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Safe & Sound Bridge Improvement Program

Community Briefing

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What is the Safe & Sound Bridge Improvement Program?

- Safe & Sound will replace or rehabilitate 802 of MoDOT's most worn-out bridges in five years – by the end of 2013.

- Bridge improvements began in early 2009 and many are already completed. Ninety bridges in central Missouri are included in the program.

- MoDOT is completing 248 bridges using innovative contracting methods. The other 554 bridges are part of a $487 million design/build contract with KTU Constructors.

- Bonds will be sold to pay for the project, with annual payments of about $50 million. MoDOT will use one-third of the federal bridge placement funds it receives annually to make payments.

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Bridges Featured at Tonight's Meeting

- Boone County
  - Southbound U.S. Route 63, Turkey Creek Bridge
  - I-70 South Outer Road, two bridges just west of Rte. 740
  - I-70 South Outer Road, Grindstone Creek Bridge
  - I-70 North Outer Road, Little Cedar Creek Bridge
  - I-70 North Outer Road, Cedar Creek Bridge
  - Route WW, North Fork Grindstone Creek Bridge
- Callaway County
  - Northbound U.S. Route 63, Cedar Creek Bridge
  - I-70 North Outer Road, Maddox Creek Bridge
  - Route 94, Auxvasse Creek Bridge
  - Old U.S. Route 54, Smith Branch Bridge
- Cooper County
  - Route B Bridge over Interstate 70
  - Route V, Petite Saline Creek Bridge

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Signs of Improvement

- Safe & Sound signs are posted on all bridges included in the program to notify the public of bridges scheduled for improvement.
- Prior to the start of construction, signs displaying a brief description of the work as well as the completion season and year will be installed.
- To speed construction and save money, most bridges will close completely during construction.
- Because speed is a high priority for this program, construction schedules are likely to change. The start dates will fluctuate as the contractor progresses from bridge to bridge. Check the web site or call MoDOT to get the latest projected start dates for each bridge.

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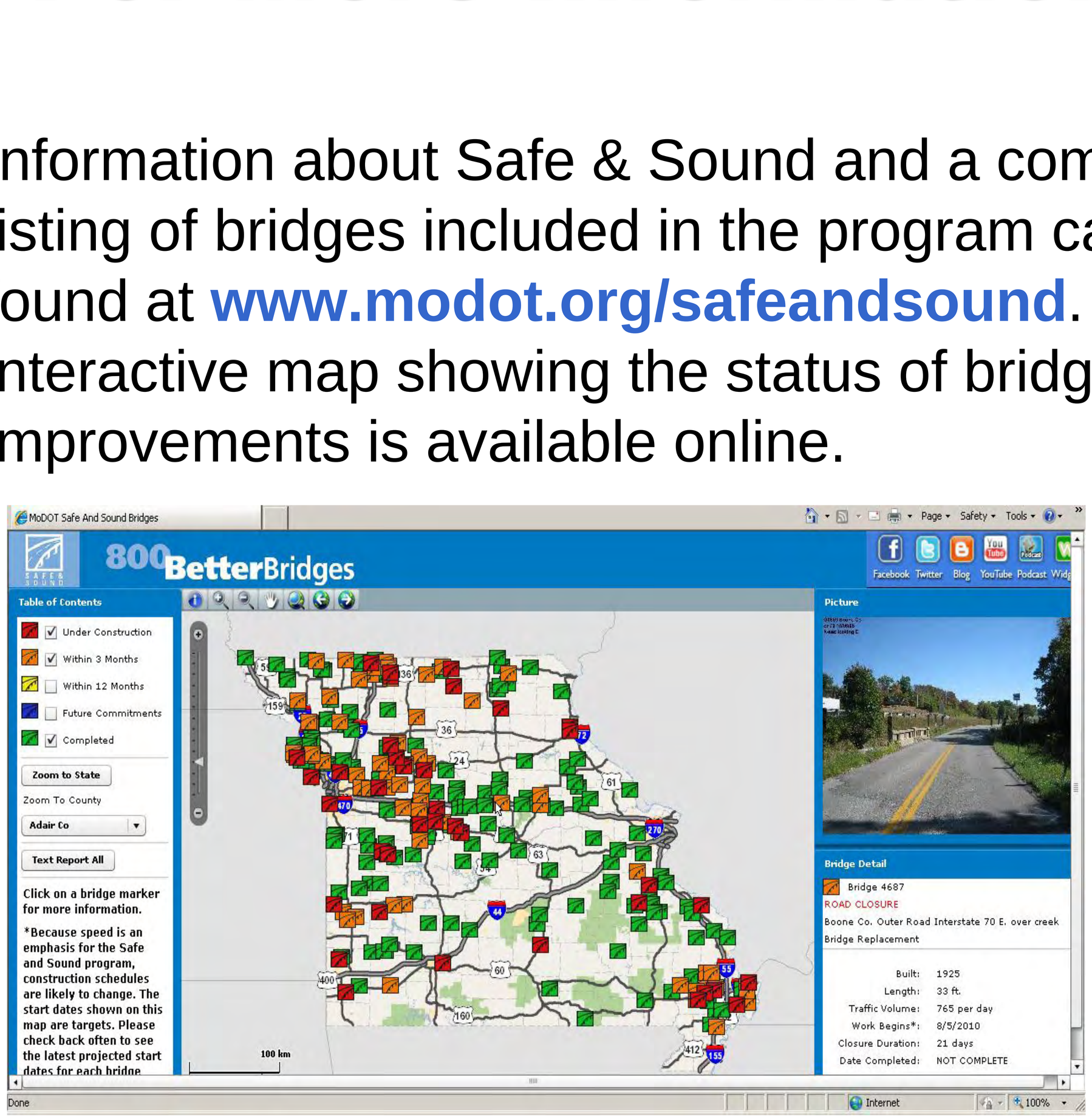
For More Information

- Information about Safe & Sound and a complete listing of bridges included in the program can be found at **www.modot.org/safeandsound**. An interactive map showing the status of bridge improvements is available online.



- The public is always encouraged to contact MoDOT toll free at **1-888-ASK-MoDOT (275-6636)** with their questions and/or comments.