BUSINESS I-55/SOUTH SIXTH STREET EXPANSION STUDY

From Stanford Avenue to Interstate 72/6th Street Interchange
Sangamon County, Illinois

MAY 2015

Public Hearing Open House

Tuesday
May 19, 2015
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Route 66 Hotel & Conference Center
Sixth & St. Joseph
Springfield, Illinois

For More Information:

http://www.springfieldsouth6thstexpansion.com

Get Involved!

- Attend **Project Public Meetings**
- Access the Project **Website**
- Follow **Media Relations**
- Submit **Ideas/Comments**

Purpose of this Study?

The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) is completing a Phase I (planning) Study for the improvement of Business Loop I-55/South Sixth Street, from north of I-72 to Stanford Avenue in Springfield. The primary scope of the planning study was to evaluate the capacity of the roadway and intersections, and to determine the need for additional traffic lanes and other improvements in order to increase capacity and promote safety for all roadway users throughout the study corridor.

IDOT is proposing three lanes of traffic in both directions along the Sixth Street corridor along with intersection, access, drainage and other safety related improvements.

IDOT recognizes the importance of this section of Sixth Street and the need to make improvements to increase safety while reducing congestion. A project of this significance on the local and regional transportation system requires the input of residents, business owners, commuters and local officials who can offer advice and can serve to represent community views and concerns. IDOT, throughout the planning study, has worked with stakeholders to make this much-needed project a reality.

We Want Your Consensus

In order for the Illinois Department of Transportation to develop a safe transportation solution that meets the needs of the community, it will need the help of the public (you). To draw out the greatest value from public participation for the Business I-55 South Sixth Street Expansion Study, IDOT has followed the principles of Context Sensitive Solutions (CSS). CSS is a collaborative, interdisciplinary approach that involves stakeholders to develop cost-effective transportation solutions that fit into the project's surroundings and preserve the scenic, aesthetic, historic and environmental resources while maintaining safety and mobility. IDOT is looking for a consensus from the local community which will help IDOT in the completion of the study as well as understand the community's concerns and transportation needs.

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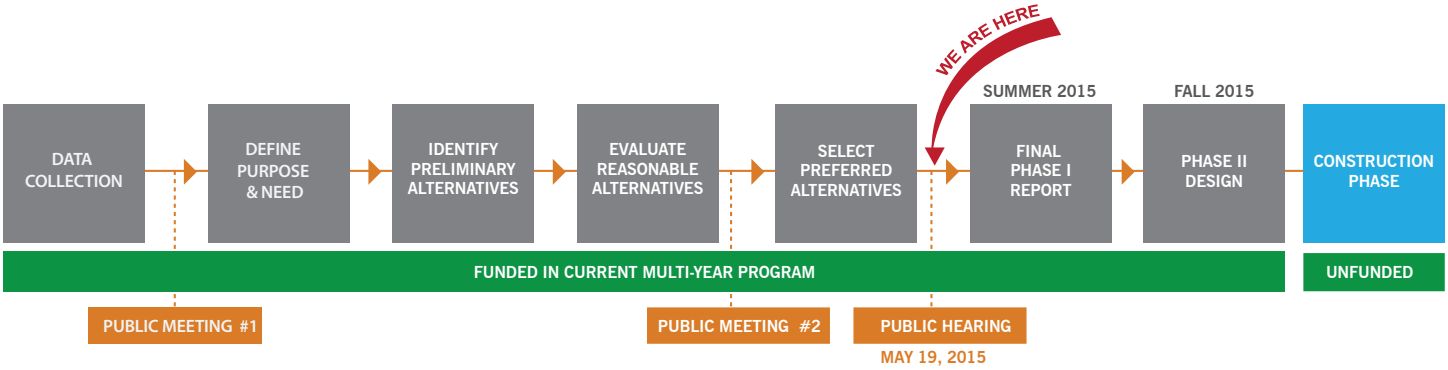
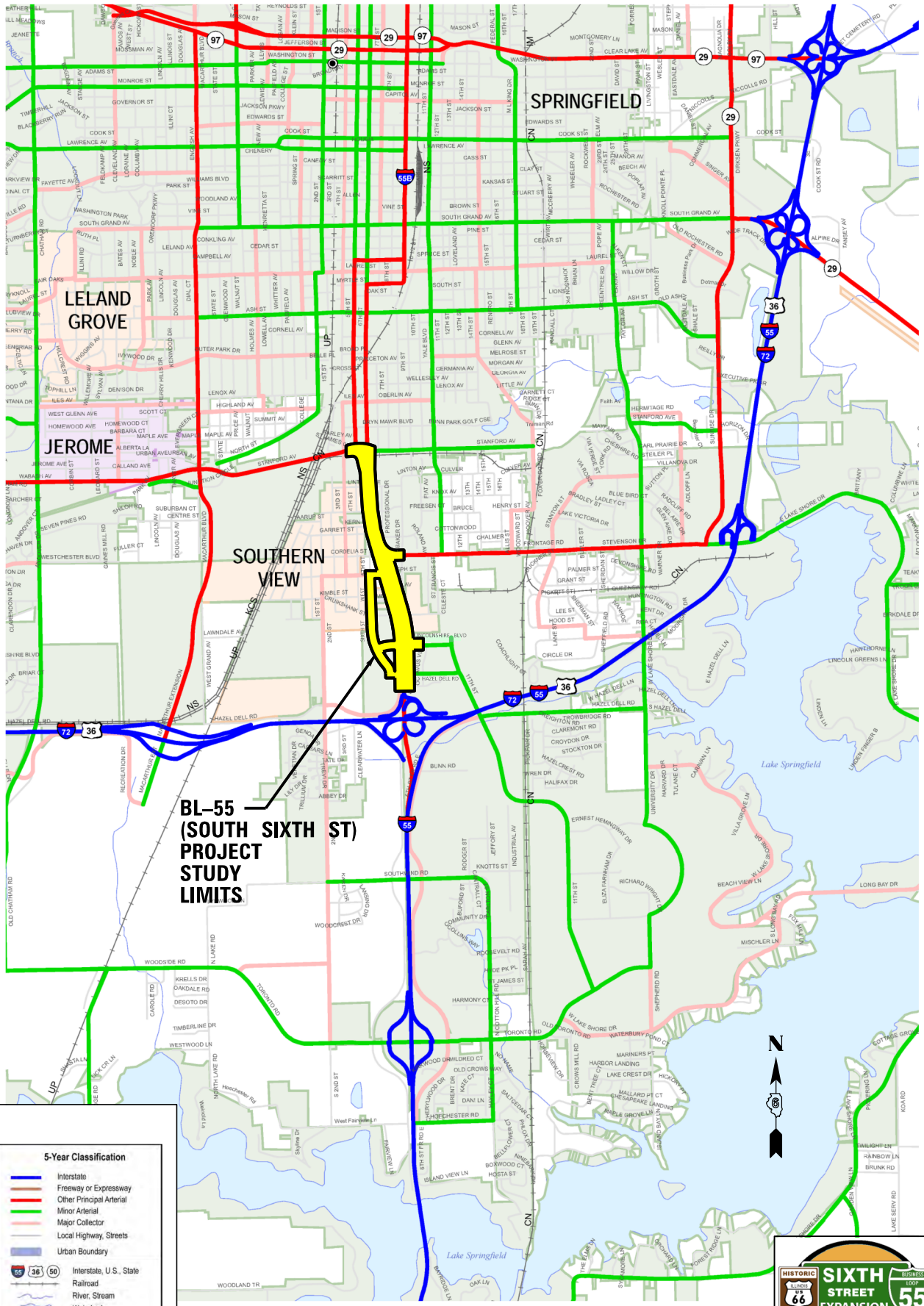
PROJECT SCHEDULE



PROJECT LOCATION MAP



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BL55		SANGAMON		
		CONTRACT NO.		
		ILLINOIS FED. AID PROJECT		

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