

MEDIA RELEASE
JEFFERSON COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Date: 03 / 28 / 2024

Notice period (weeks/days): 25 Days

Council District: District 6

Project Identification:

Name: S Jeff Co Bridge Replacement-McGehan Road Bridge
Limits: Roughly 3,500' E. of Hwy E to 3,900' E. of Hwy E
Project Number: STP-5403 (697)
Creek Crossing: Tributary to Joachim Creek
ADT: <100 (2018)
Project Length (Road): 380 Feet
Location (S/T/R or vicinity): Sec 26 T39N, R4E

Funding Source:

Federal Funding or Local: 80% Federal, 20% Local
(80% Federal/20% Local) (100%)

Engineer:

Name (consultant/county): ABNA
Engineer's Estimate: \$ 754,341.00

Estimated Dates:

Start Date: April 22, 2024
Road Closure (full/partial): Full Closure
Finish Date: Summer/Fall 2024

Contractor Data:

Name/City: Gershenson Construction Co.
Low Bidder (yes/no): Yes
Number of Bidders: 3
Bid Amount: \$ 796,311.00
#Working Days: 165 Working Days (2 Bridges Total)

Structure Data:

Existing Structure:

Type/Length/Width: Steel Girder / 30 Ft. / 25 Ft. 7.2 In.
Age of Structure: 33 Years
Sufficiency Rating: 39.8%
Load Posting: 15 Tons

New Structure:

Type/Length/Width: Concrete Spread Box Beam / 65' Ft. / 26' Ft.

Miscellaneous Information (Message Boards, shoulder width, detour roads, other improvements, etc.):

The work includes: Bridge replacement, concrete pavement, guardrail placement, slight vertical realignment and creek channel improvements. Located on McGehan Road over Tributary to Joachim Creek in Section 26, Township 39N, Range 4E, Jefferson County, Missouri. The length of the project is 380 feet.

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Starting Construction

What improvements are being made?

- Removing the bridge just east of 4509 McGehan Road and constructing a new bridge.
- Slight vertical realignment of McGehan Road at the bridge.

How does this project impact motorists on Harness Road?

- McGehan Road will be closed for the duration of the project.
- All residents west of the bridge will be directed to Hwy E. Residents located east of the bridge will be directed to Hardin Road.
- The box culvert east of the bridge is within the project limits but will not be replaced or affected by the construction.
- Signs will be posted along the detour route to assist traffic around the bridge closure.

When will the project start and be completed?

- Gershenson Construction Company, the awarded lowest bidder for the project, plans to start construction on April 22, 2024, with the road closure and tree clearing.
- The project is anticipated to be completed late summer/early fall.

How can I find out more information?

- Two changeable message boards will be in place on this project. One will be located on McGehan Road near Hwy E and the other will be located on McGehan Road near Hardin Road.
- Weekly updates for this project and all other Public Works Projects can be found at <https://www.jeffcomo.org/documentcenter/view/9971/weekly-projects-update-pdf>.