#### Lyford Intersection Improvement Public Information Meeting February 1, 2018



# Welcome

- Purpose of Open House
- Visit our sign-in table
- Informational handouts
- Meet the project team
- Submit written comments

• Project display area

# Welcome

- Introduction of INDOT Project Team
  - Crawfordsville District Office INDOT Regional Location
  - Communications
  - Project Management
  - Design
  - Public Involvement
  - Engineering, Design & Environmental Analysis Teams
- Recognition of elected and local public officials

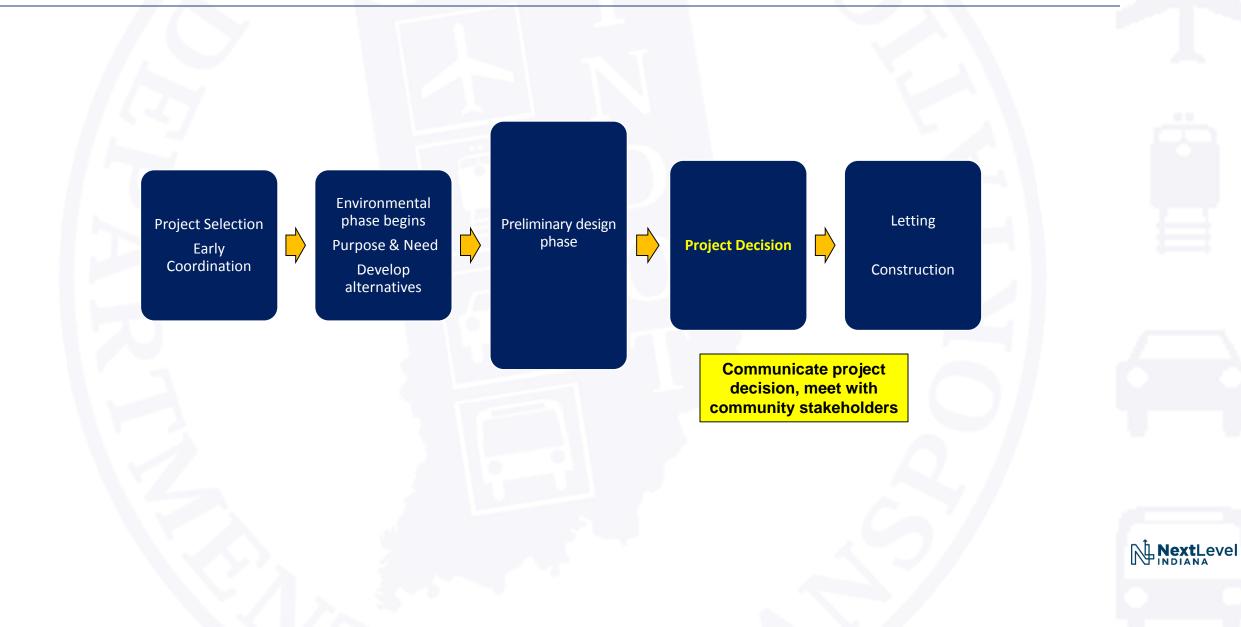
- Sign-in at attendance table to be added to project stakeholder database
- A copy of presentation and project materials are available for review on-line via the INDOT website

# Project Stakeholders

- Indiana Department of Transportation
- Indiana Division Federal Highway Administration
- Parke, Vermillion Counties
- City of Clinton, Community of Lyford
- Elected & Local officials
- Residents & citizens
- Commuters
- Businesses
- Emergency services
- Schools
- Churches
- Community Organizations
- Trucking Industry



## Project Development



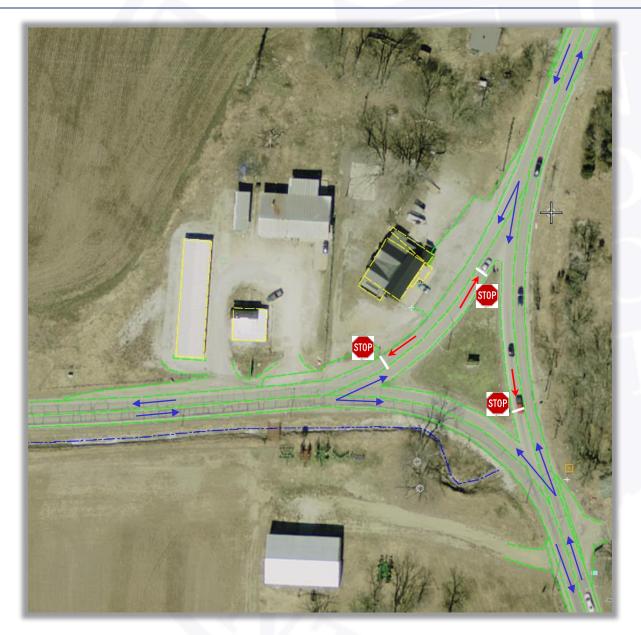
# Purpose and Need

- The purpose of this project will be to reduce the number of crashes at the intersection, with a particular focus on reducing severe crashes.
  - Crash history from 01/01/2012 to 12/31/2016
    - 16 reported property damage accidents
    - 4 reported personal injury accidents
    - 1 fatal accident (May 2015)
  - An additional fatal accident occurred in 2006
  - Frequency and severity of crashes are higher than expected at other State Road/State Road intersections in Indiana

NextLevel

- Index of crash frequency = 1.26
- Index of crash severity = 1.69

# **Existing Condition**



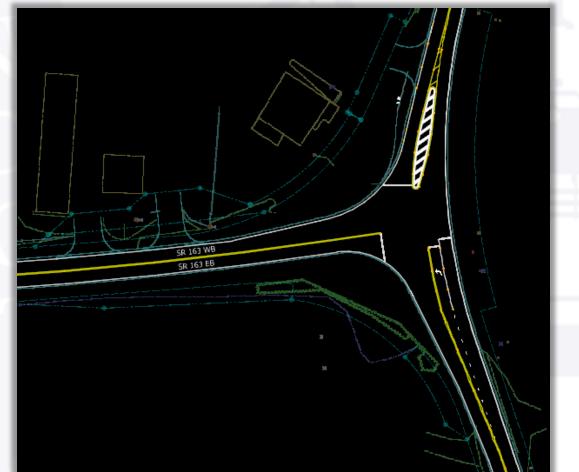
- Blue arrows = Free flow
- Red arrows = Stopped condition

# Alternatives Explored

- 1. Single Lane Roundabout
- 2. All-way stop with SR 163 teeing into US 41
- 3. SR 163 teeing into US 41; US 41 free flowing
- 4. All-way stop with US 41 NB as the leg
- 5. All-way stop with US 41 SB as the leg
- 6. Do Nothing
- 7. Alternatives 2-5 with a traffic signal instead of stop

#### Preferred Alternative: All-way stop with SR 163 teeing into US 41

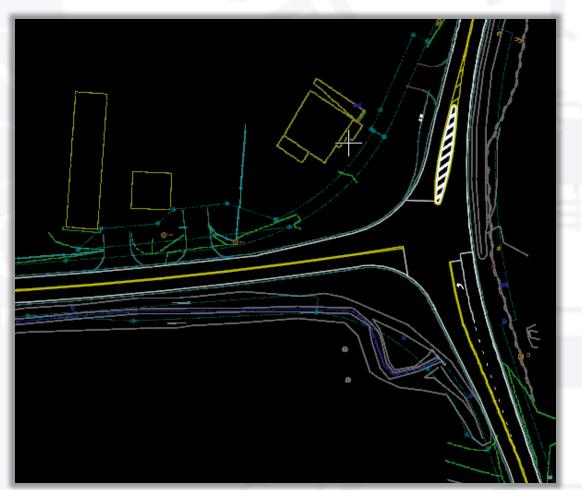
- All way stop intersection
  - Slower speeds
  - Increased driver understanding
- Speed limits will remain 30 mph
- Short NB left turn lane
  - Minimize delay
- Wider pavement markings (8" instead of 4") along portions of intersection for increased visibility
- Increased signage
- Improved mailbox turnout
- Offset stop bars for NB traffic to increase visibility





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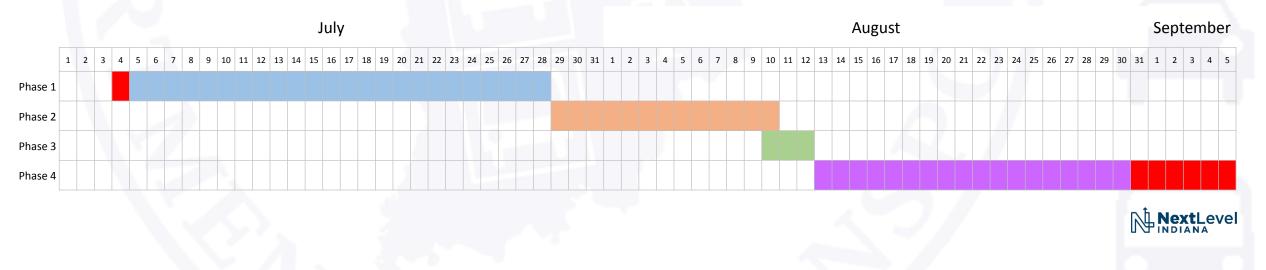
- Grade raise on SR 163 to tie into US 41 superelevation
- Revised drive grades to meet SR 163 and US 41 pavement
- Slight increased superelevation rate on US 41
- Corrugated concrete median (2" height) to channelize traffic and allow truck turning movements





# **Construction Timeframe**

- Letting: May 10, 2018
- Begin Construction: July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018
- MOT Phase 1: July 5<sup>th</sup> –July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018
- MOT Phase 2: July 29<sup>th</sup> August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018
- MOT Phase 3: August 10<sup>th</sup> August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018 (Weekend closure)
- MOT Phase 4: August 13<sup>th</sup> August 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018

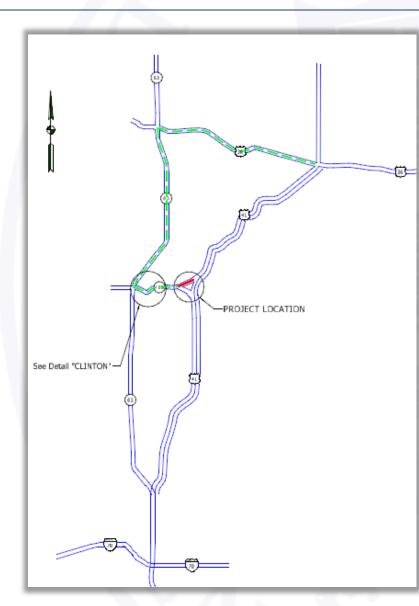


# MOT Phase 1: Details

- Closure of north leg of "Y"
- Build the northern half of the intersection.
  - Temporary traffic barrier (TTB) will be used to separate traffic from the work area.
  - Ingress and Egress to properties shall be maintained.
- Detour
  - SB US 41 to WB SR 163
  - EB SR 163 to NB US 41
- Maintenance of Traffic (MOT)
  - NB US 41 and SB US 41 will be maintained using a temporary signal
  - NB US 41 to WB SR 163, and EB SR 163 to SB US 41 traffic will be maintained thru the project using one lane two way traffic on SR 163 with a temporary signal (for SR 163 and US 41 movements).



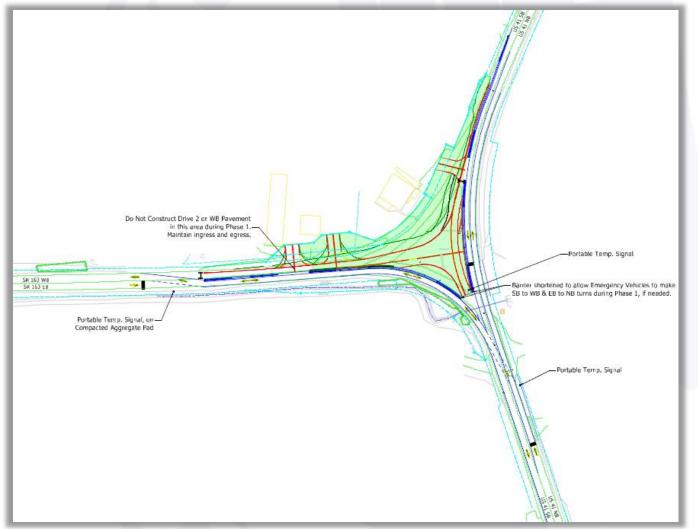
#### MOT Phase 1: Detour



- Detour SB US 41 to WB SR 163 & EB SR 163 to NB US 41 traffic.
- NB US 41, SB US 41 will be maintained using a temporary signal
- NB US 41 to WB SR 163, and EB SR 163 to SB US 41 traffic will be maintained thru the project using one lane two way traffic on SR 163 with a temporary signal (for SR 163 and US 41 movements).



#### MOT Phase 1: Design



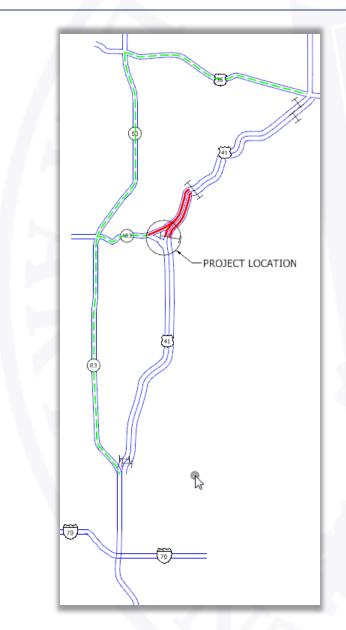
- Build the northern half of the intersection.
- Closure of north leg of "Y"
- TTB will be used to separate traffic from the work area.
- Ingress and Egress to properties shall be maintained.

# MOT Phase 2: Details

- Closure of north leg of "Y" and US 41 north of the intersection.
  - Build superelevation of US 41 north and thru the intersection.
  - Build corrugated island.
  - TTB will be used to separate traffic from the work area
  - Ingress and Egress to properties shall be maintained
- Detour
  - SB US 41
  - NB US 41
  - SB US 41 to WB SR 163
  - EB SR 163 to NB US 41
- Maintenance of Traffic (MOT)
  - NB US 41 to WB SR 163, and EB SR 163 to SB US 41 traffic will be maintained thru the project using one lane two way traffic on SR 163 with a temporary signal



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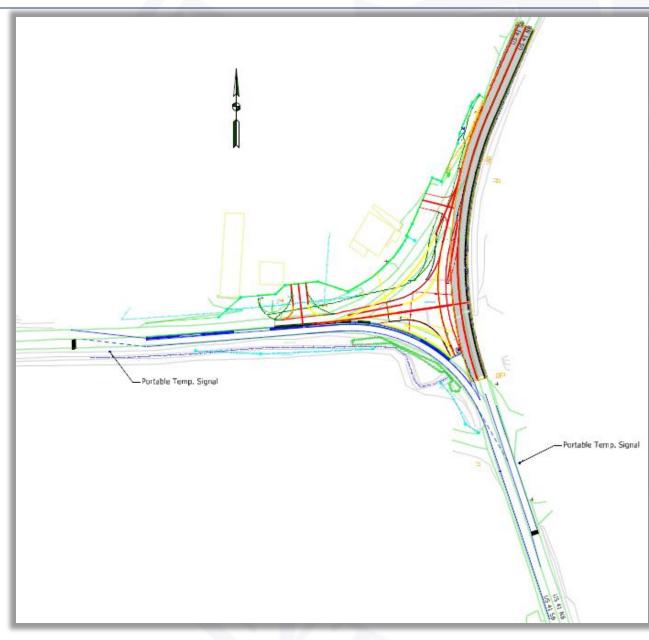


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- Detour SB US 41, NB US 41, SB US 41 to WB SR 163, & EB SR 163 to NB US 41 traffic.
- NB US 41 to WB SR 163, and EB SR 163 to SB US 41 traffic will be maintained thru the project using one lane two way traffic on SR 163 with a temporary signal

PROJECT LOCATION

## MOT Phase 2: Design



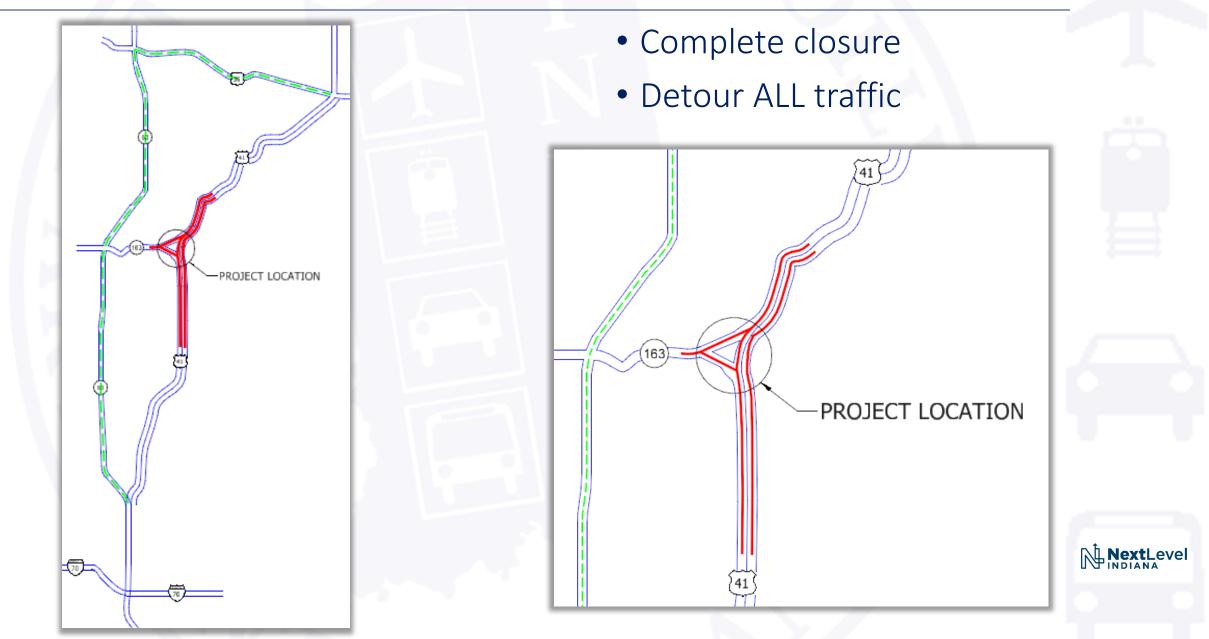
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# MOT Phase 3: Details

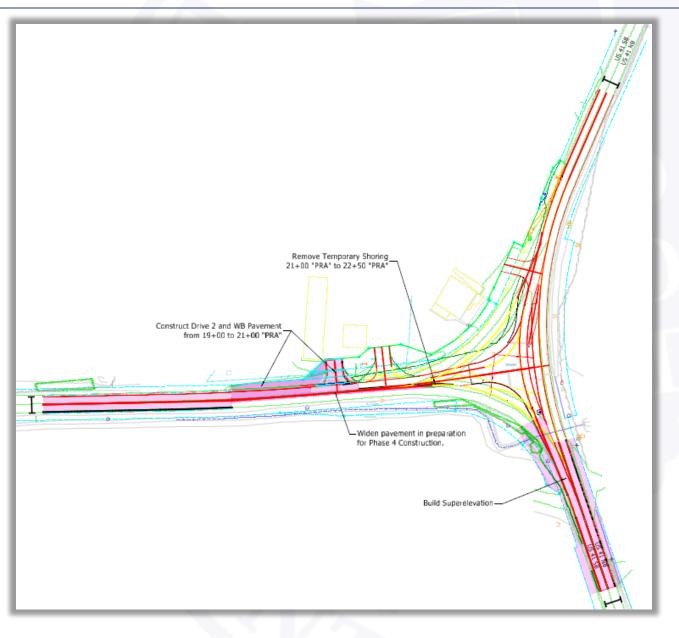
- Complete closure
  - Build Superelevation of US 41 south of intersection,
  - Remove temporary shoring
  - Widen new SR 163 pavement along the centerline in preparation for Phase 4 MOT
  - Construct pavement from 16+00 to 19+00 "PRA"
  - Construct Drive 2
  - Construct SR 163 WB pavement from 19+00 to 21+00 "PRA"
  - Mill/resurface SR 163
  - Ingress and Egress to properties shall be maintained.
- Maintenance of Traffic (MOT)
  - Detour ALL traffic.



#### MOT Phase 3: Detour



#### MOT Phase 3: Design

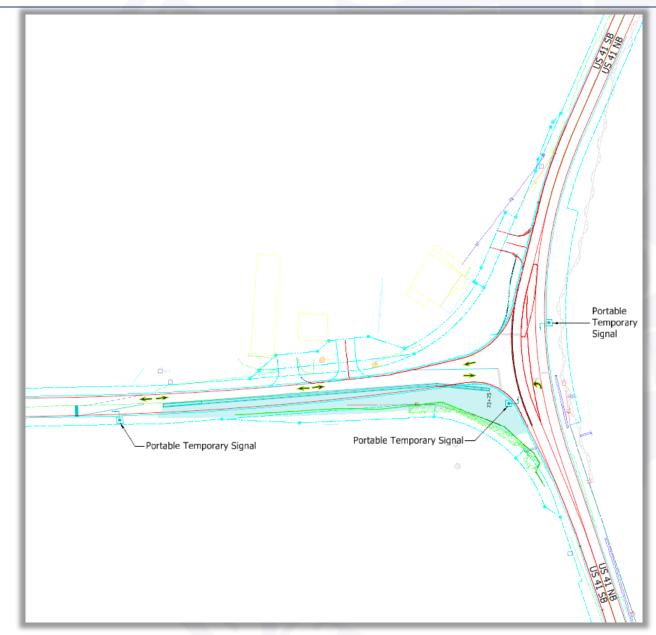


- Build Superelevation of US 41 south of intersection
- Remove temporary shoring, widen new SR 163 pavement along the centerline for MOT, mill/resurface SR 163
- Construct pavement from 16+00 to 19+00, construct Drive 2 and SR 163 WB pavement from 19+00 to 21+00 "PRA"
- Ingress and Egress to properties shall be maintained.

# MOT Phase 4: Details

- Closure of south leg of "Y"
  - Build southern half of the intersection on SR 163
  - TTB will be used to separate traffic from the work area
  - Ingress and Egress to properties shall be maintained
- Maintenance of Traffic (MOT)
  - All traffic movements will be maintained thru the project using temporary signals on US 41 and temporary signals with one lane two way traffic on SR 163

# MOT Phase 4: Design (No Detour)



- Closure of south leg of "Y"
- Build southern half of the intersection on SR 163
- All traffic movements will be maintained thru the project using temporary signals on US 41 and one lane - two way traffic on SR 163 with temporary signals.
- TTB will be used to separate traffic from the work area.
- Ingress and Egress to properties shall be maintained.

# Submit Public Comments

- Submit public comments using the options described in first page of information packet:
  - Public Comment Form
  - Via e-mail
- Comments are reviewed, evaluated and greatly appreciated



# **Project Resource Location**

#### INDOT Crawfordsville District Office

41 West 300 North, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933 Communications Director: (765) 361-5236 <u>westcentralIndiana@indot.in.gov</u> <u>http://www.in.gov/indot/2701.htm</u> Planning, Project Development/Delivery, Construction, Maintenance for West Central Indiana





# Thank You

- Please visit with the INDOT project team members
- Project Open House
  - Project maps, displays, INDOT project team and informal Q & A
  - INDOT Crawfordsville District webpage: <u>http://www.in.gov/indot/2701.htm</u>



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