

OR213: S. Conway Dr. – S. Henrici Rd.

Project Fact Sheet



Project Name: OR213: S. Conway Dr. – S. Henrici Rd.

Location: OR213, MP 3.85 (Conway Dr.) – MP 4.41 (Henrici Rd.)

Status: In the initial stages of design.

Project Summary: The most current five year rolling crash statistic report contains listings for 30 crashes. These consist of 17 injury accidents and 13 property damage only accidents over a five year period from 1998-2002. When the project was being considered for funding the rolling statistical report contained a 1997 fatal accident at approximately MP 4.00.

This section of highway has a history of accidents involving mostly rear-end types that can be corrected by channelization. As the volume of traffic increases the number of these types of accidents can be expected to increase. Twenty rear end accidents were recorded in the 1998-2002 timeframe and are symptomatic of vehicles slowing or stopping in traffic to make a left turn. Sideswipe accidents can also be caused by vehicles attempting to enter the traffic stream while making a left turn on to the highway.

In order to increase the safety for motorists and reduce accidents, this project was funded to construct a two way left turn lane throughout this section of the highway.

Project Cost Estimate: \$5.08 million

Projected Construction: Expect construction to take place in the summer of 2007.