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**The Shortest
 Distance**

Drivers Reminded Not to Barrel Through Work Zones

Buildings and Landmarks Lit Orange to Promote Work Zone Awareness Week

Too many MoDOT employees can tell harrowing stories of near misses in work zones and accidents that left them in the ditch, on top of their truck or in the hospital. [Work Zones](#)

Missouri's Major Roads in Good Condition - Up From Three Years Ago

Three years of record road construction throughout Missouri have brought 78 percent of the state's major roads up to good condition, according to new MoDOT figures. That's a sizable jump from three years ago when only 46 percent were in good condition. [Major Roads](#)

2008 Statewide Construction Map Now Available

To help motorists prepare for another busy work zone season, MoDOT has just released the 2008 *Statewide Construction Map*. The full-color, 17-by-22-inch map details nearly 180 major construction sites across the state. [Map](#)

SAFER ROADS

Battle of the Belt Conquered by Missouri High Schools

Buckle Up to Arrive Alive! is the message thousands of Missouri high school students have taken to heart as part of the statewide Battle of the Belt seat belt challenge. Winners of the 2007 competition recently were awarded more than \$8,500 in prizes. [Battle](#)

Seat Belts
 save lives!

BUCKLE UP

Law Enforcement Agencies Participating in Teen Safety Belt Campaign

Law enforcement agencies around the state are participating in an enforcement campaign March 28 - April 13, focusing on reducing injuries and deaths among young drivers on Missouri roadways. Enforcement is coupled with an aggressive media advertising campaign for teens. [Safety Belts](#)

OFF THE ROAD NEWS

Amtrak Funding Proposal To Revitalize Passenger Rail Service in Missouri

While passenger rail is growing across the country, trains in Missouri are routinely late and ridership is declining. State and national officials said today that a legislative proposal to improve Amtrak service should stop that trend and revitalize passenger rail between Kansas City and St. Louis. [Amtrak](#)

HAVE YOU SEEN THIS?

New Partnership Development Web Page Now Available

Demands for transportation improvements have greatly outpaced the funds available to meet them. In response to this demand, MoDOT has established various ways for successful public/public and public/private partnerships. [Partners](#)



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