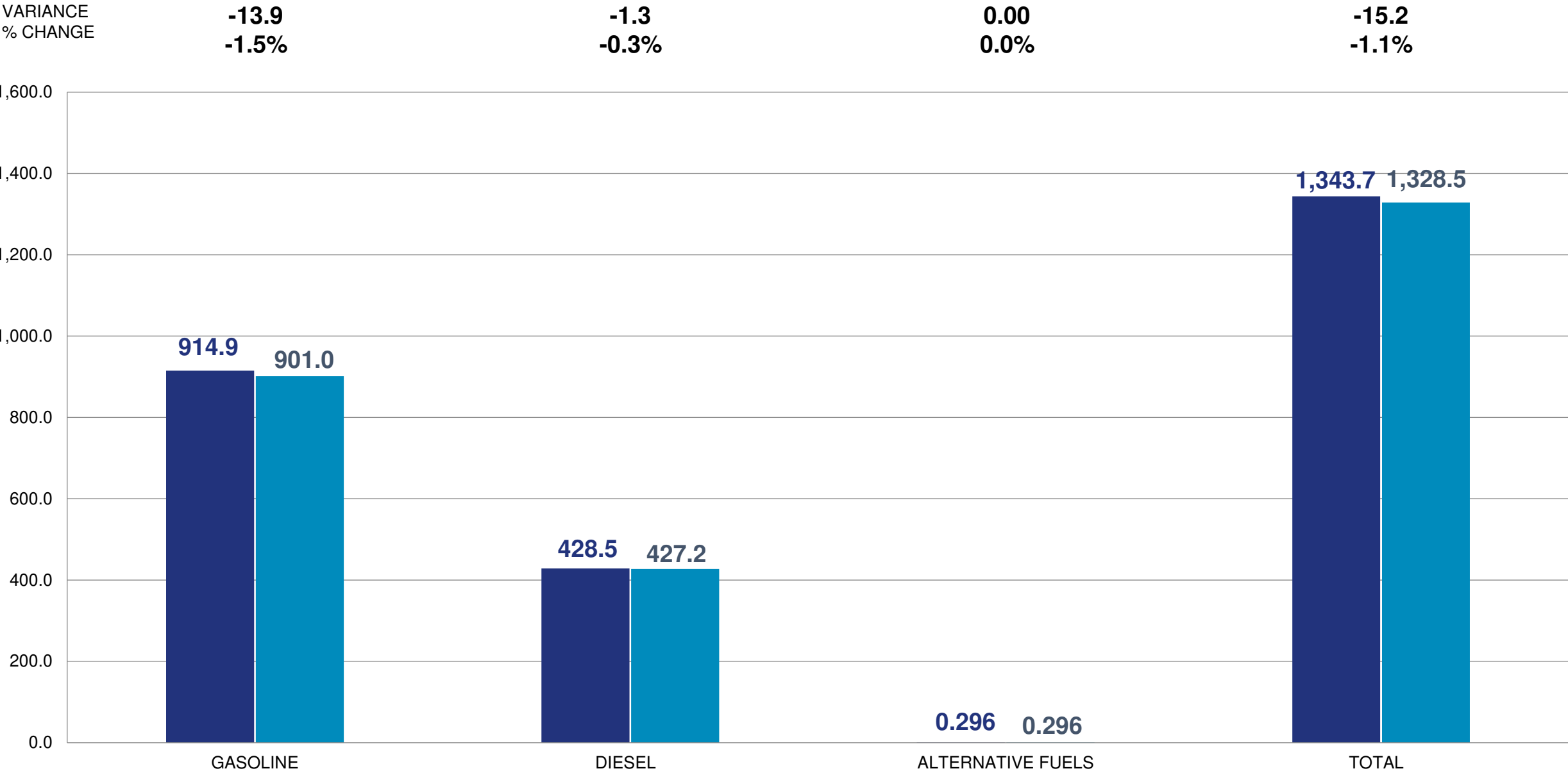
BUDGET ACTUAL
(MILLIONS)



SFY 2022 vs. SFY 2023 Fuel Consumption

January

FY 2022 FY 2023
(MILLION GALLONS)





Arkansas Fuel Consumption

ROLLING 12-MONTH COMPARISON

	Previous 12 Months (gallons)	Current 12 Months (gallons)	Variance
Gasoline	1,523,901,637	1,497,908,558	-1.71%
Diesel	731,905,730	719,193,948	-1.74%
Alternative	1,888,645	1,845,579	-2.28%
Total	2,257,696,012	2,218,948,085	-1.72%

STATE FISCAL YEAR

2023 Sales Tax

	Projected Net	Actual Receipts	Variance	Monthly Variance	Actual Variance
Jul	20,160,000	22,003,743	1,843,743	9.15%	9.15%
Aug	20,720,000	23,216,299	2,496,299	12.05%	10.62%
Sept	20,370,000	23,399,767	3,029,767	14.87%	12.03%
Oct	19,810,000	23,096,241	3,286,241	16.59%	13.15%
Nov	19,390,000	21,763,471	2,373,471	12.24%	12.97%
Dec	20,930,000	23,242,097	2,312,097	11.05%	12.64%
Jan	20,580,000	23,653,316	3,073,316	14.93%	12.97%
Feb					
Mar					
Apr					
May					
Jun					
Total	141,960,000	160,374,934	18,414,934		



Half-Cent Sales Tax

Projected vs. Actual Since Inception

Projected Net	Actual Receipts	Variance	Percent Variance
\$1,841,878,512	\$1,898,974,076	\$57,095,564	3.10%

Federal Highway and Transit Issues

Kevin Thornton

Assistant Chief - Administration

INFRA Grant Application

Nationally Significant Multimodal Freight and Highway Projects

MEGA Grant Application

National Infrastructure Project Assistance

RURAL Grant Application

Rural Surface Transportation



Submitted Project

Crawford and Sebastian Counties

Future Interstate 49 Highway 22 to Interstate 40



Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA)

Appropriations or Spending Bill Approved

Provides Full Funding for FFY 2023

Provides Additional Community Project Funding



Community Project Funding

Project	FFY 2023	
	Senator or Congressman	Amount (x \$1 Million)
Future Interstate 49	Westerman	\$ 5.0
Future Interstate 57	Boozman/Crawford	\$ 6.4
Highway 60 Resiliency Improvements	Boozman	\$ 6.4
US Highway 270 Widening	Boozman/Westerman	\$ 11.4
US Highway 412	Boozman/Crawford	\$ 6.4
XNA Access	Boozman/Womack	\$ 7.0
Totals		\$ 42.6

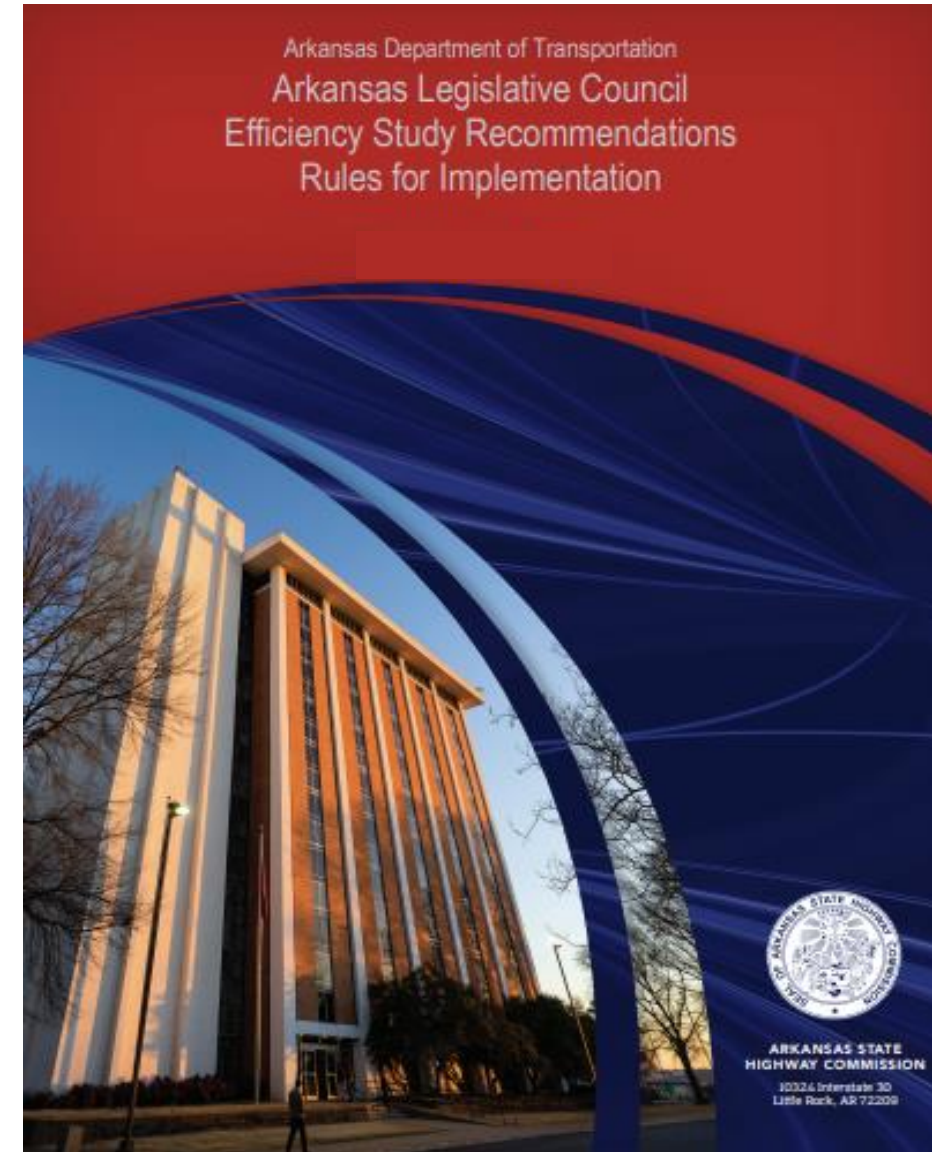
Community Project Funding

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Future Interstate 49	Westerman	\$ 5.0	Boozman/Womack	\$ 18.0	\$ 23.0
Future Interstate 57	Boozman/Crawford	\$ 6.4	Boozman	\$ 5.0	\$ 11.4
Future Interstate 69			Boozman	\$ 18.0	\$ 18.0
Highway 60 Resiliency Improvements	Boozman	\$ 6.4			\$ 6.4
US Highway 67 Corridor			Boozman	\$ 18.0	\$ 18.0
US Highway 270 Widening	Boozman/Westerman	\$ 11.4			\$ 11.4
US Highway 412	Boozman/Crawford	\$ 6.4			\$ 6.4
XNA Access	Boozman/Womack	\$ 7.0			\$ 7.0
Totals		\$ 42.6		\$ 59.0	\$ 101.6

Efficiency Review

Recommendation Implementation

Arkansas Legislative Council Efficiency Study Recommendations



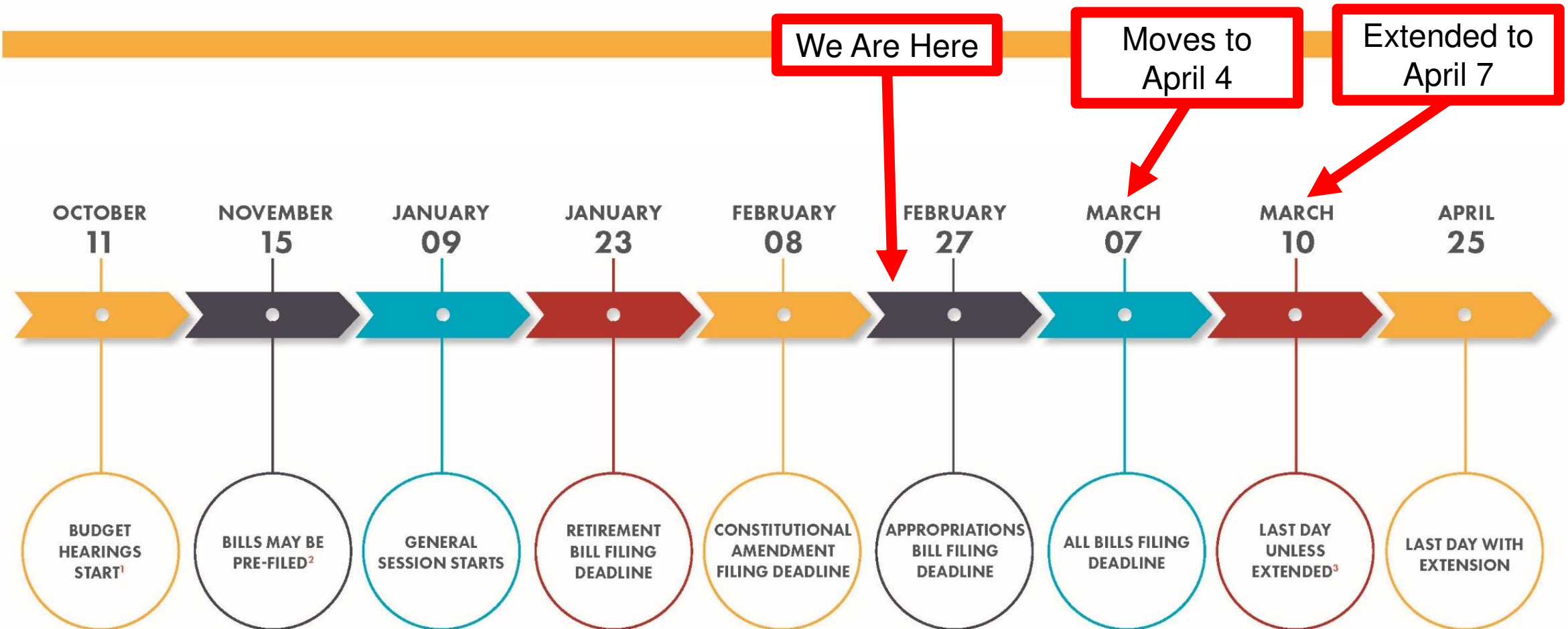
Review by Office of Internal Audit (OIA)

- Office of Internal Audit Continues to work on review
 - ✓ Review of Accomplishment of 13 Recommendations
 - ✓ Annual Process Review of the Department
- OIA has held 12 meetings with selected Divisions
- A total of 385 documents have been submitted
- First report due October 1, 2023

94th General Assembly Update

2023 General Legislative Session

2023 GENERAL SESSION IMPORTANT DATES



Arkansas Department Of Transportation Bills

Bill Number Click the Bill Number to see the Bill Text	House Comm.	House Floor	Senate Comm.	Senate Floor	Sponsors	Bill Description Click the Bill Description to see the Summary and Status	Status Click the Status to see the Committee, House, or Senate Agenda if scheduled.
Department Bills							
HB1193	P	P	P	P	Warren, Hammer	ARDOT Retirement	Passed Senate Floor, Sent to Governor
HB1332	P	P			Cozart, English	Intern Housing Stipend	Referred to Senate Transportation
HB1384	P	P			Joey Carr, Crowell	Tool Allowance	Passed House Floor, Referred to Senate Transportation
SB211	P				Irvin, Hawk	Amends Conceal Carry on ARDOT Property	Passed Committee

Bid Letting Update

Jared Wiley

Assistant Chief Engineer - Planning

Bid Letting Update – Letting Results

January 11, 2023 Bid Letting

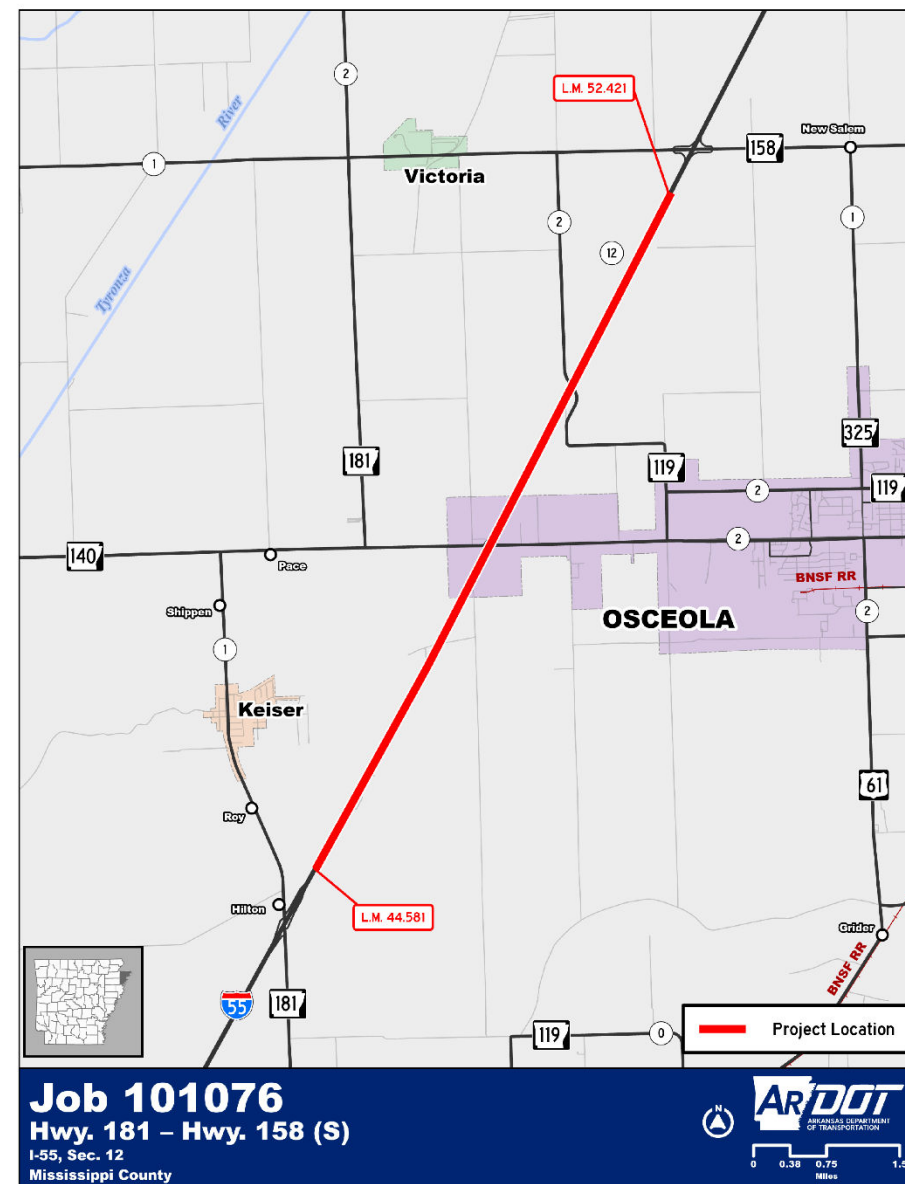
Type Projects	Number of Projects	Award Amount
State	21	\$ 212.5 Million
County	6	\$ 18.8 Million
City	29	\$ 16.3 Million
Total	56	\$ 247.6 Million

Major Projects Awarded in the January 11, 2023 Letting

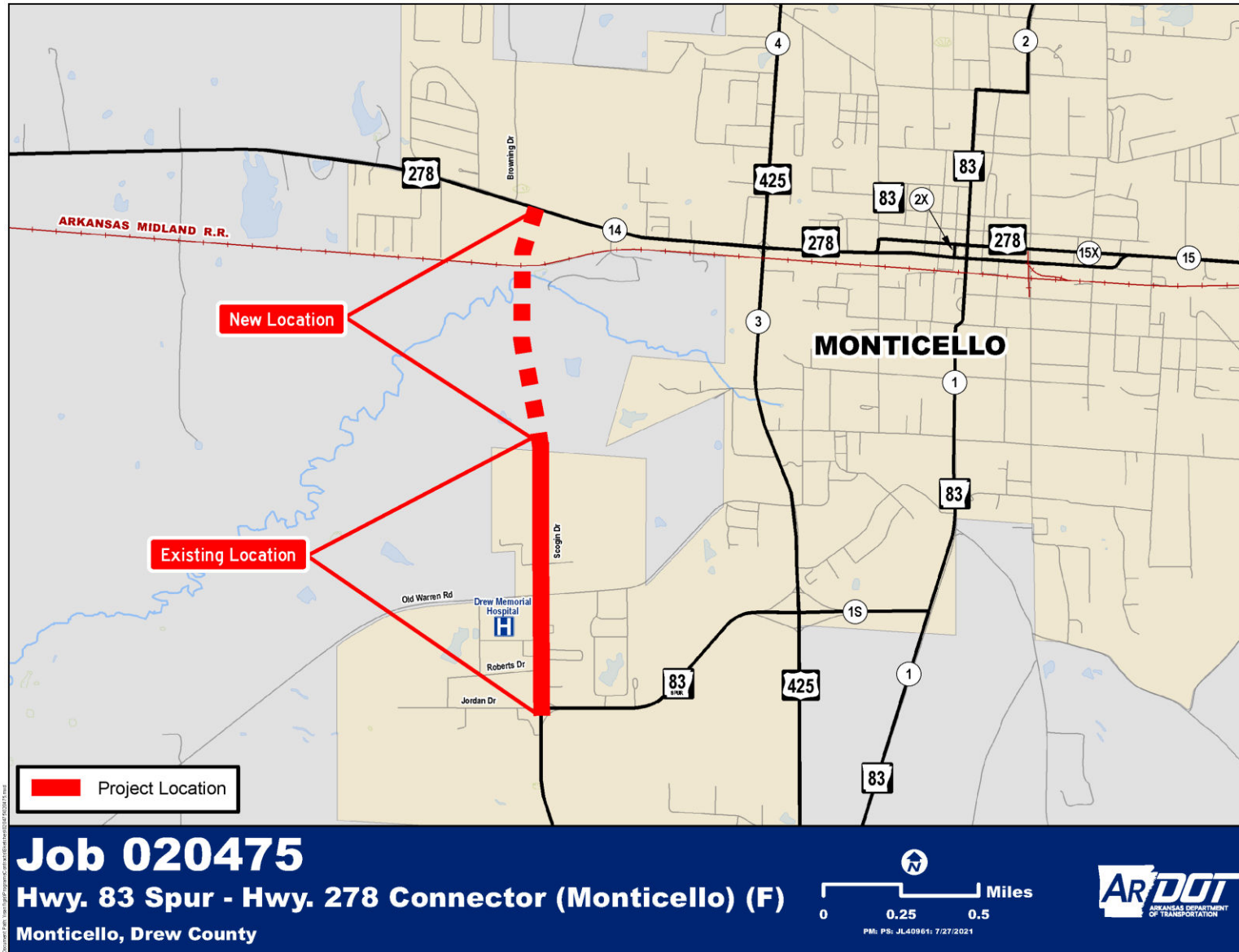
Route	County	Job Name	Contractor	Award Amount
	Mississippi	Hwy. 181 – Hwy. 158	Delta Asphalt of Ark., Inc.	\$ 94.2 Million
	Drew	Hwy. 83 Spur – Hwy. 278 Connector (Monticello)	Mobley Contractors, Inc.	\$ 30.1 Million
	Clark	Gurdon Rest Area – Hwy. 26	Redstone Const. Group, Inc.	\$ 18.0 Million
	Logan & Scott	Hwy. 71 & 71B (Sel. Secs.)	Blackstone Construction, LLC	\$ 13.3 Million
	Lonoke & White	Hwy. 67 Preservation Treatment	Interstate Improvement, Inc.	\$ 5.2 Million
	Craighead	Paragould Dr. – Hwy. 18 (Sel. Secs.) (Jonesboro)	Atlas Asphalt, Inc.	\$ 3.8 Million
	Sebastian	Bloomer – Franklin Co. Line	Forsgren, Inc.	\$ 2.8 Million
	Craighead	S. of Bono – Hwy. 91	Atlas Asphalt, Inc.	\$ 1.6 Million
	Lonoke	Hwy. 236 – Cabot	Mid-South Pavers, LLC	\$ 1.5 Million
	Craighead	I-555 – Hwy. 18 (Jonesboro)	Atlas Asphalt, Inc.	\$ 300,000

Interstate 55: Hwy. 181 – Hwy. 158

- **Reconstruction**
- **7.9 miles**
- **Delta Asphalt of Arkansas**
- **Estimated Completion: Early 2026**
- **\$94.2 Million**



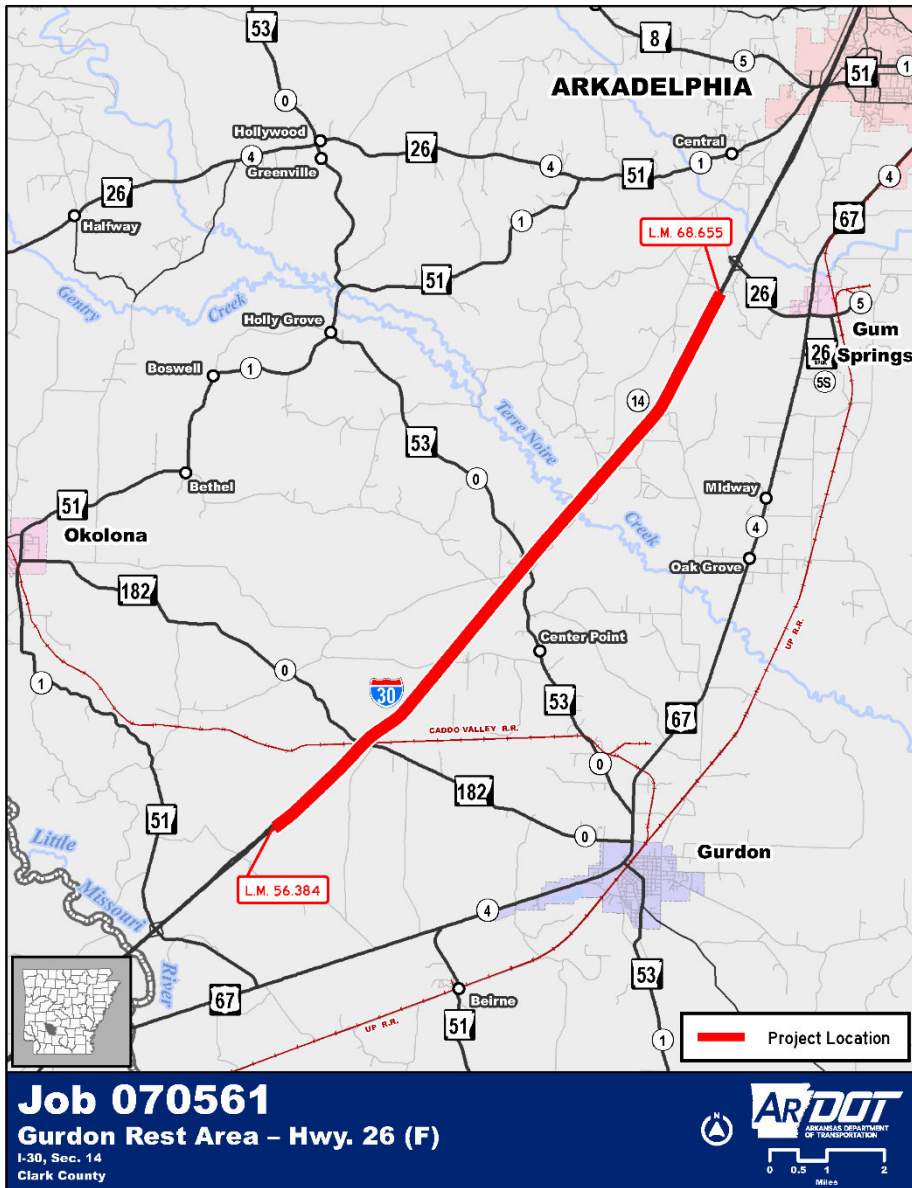
Hwy. 83 Spur – Hwy. 278 Connector (Monticello)



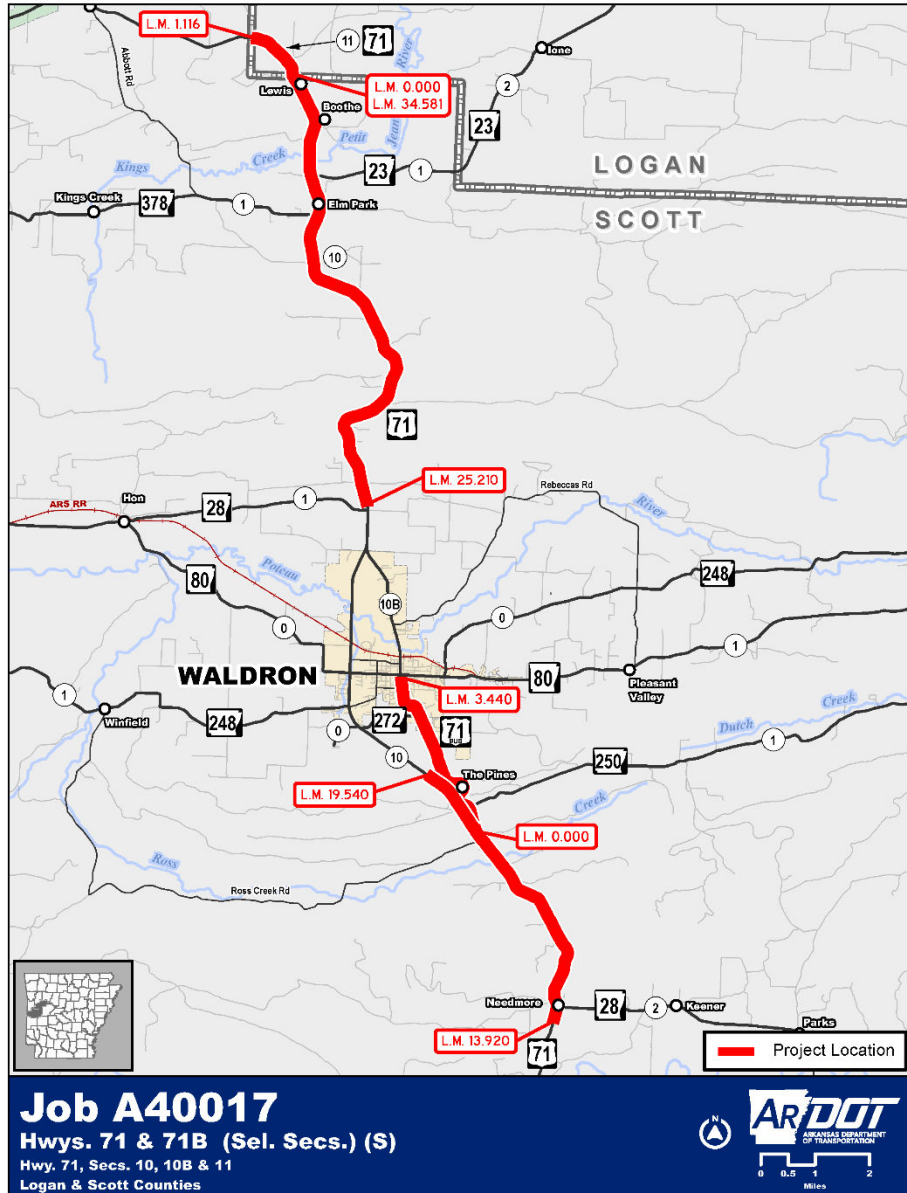
- **New Location**
- **1.7 miles**
- **Partnering Project**
- **Estimated Completion: Late 2025**
- **\$30.1 Million**

Interstate 30: Gurdon Rest Area - Hwy. 26

- Pavement Preservation
- 12.3 miles
- Redstone Construction Group, Inc.
- Estimated Completion: Late 2023
- \$18 Million



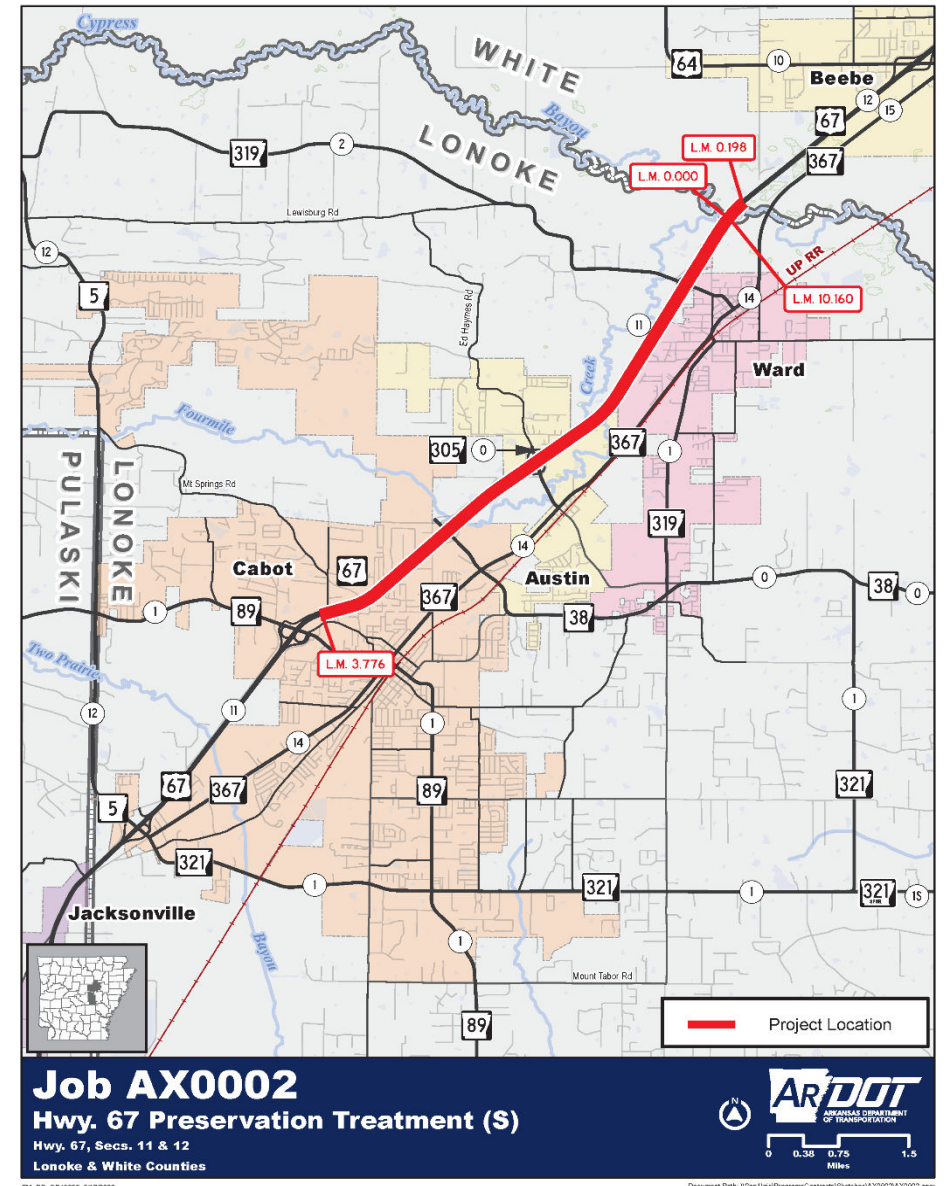
Highway 71 & 71B (Logan & Scott Counties)



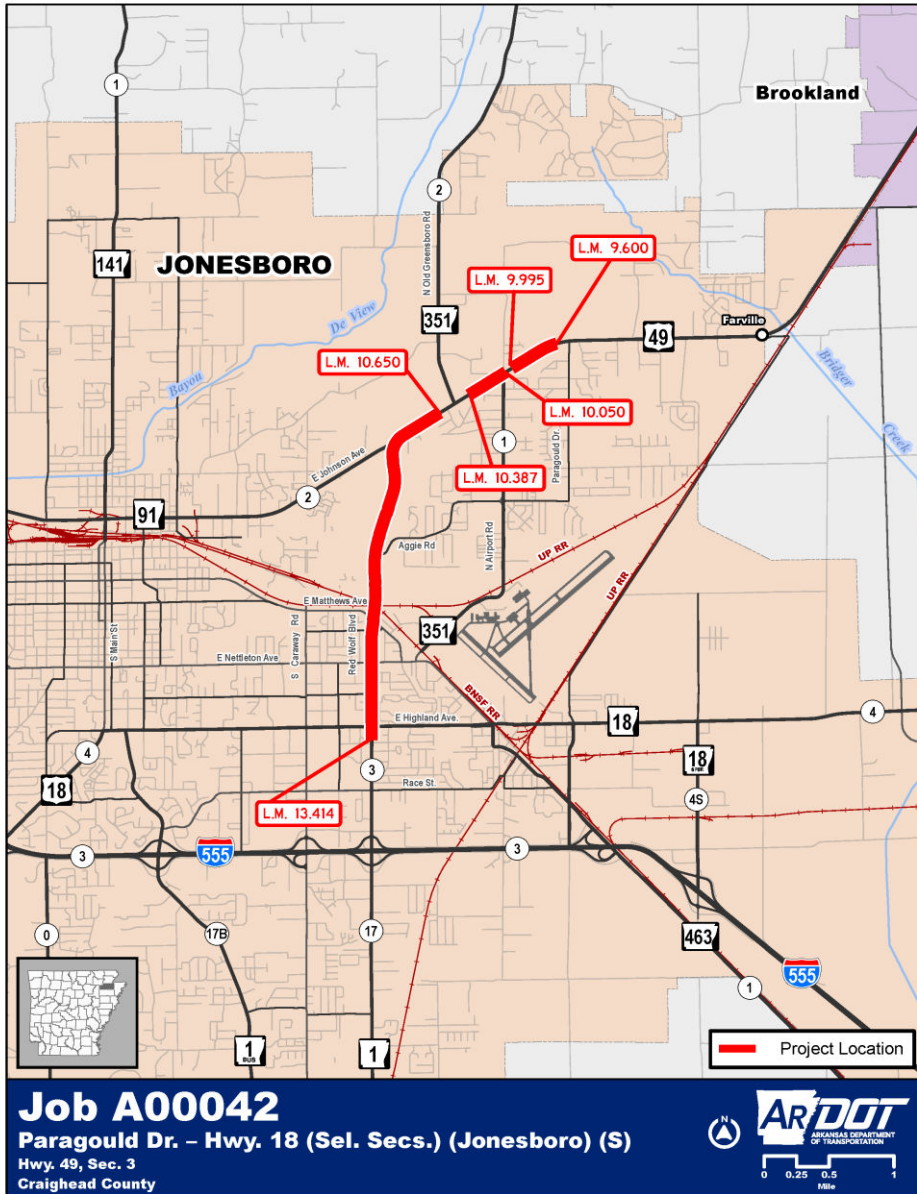
- Pavement Preservation
- Logan & Scott Counties
- 19.6 miles
- Blackstone Construction, LLC
- Estimated Completion: Late 2023
- \$13.3 Million

Hwy. 67 Pavement Treatment (Lonoke & White Counties)

- **Pavement Preservation**
- **6.5 miles**
- **Interstate Improvement, Inc.**
- **Estimated Completion: Late 2023**
- **\$5.2 Million**



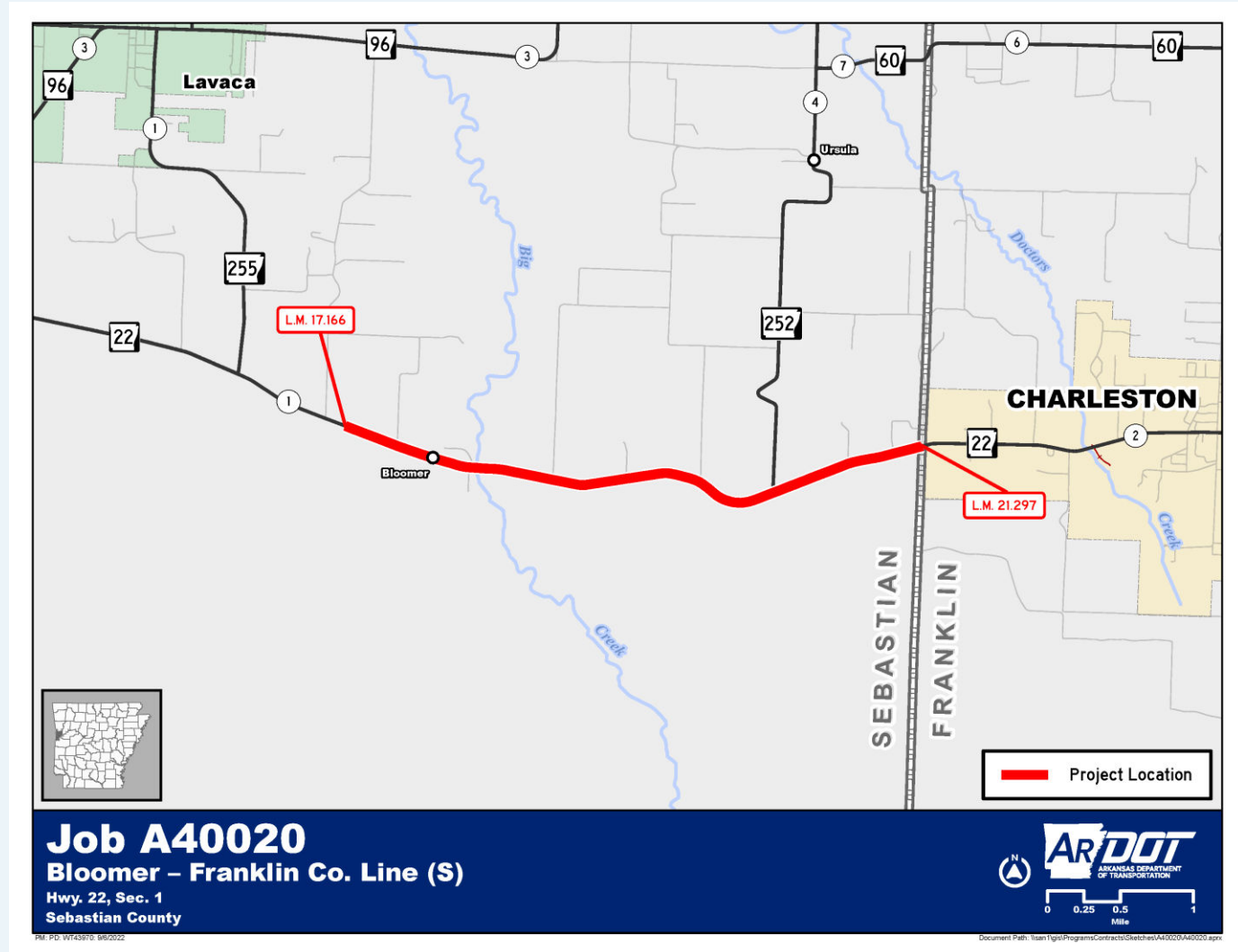
Highway 49: Paragould Dr. – Hwy. 18 (Sel. Secs.) (Jonesboro)



- Pavement Preservation
- 3.4 miles
- Atlas Asphalt, Inc.
- Estimated Completion: Late 2023
- \$3.8 Million

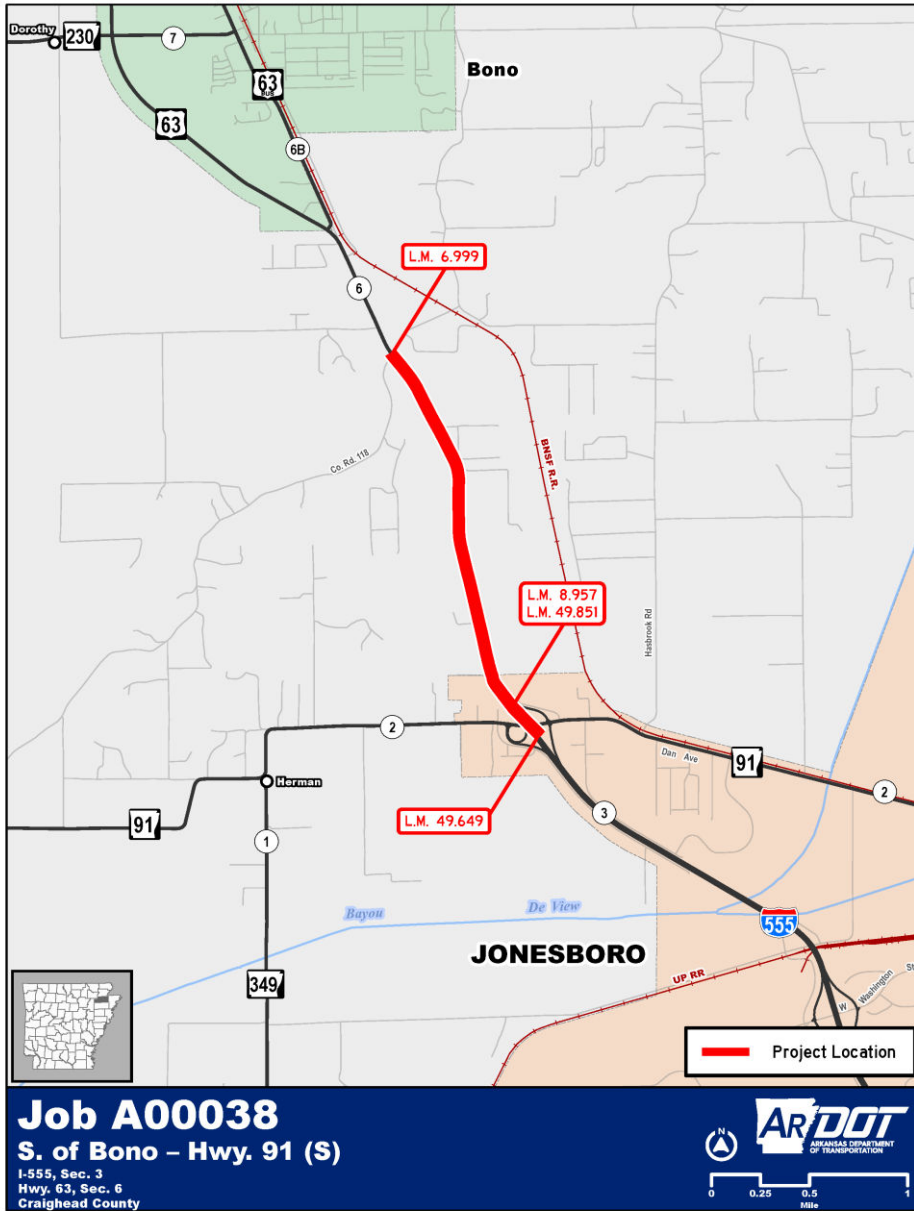
Highway 22: Bloomer – Franklin Co. Line

- Pavement Preservation
- 4.1 miles
- Forsgren, Inc.
- Estimated Completion:
Late 2023
- \$2.8 Million



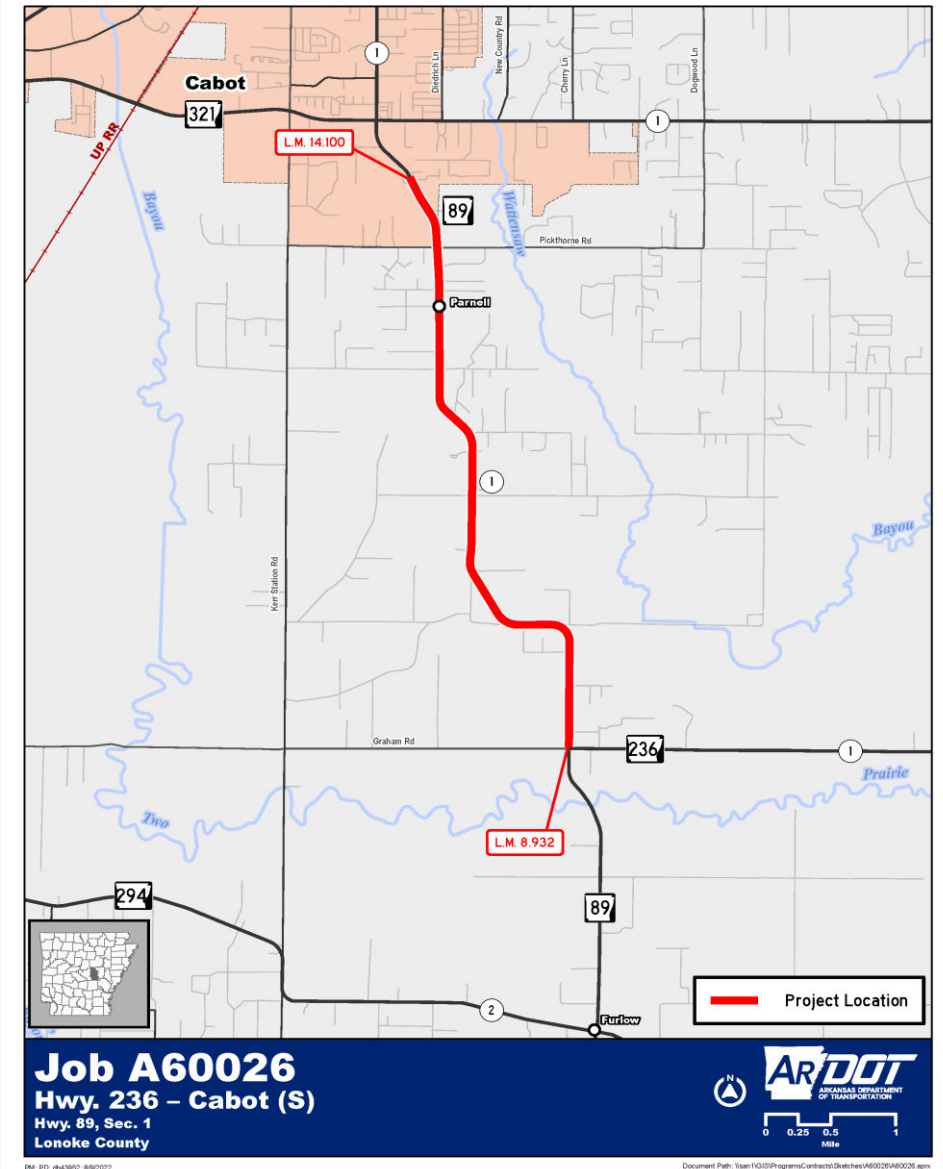
Interstate 555/Hwy. 63: South of Bono – Hwy. 91

- Pavement Preservation
- 2.2 miles
- Atlas Asphalt, Inc.
- Estimated Completion: Late 2023
- \$1.6 Million



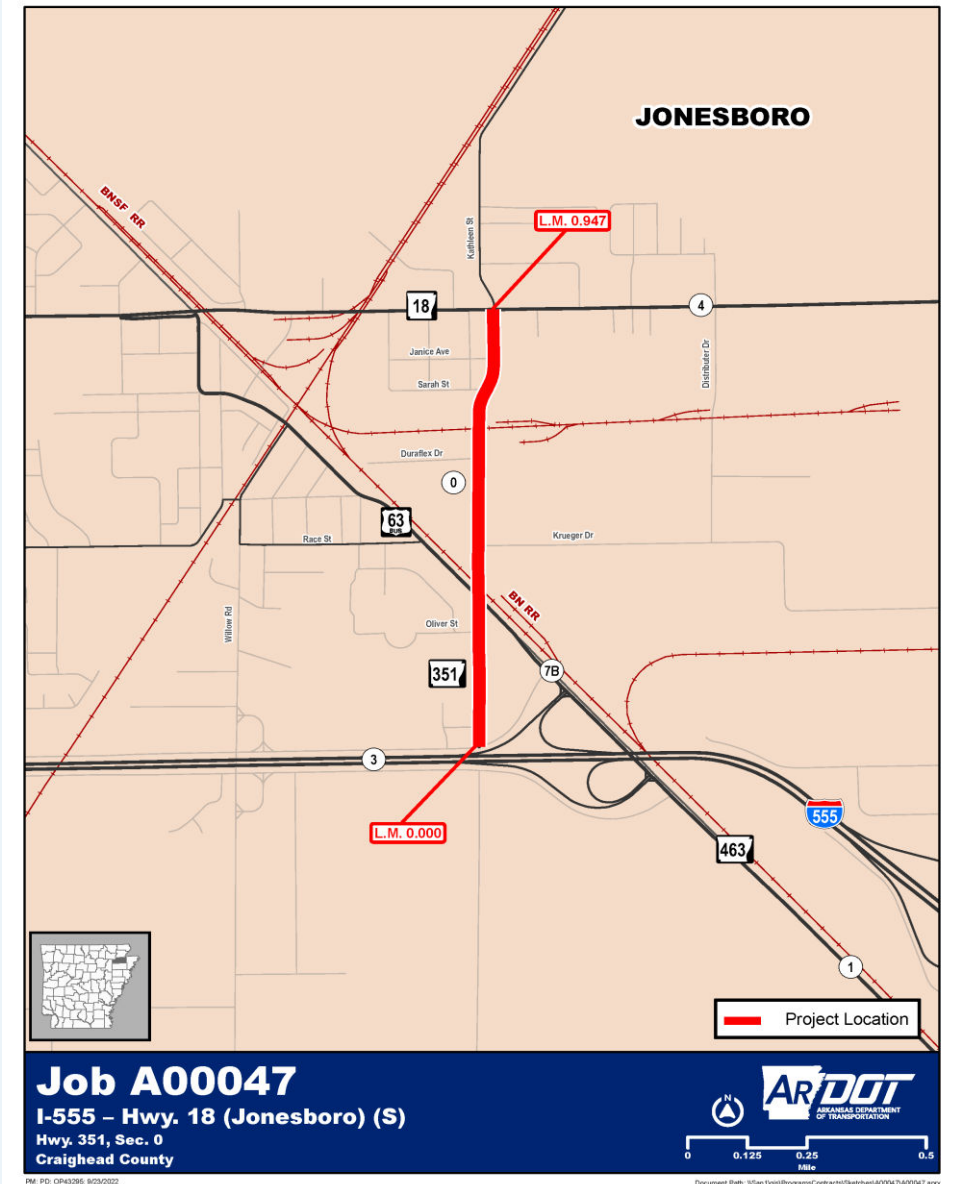
Highway 89: Hwy. 236 - Cabot

- **Pavement Preservation**
- **5.2 miles**
- **Mid-South Pavers, LLC**
- **Estimated Completion: Late 2023**
- **\$1.5 Million**



Highway 351: I-555 – Hwy. 18 (Jonesboro)

- **Pavement Preservation**
- **0.9 miles**
- **Atlas Asphalt, Inc.**
- **Estimated Completion: Late 2023**
- **\$300,000**



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Construction Manager – General Contractor Selection

Construction Manager – General Contractor

- 4 responses to the request for proposals
- 4 proposers interviewed in December 2022
- 1 recommended to begin negotiations:

✓ **Weaver-Bailey Contractors Inc. – Conway, Arkansas**



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**Around the Department:
Arkansas Highway Police**

ARKANSAS HIGHWAY POLICE

A Division of the Arkansas Department of Transportation

State Road Patrol



Act 299 of 1929 created the State Road Patrol
Under the Supervision of the State Highway
Commission.

Arkansas Highway Police

PERSONNEL

139 Sworn Officers

AHP Special Services – 14

AHP District One – 17

AHP District Two – 16

AHP District Three – 32

AHP District Four – 24

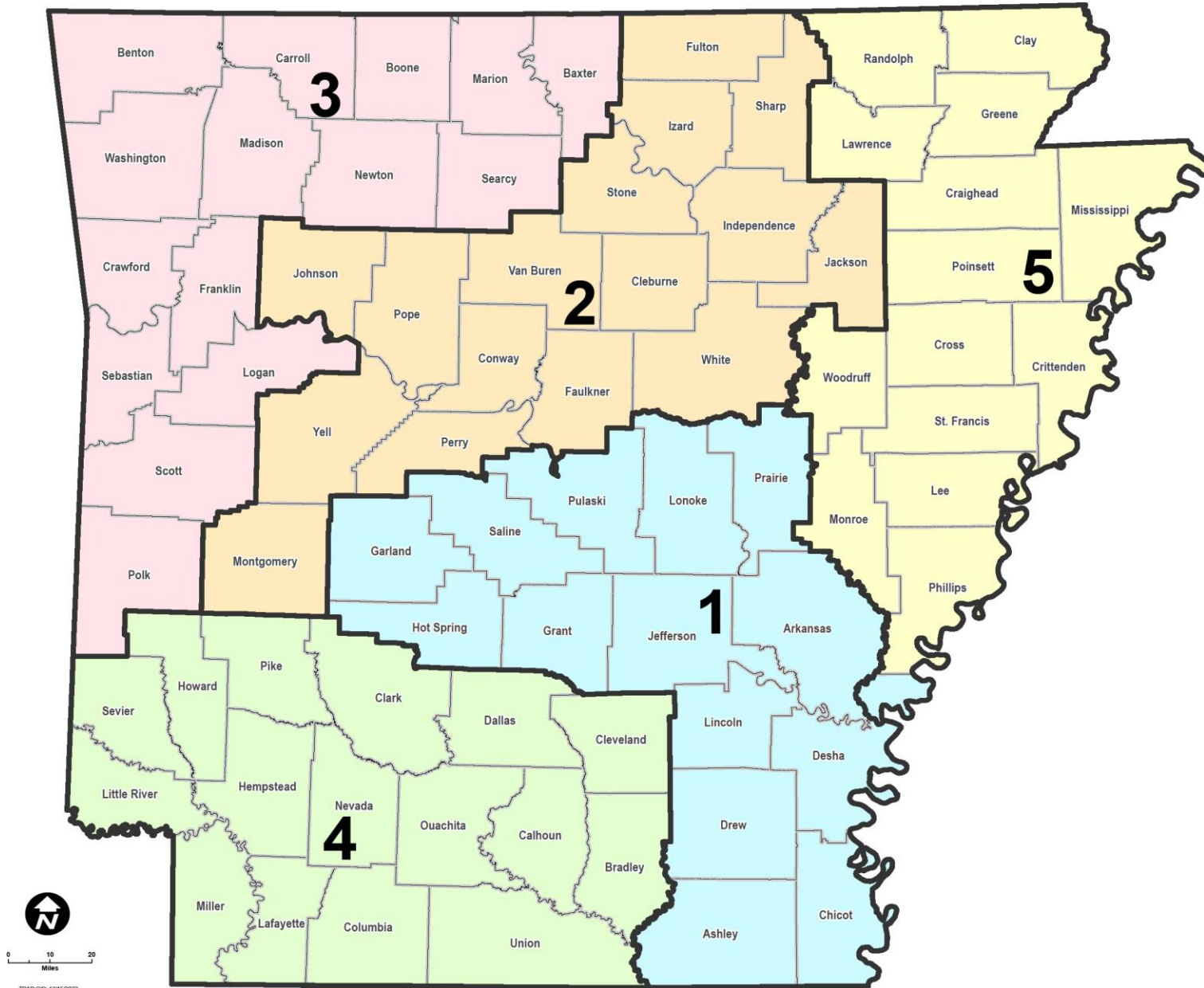
AHP District Five – 36

40 Civilian Support Personnel

Central Office – 23

Permit Section – 17

Highway Police Districts



Arkansas Highway Police

Weigh Station Facilities – 10

Operational - *Full Time*

- Alma Station - *East*
- Alma Station - *West*
- Hope - *East*
- Hope - *West*
- Bridgeport
- Riverside

Operational - *Part Time*

- Springdale - *North*
- Springdale - *South*
- Lehi
- Marion

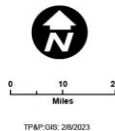
Weigh Stations



District Patrol Units

86





Arkansas Highway Police

Permit Section

2022 Permit Data

Permits Issued – 154,795

Permit Fees - \$15,535,949.50

Focused Mission

Size and Weight Enforcement



5,989 Violations

Arkansas Highway Police

Weight Enforcement

Trucks Weighed - 2,562,269

Overweight Penalty - \$510,910

Focused Mission

Motor Carrier Enforcement



39, 578 Inspections

Arkansas Highway Police

MCSAP Enforcement

2.6 Million Commercial Vehicles Checked



39,578 MCSAP Inspections

Out-of-Service Vehicles
5,717

Out-of-Service Drivers
3,675

Focused Mission

Assisting ArDOT



6,683 Hours

Focused Mission

Work Zones



8,246 Hours

Focused Mission

Traffic Incident Management



Our role is to facilitate the training of first responders to *detect, respond to, and clear* traffic incidents as safely and quickly as possible.

Arkansas First Responders Trained - 10,790

Arkansas Highway Police

Funding

Oversize / Overweight Permit Sales - \$15,500,000

Overweight Fine Penalties - \$ 500,000

FMCSA / MCSAP Funding - \$ 6,400,000

Total Funds - \$ 22,400,000

Total Budget - \$19,300,000

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2022 Year in Review

Looking Ahead to 2023

Commissioner David Haak Swearing In
















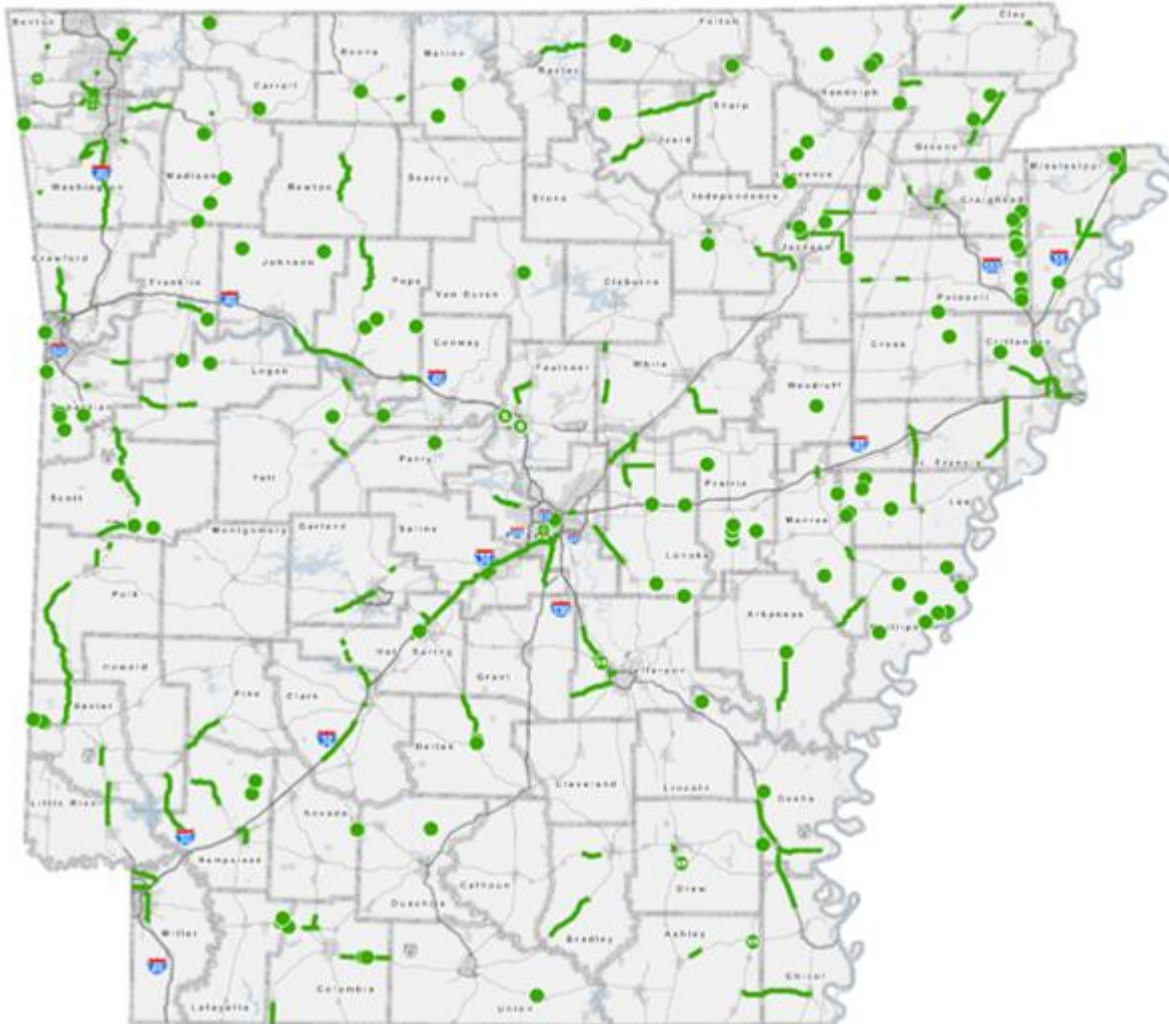
July 2023

- System Preservation
 - ✓ 7,000 Miles
 - ✓ 1,100 Bridges
 - ✓ \$5.1 Billion
- Capital and Capacity
 - ✓ \$3.6 Billion

Major Projects Expected to be Completed in 2023











Route	County	Job Name	Award Amount	Program
	Pulaski	Pleasant Ridge Rd. – Pleasant Valley Dr. (L.R.)	\$ 81.0 Million	Regular Federal-aid
	Garland	Hwy. 70 East – Hwy. 7 North	\$ 75.2 Million	Regular Federal-aid
	Pulaski & Saline	Sevier St. – Geyer Springs Rd. (Conc. Pvmnt. Pres.)	\$ 40.5 Million	Regular Federal-aid
	Union	Airport Dr. – Hwy. 82B (Widening)	\$ 33.5 Million	CAP
	Lonoke & Prairie	Hwy. 31 – East	\$ 27.4 Million	Regular Federal-aid
	Faulkner	UPRR Overpass & Realign. (Mayflower)	\$ 26.3 Million	Regular Federal-aid
	Garland	Fleetwood Dr. – Hwy. 227 (Widening)	\$ 22.6 Million	CAP
	Faulkner & Pulaski	Conway – North Little Rock	\$ 22.2 Million	Regular Federal-aid
 	Howard, Pike & Sevier	Saline & Caddo Rivers Strs. & Apprs.	\$ 20.5 Million	Regular Federal-aid
	Various	Specialized Bridge Deck Rehab. (2021)	\$ 19.2 Million	Regular Federal-aid

2023 Funding Program

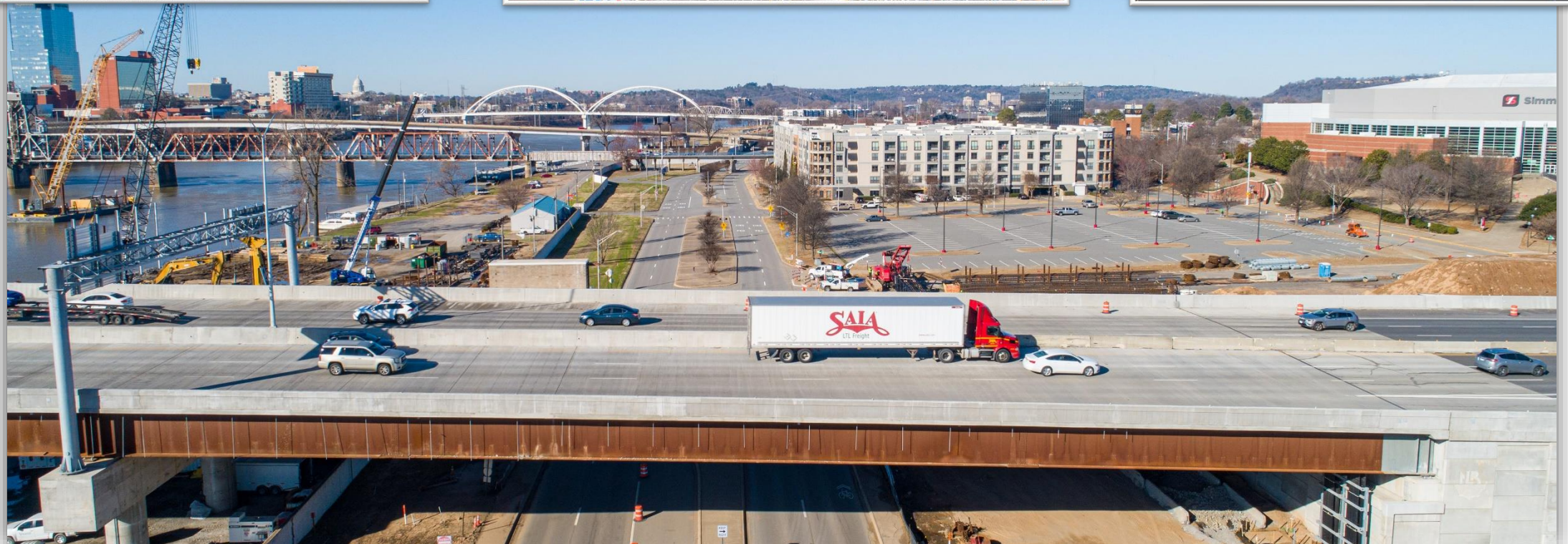
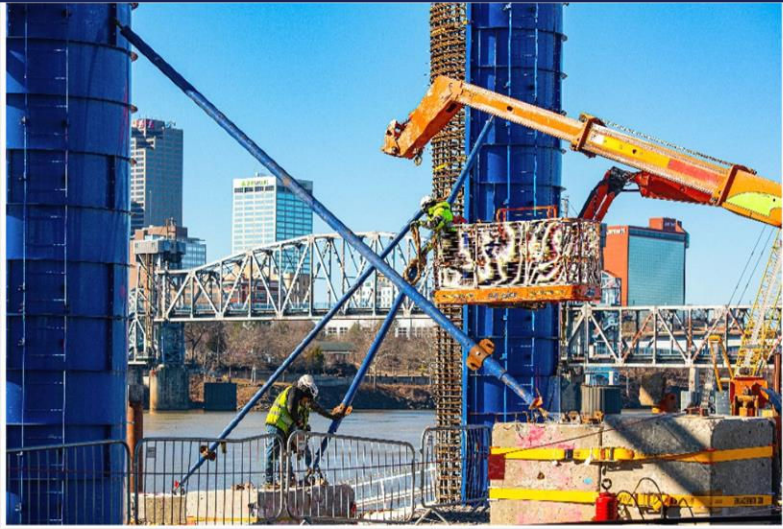


Type Projects	Projected Amount
Widening/New Location	\$ 420 Million
Pavement Preservation	\$ 450 Million
Bridge Preservation	\$ 40 Million
Bridge Replacement	\$ 150 Million
Safety	\$ 30 Million
Other	\$ 100 Million
Total	\$ 1.19 Billion

Ten Largest Projects Scheduled for 2023

Route	County	Job Name	Cost Estimate
	Benton & Washington	Hwy. 412 – Hwy. 112 (Springdale Bypass) (S)	\$75 – 100 Million
	Lonoke	Hwy. 5 – Hwy. 89 (Widening) (Cabot) (F)	\$75 – 100 Million
	Benton	Northwest Arkansas National Airport Access (F)	\$50 – 75 Million
	Benton & Washington	Hwy. 412 – Springdale Bypass (S)	\$50 – 75 Million
	Craighead & Poinsett	Hwy. 135 Strs. & Apprs. (S)	\$30 – 40 Million
	Sebastian	Hwy. 10 – Hwy. 96 (Greenwood Bypass) (S)	\$20 – 30 Million
	Washington	Crawford Co. Line – Hwy. 62 (Sel. Secs.) (S)	\$20 – 30 Million
	Johnson & Pope	Hwy. 64 – Hwy. 331 (S)	\$20 – 30 Million
	Jefferson	Hwy. 104 – Hwy. 365 (Pine Bluff & White Hall) (S)	\$20 – 30 Million
	Hot Spring & Saline	Rockport – Hwy. 70 (S)	\$20 – 30 Million

I-30 Crossing



Highway 10 Widening Completion








Upcoming CAP Celebrations




- 31 promises made, 31 promises kept
- Celebrated with events in South and Northeast Arkansas
- Additional events planned in Central and Northwest Arkansas

Public Inquiry Portal – Gov Q & A

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FAQs

See All FAQs 

What County am I in?

How do I report a malfunctioning traffic light?

How do I obtain land surveys or survey worksheets?

How do I join Adopt-A-Highway?

How do I obtain archived aerial photography?

Submit Inquiry

Reference No:

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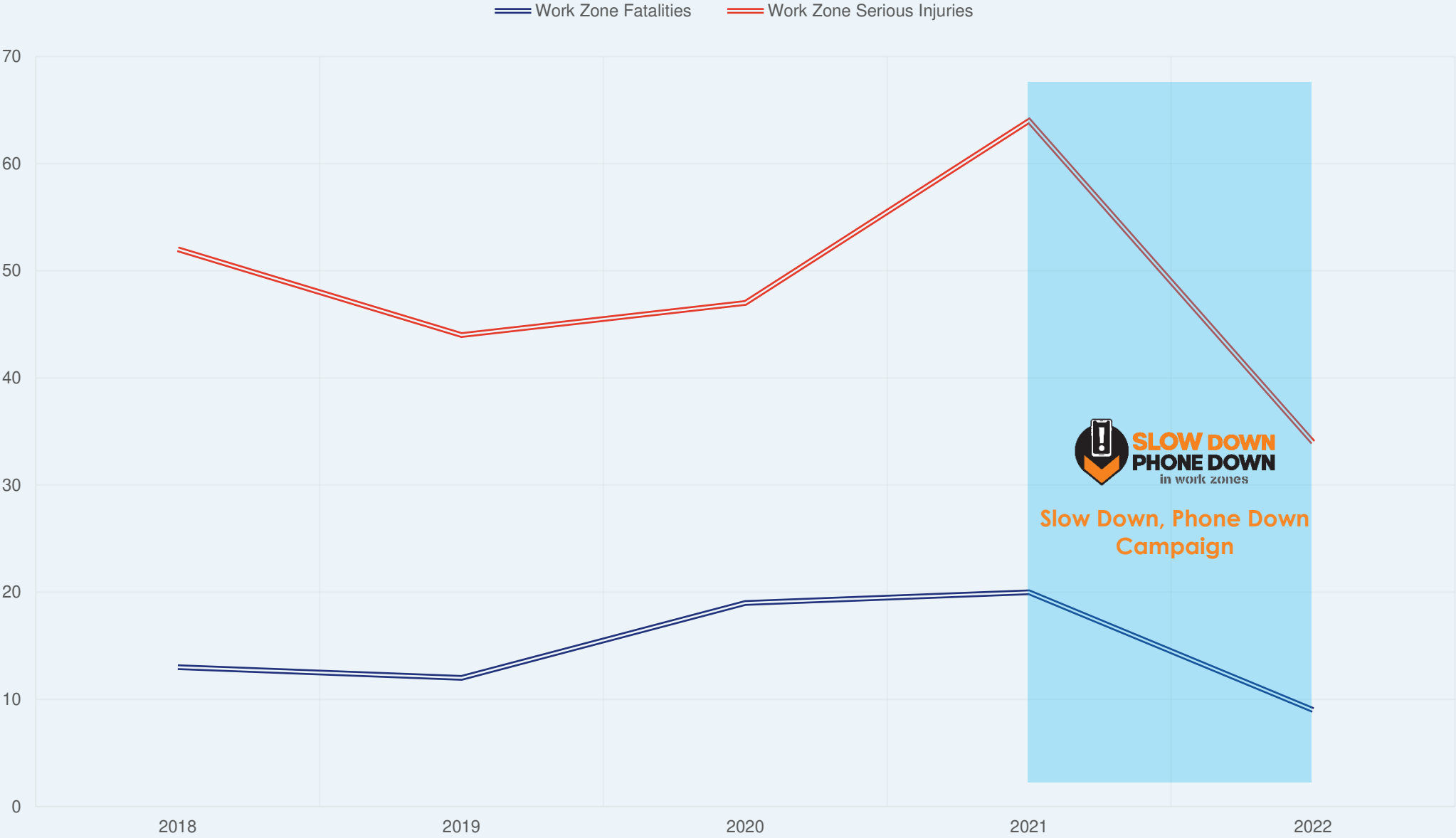


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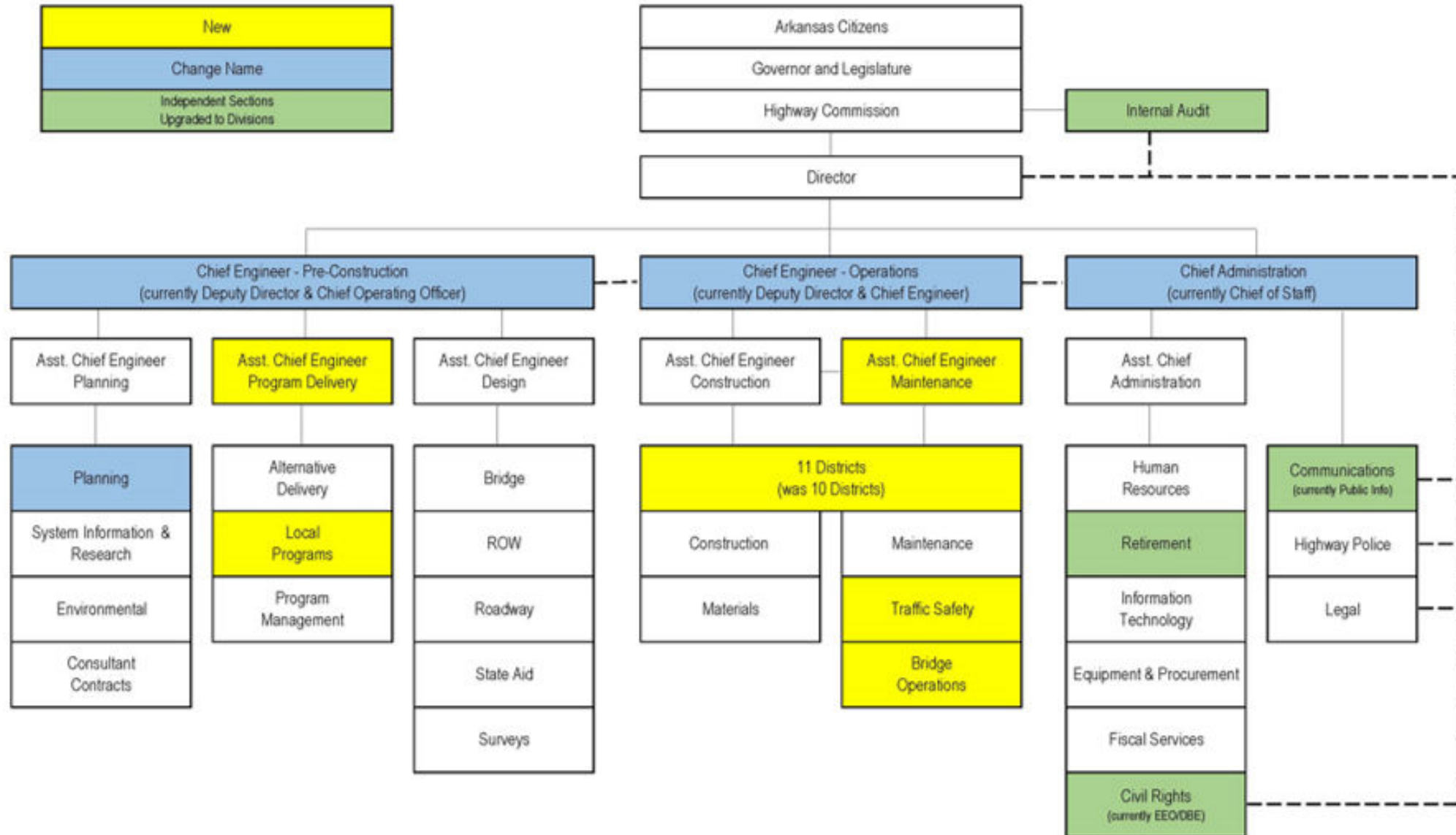


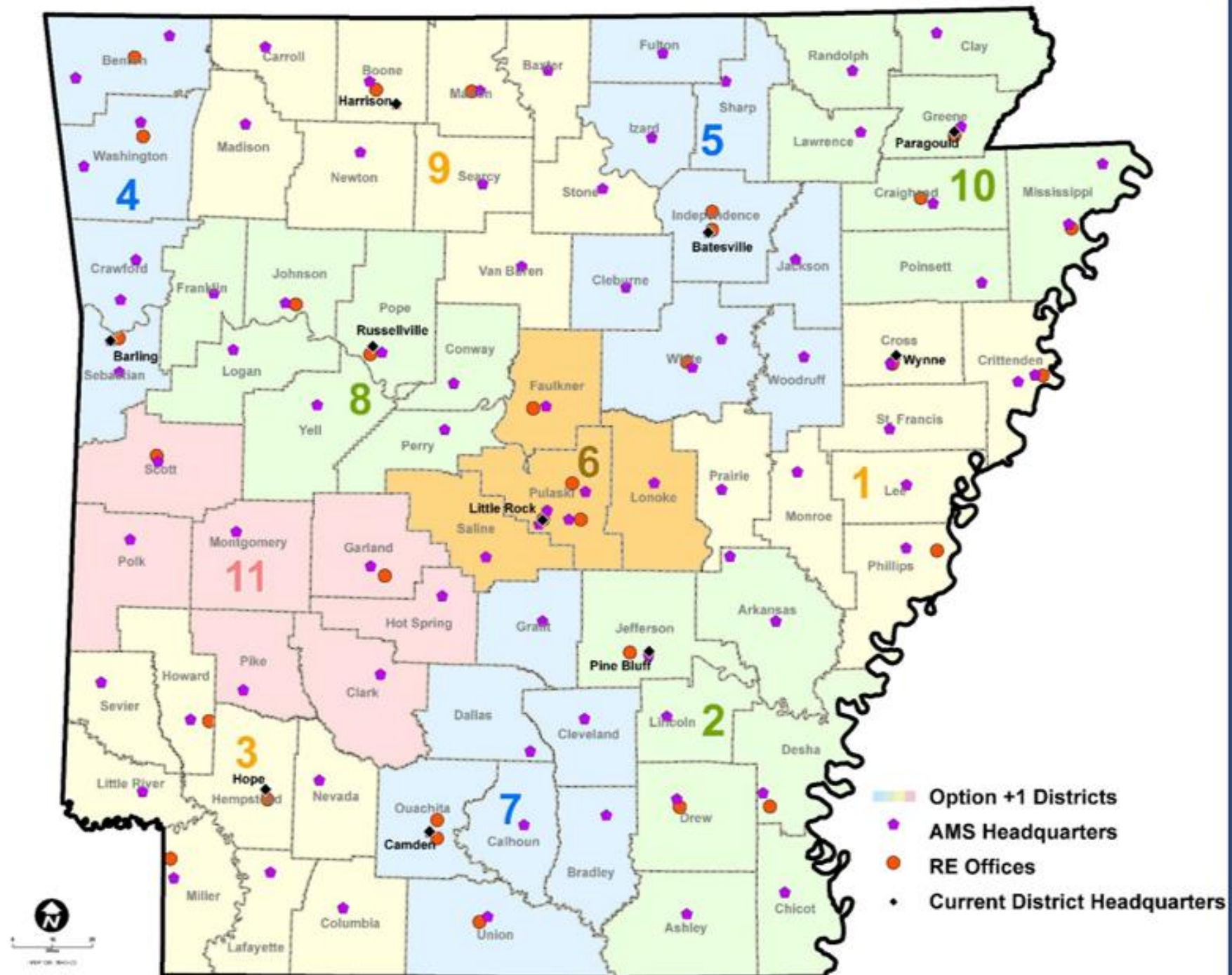
WORK ZONE INJURIES AND FATALITIES



Arkansas Department of Transportation

Proposed Organizational Chart





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Upcoming Events



UPCOMING

Events

FEBRUARY 23

NLR Chamber of Commerce

Director Tudor

5:15 - 8 p.m., North Little Rock

FEBRUARY 24

Jonesboro Eastern Bypass

Groundbreaking

Chairman Farmer, Director Tudor

11 a.m., Jonesboro

MARCH 9

Northwest Arkansas CAP Event

Vice Chairman Taldo/Director Tudor

TBD, Bentonville

MARCH 14

P.E. Board Meeting

Director Tudor

10 a.m., Little Rock

MARCH 15

Texarkana Chamber of Commerce

Director Tudor

TBD, State Capitol

APRIL 1

PEO Sisterhood Luncheon

Director Tudor

TBD, Little Rock

APRIL 2 - 4

SASHTO Peer Exchange

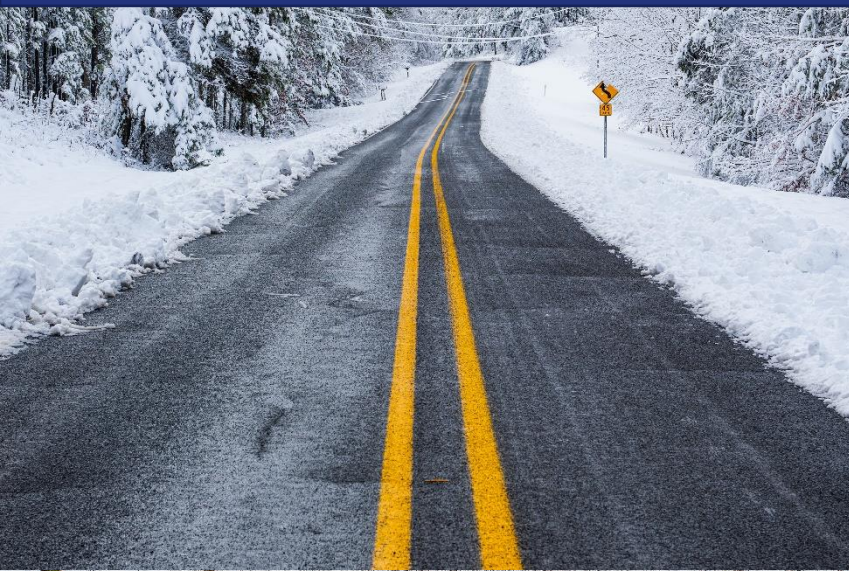
Director Tudor

Atlanta, GA

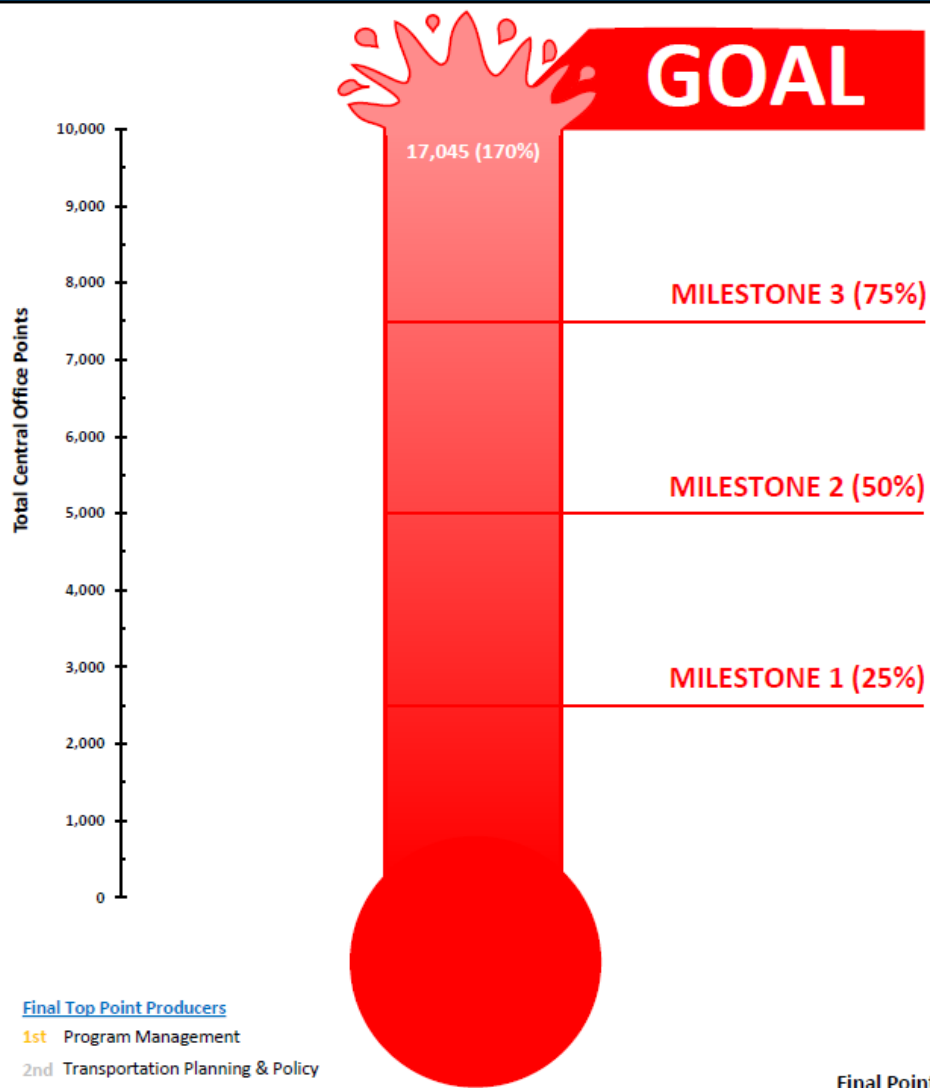
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Other Business and Discussion

February 2023 Winter Weather Events



ARDOT Central Office Food Drive



Final Top Point Producers

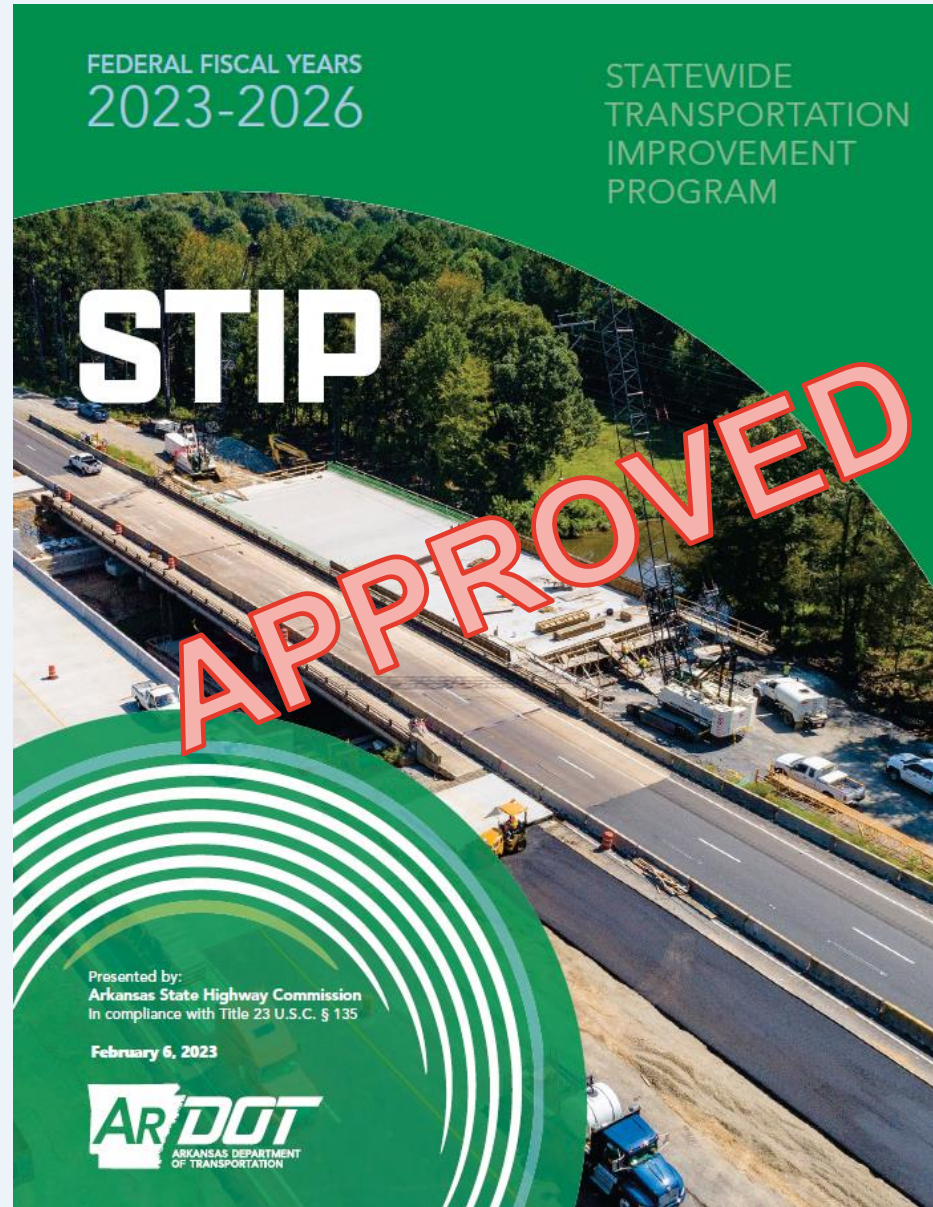
- 1st Program Management
- 2nd Transportation Planning & Policy
- 3rd Human Resources

Final Points
12/12/2022

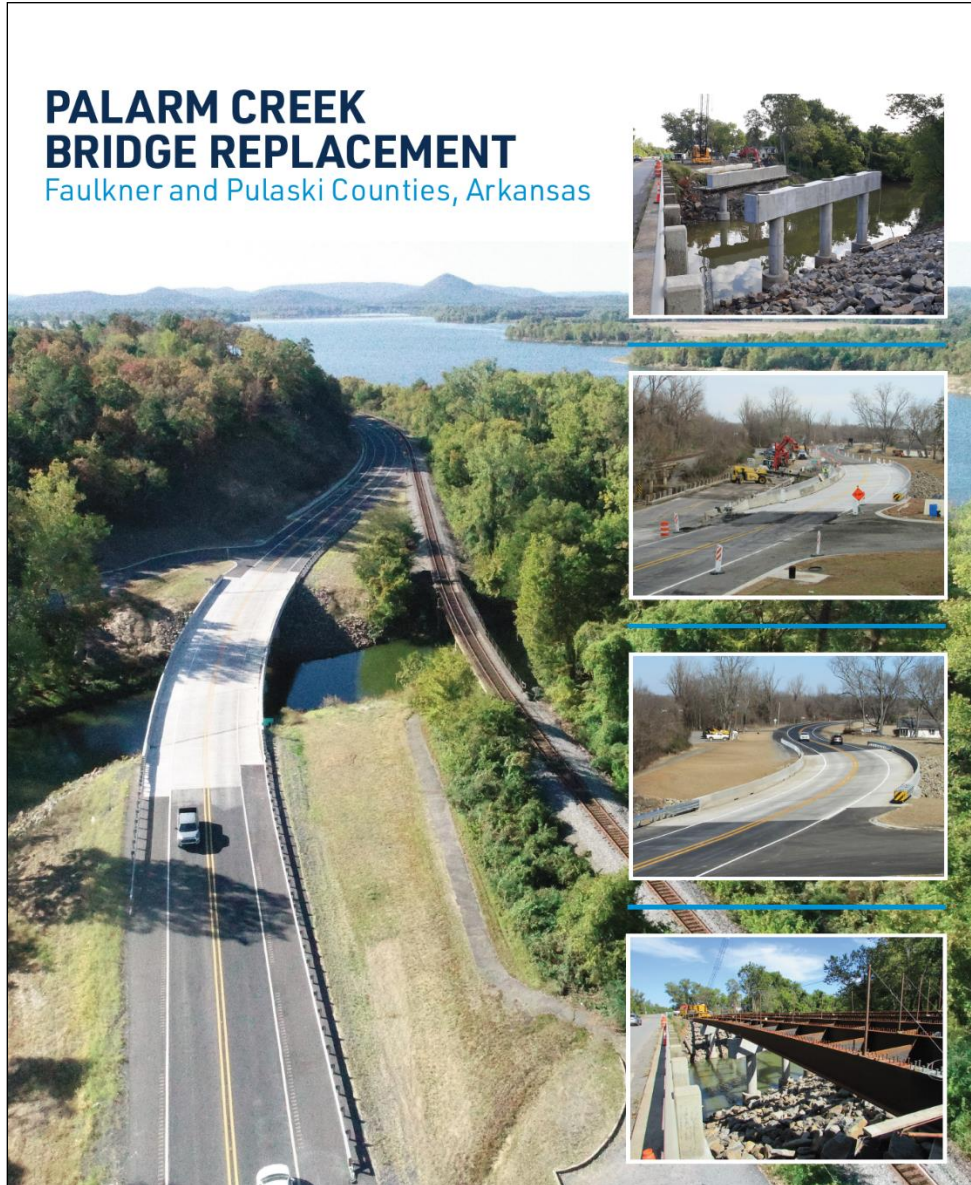


Statewide Transportation Improvement Program

FFY 2023 – FFY 2026



ACEC Awards



- 2023 Engineering Excellence Awards
- HNTB – Arkansas EVID Plan
- Michael Baker International – Palarm Creek Bridge Replacement

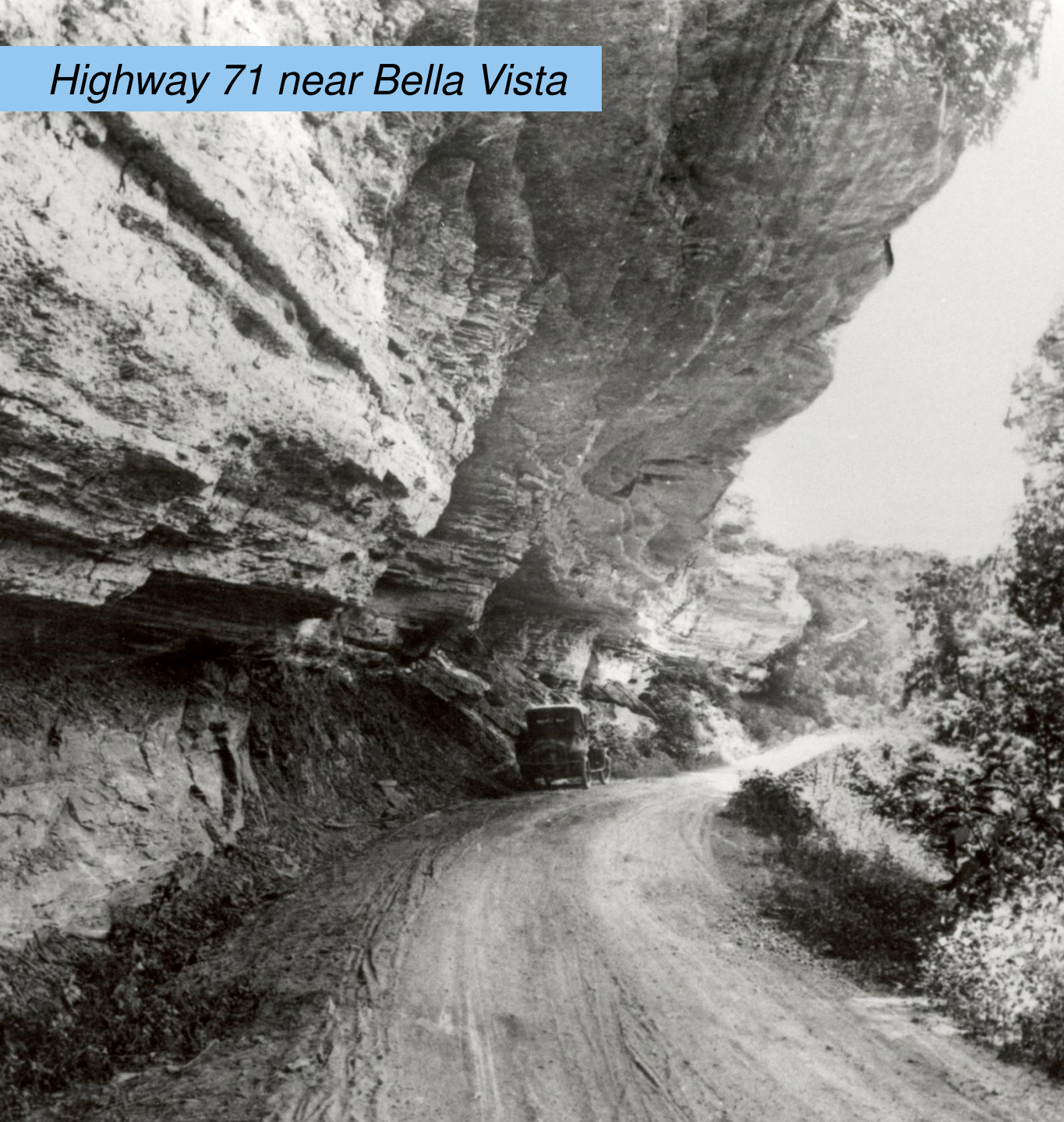


Perpetual Pavement Awards





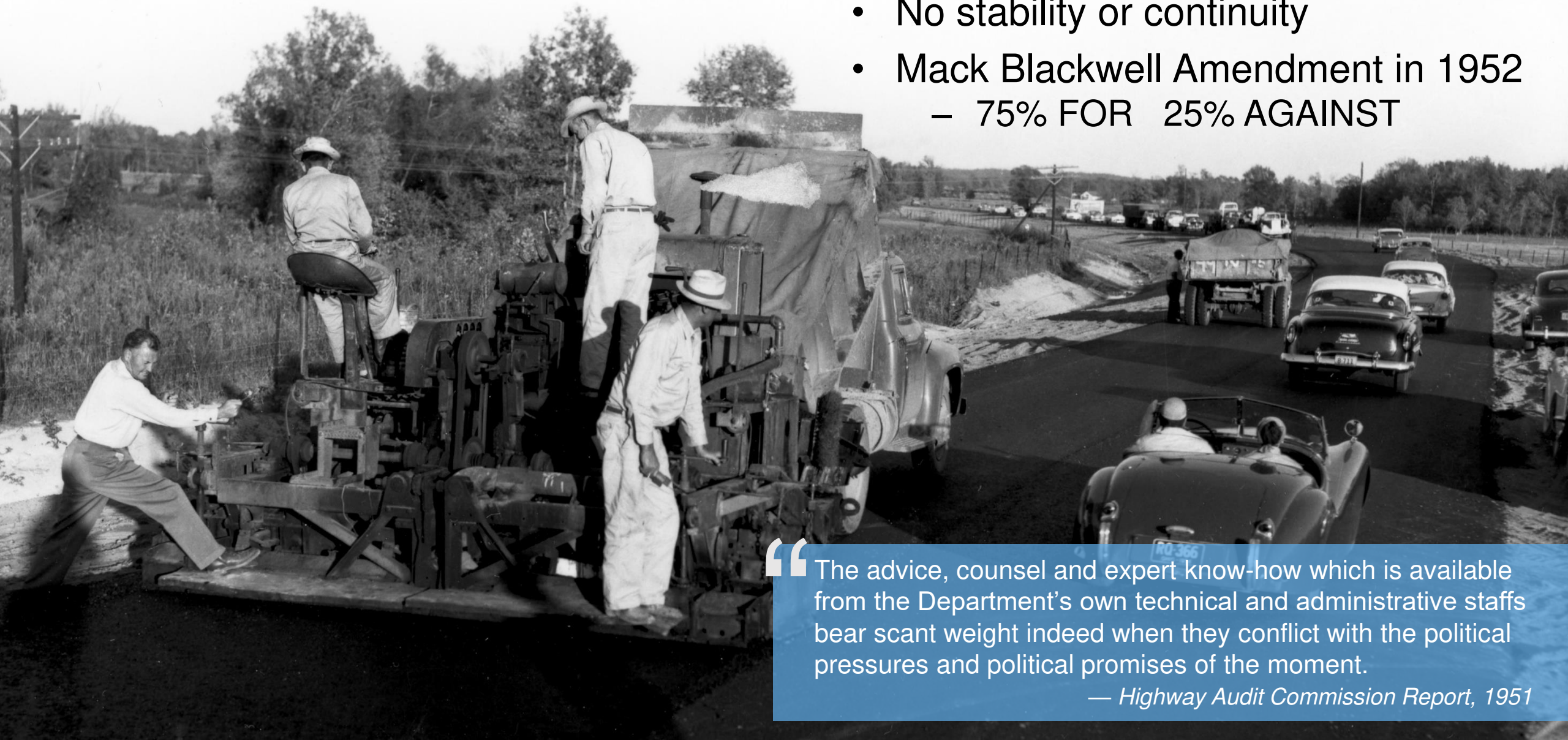
Highway 71 near Bella Vista



- First Commission created
 - No Highway Department
 - No Highway System
- 3,600 Vehicles
- \$72,000 total budget
- 36,000 miles of public roads

Widening Hwy 67 near Malvern, 1956

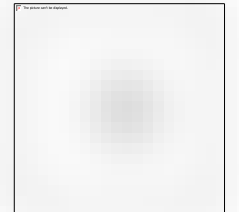
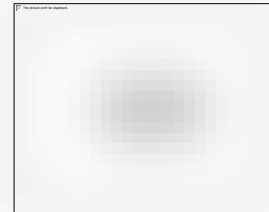
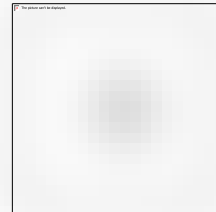
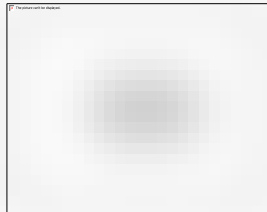
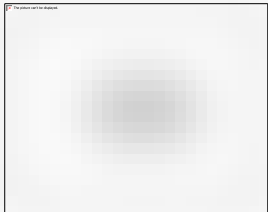
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- No stability or continuity
- Mack Blackwell Amendment in 1952
 - 75% FOR 25% AGAINST



“ The advice, counsel and expert know-how which is available from the Department's own technical and administrative staffs bear scant weight indeed when they conflict with the political pressures and political promises of the moment.

— Highway Audit Commission Report, 1951

- ***1st State to Complete its Interstate System (1975)***
- ***1985 – Rural Road Program – out of the mud***
- ***1991 – Highway Improvement Program***
- ***1999 – Interstate Rehabilitation Program – First Highway Bond Issue in 50 years***
- ***2011 – 2nd Interstate Rehabilitation Program***
- ***2012 – Connecting Arkansas Program***
- ***2020 – Renew Arkansas Highways Program***





AGR/TC and AHTD Conduct Statewide Meetings

Highway Commission Commends Good Roads Council



Mary Jo Sullivan, AGR/TC Field Representative, Dr. Silas D. Snow, AGR/TC President, and Dalton Farmer, AGR/TC Director, go over the program prior to the Paragould meeting.

1983



Thank You!

CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION



WHEREAS, in 1983 – the Arkansas State Highway Commission presented the Arkansas Good Roads Foundation with a Certificate of Appreciation for their efforts in obtaining funding for highways; and

WHEREAS, since 1983 Arkansas State Highway Commission, Arkansas Department of Transportation and Arkansas Good Roads Foundation have fostered a strong partnership; and

WHEREAS, the Arkansas Good Roads Foundation has been a visible and credible voice on behalf of the mission of the Arkansas State Highway Commission and the Arkansas Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the excellent and tireless efforts of the Arkansas Good Roads Foundation, Amendment 101 funds will begin in July 2023 and will provide a stable source of revenue for Arkansas transportation system.

NOW THEREFORE, the Arkansas State Highway Commission and the Arkansas Department of Transportation express our deep appreciation to the Arkansas Good Roads Foundation for their advocacy, education efforts and support in obtaining funding for highways.

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Commission Chairman

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Commission Vice Chairman

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