

# Interstate 70 Cave Springs to Fairgrounds Design-Build Project Update



*What's the Latest?*

The I-70 Cave Springs to Fairgrounds Design-Build Project is moving into its next phase.

Earlier this week we held a virtual meeting for members of the construction industry who are interested in submitting plans for this project.

During that meeting we unveiled the new Project Goals, which were previously shared with you, as well as the latest on the schedule.

At the industry meeting, we also released additional requirements of the teams for Public Involvement. Communication between these teams, the public and MoDOT will continue to be a priority as the project progresses.

Industry members will now form teams and submit their Statements of Qualifications. We expect to decide which teams will move forward in late August. These shortlisted teams will work on their proposed designs throughout the rest of this year. MoDOT will select the proposal that best achieves the new, and improved, project goals in February at the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission meeting.

If you're interested in seeing the video from the meeting or reviewing the documents, please visit the project website.



## NEXT STEPS

We'll be releasing periodic newsletters throughout the rest of the summer and fall. Once the project is awarded in February 2022, we will have final designs to share with you. Of course, we are always here to answer any questions or hear your concerns.

### ABOUT THE PROJECT

The I-70 Cave Springs to Fairgrounds Design-Build Project will maximize improvements to address:

- Local Connectivity, Safety, Traffic Congestion
- Long-Lasting Infrastructure with Future Expansion in Mind
- Construction Impacts
- Workforce Diversity

### Average crash rate along the I-70 project area (2013-2017)



60% of crashes happen on the outer roads and at interchanges

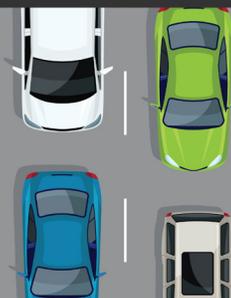


**More than 40% above**  
the Missouri statewide average rate



Safety is a significant concern along this corridor

### SB Cave Springs between West Clay and Mexico (0.3 miles)

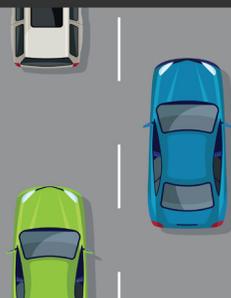


**7 MPH**

The average speed AM Rush\*

\*Average travel time: 2 minutes 45 seconds

### NB Zumbuhl between Regency Pkwy and West Clay (0.5 miles)



**18 MPH**

The average speed AM Rush\*

\*Average travel time: 1 minute and 40 seconds