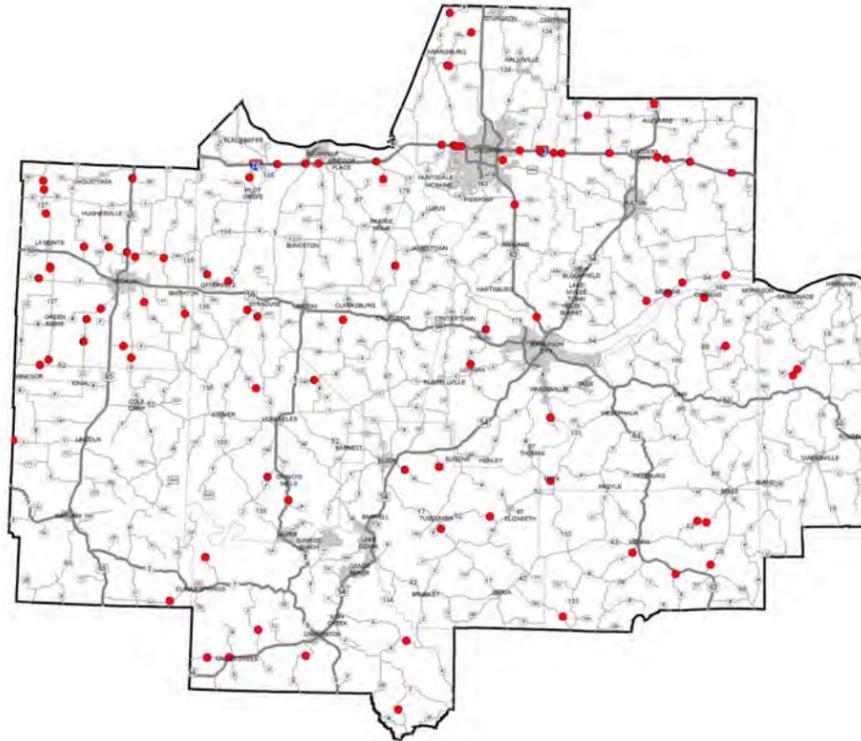
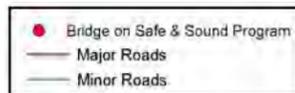


## Safe & Sound Bridges In Mid-Missouri

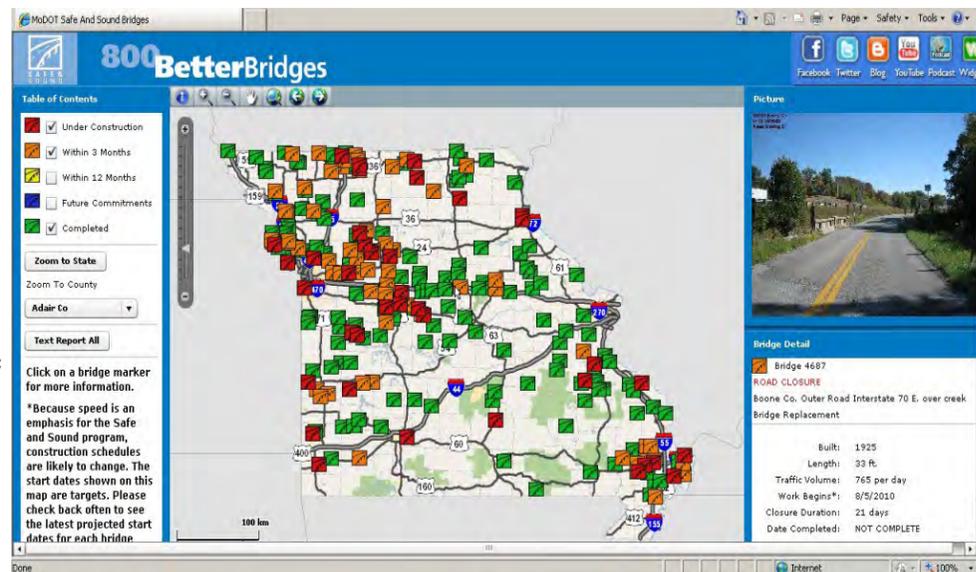
The following shows the location of mid-Missouri bridges included in the Safe & Sound program.

For details, log onto [www.modot.org/safeandsound](http://www.modot.org/safeandsound).



## Construction Status

Go to [www.modot.org/safeandsound](http://www.modot.org/safeandsound) to learn more about the Safe & Sound program. An interactive map showing the status of bridge improvements is available online. To talk with a member of our staff, call 1-888-ASK-MoDOT (275-6636). You can also sign up for MoDOT's e-update system ([www.modot.org](http://www.modot.org)) and receive project updates customized to your preference — by specific county or region of the state.



## 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. Check the web site or call MoDOT to get the latest projected start dates for each bridge.

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# 800 BetterBridges



## Community Briefing

Tuscumbia School Cafeteria, 526 School Road, Tuscumbia, Mo.  
 Jan. 11, 2011, 4:30 to 6:15 p.m.

## Frequently Asked Questions

### 1. 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 over 300 are already completed. 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 bridge work, with annual payments of about \$50 million. MoDOT will use one-third of the federal bridge placement funds it receives annually to make payments.

### 2. How many bridges are included in the Safe & Sound program in the central Missouri area?

Ninety bridges in the central Missouri area are included in the program. Tonight's meeting will focus on three bridges in Miller County that are scheduled for construction during 2012.

[Route 17, Dog Creek Bridge, located 1.3 miles south of the Osage River Bridge](#)

[Route 52, Humphreys Creek Bridge, located 1.3 miles west of Route PP](#)

[Route MM, J Buster Creek Bridge, located 2.8 miles south of U.S. 54](#)

### 3. What type of improvements are planned for the bridges featured at tonight's meeting?

All three bridges will be completely replaced. Some temporary easements may be needed at some locations.

### 4. When will work take place?

Because construction crews across the state are moving from one bridge to another at an accelerated pace, 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. You can also sign up for MoDOT's e-update system ([www.modot.org](http://www.modot.org)) and receive project updates customized to your preference — by specific county or region of the state.

### 5. How will traffic be handled during construction?

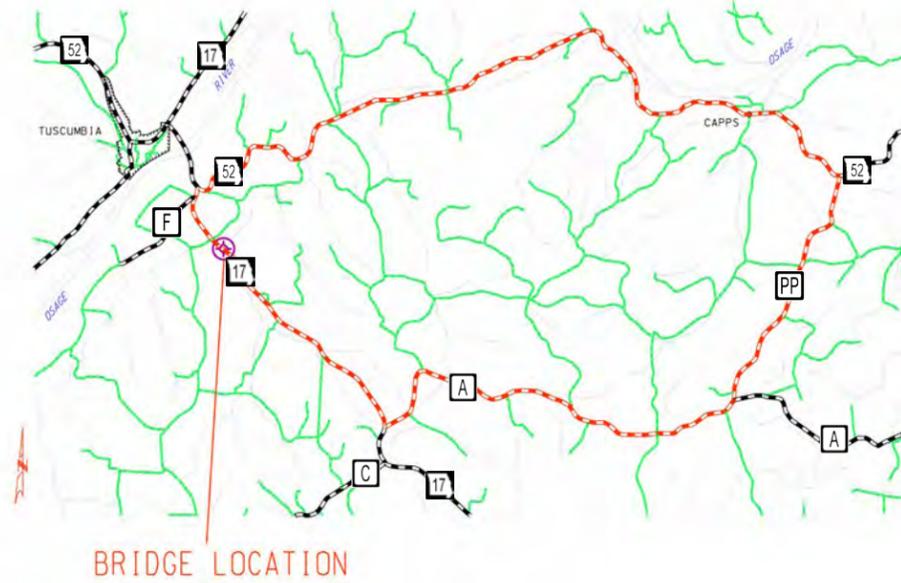
To speed construction and save money, the bridges will close completely during construction and motorists will need to find alternate routes around the work area. Each bridge is expected to remain closed for anywhere between 35 and 44 days.

### 6. Who do I contact for more information?

The public is always encouraged to contact us toll free at 1-888-ASK-MoDOT (275-6636) with questions and comments. Information about Safe & Sound and a complete listing of bridges included in the program can be found at [www.modot.org/safeandsound](http://www.modot.org/safeandsound).

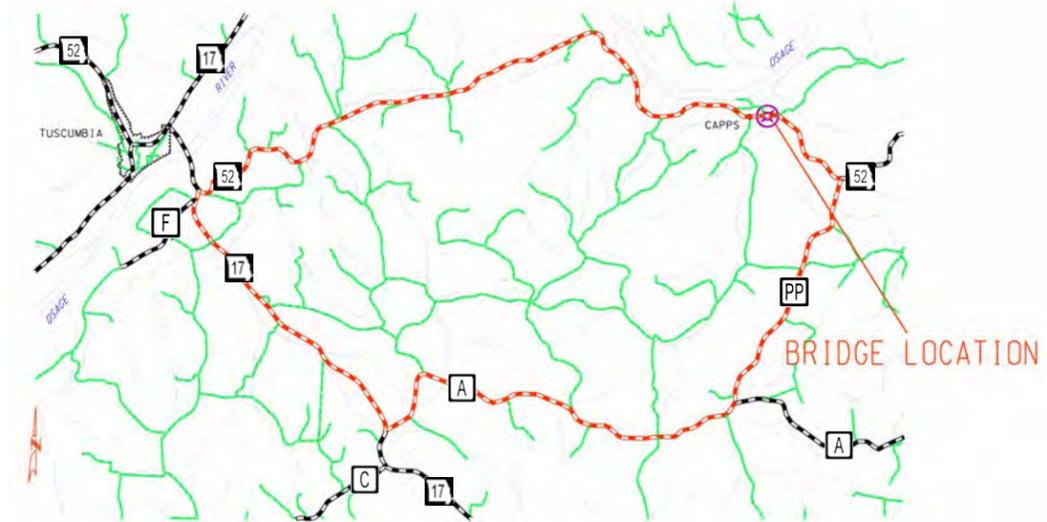
**Miller County, Route 17  
Dog Creek Bridge**

Bridge Replacement. Closure duration is approximately 44 days.  
State route signed detour is Routes 52, PP, and A.



**Miller County, Route 52  
Humphreys Creek Bridge**

Bridge Replacement. Closure duration is approximately 44 days.  
State route signed detour is Routes 17, A, and PP.



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**Miller County, Route MM  
J Buster Creek Bridge**

Bridge Replacement. Closure duration is approximately 35 days.  
No signed detour. Motorists should seek alternate routes.

