

I-65 Northwest Indiana Major Moves 2020 Expansion Project

Public Meeting
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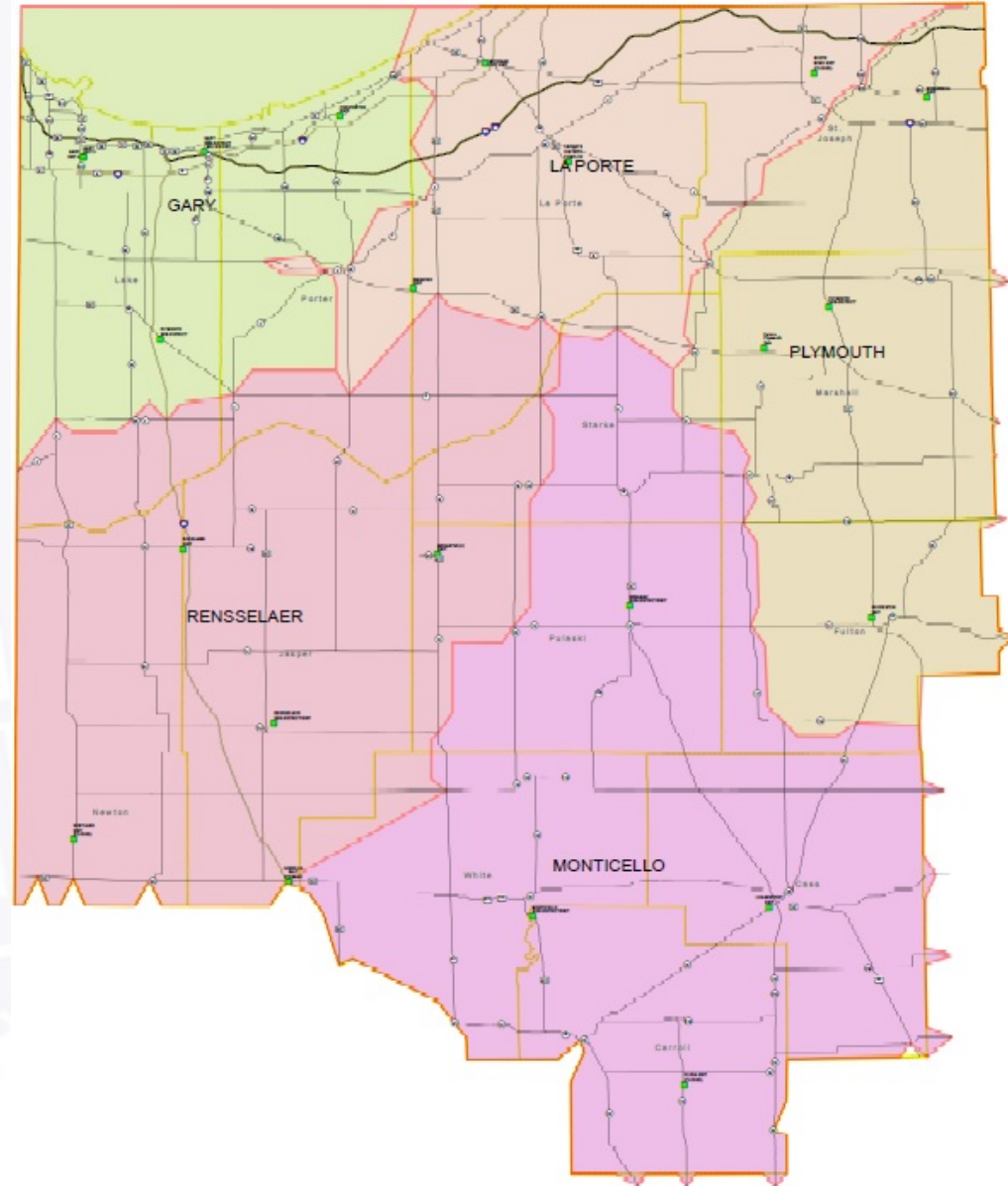
INDOT At-A-Glance

- Six district offices and a central office
- 28,868 statewide lane miles
- 5,679 INDOT-owned and maintained bridges



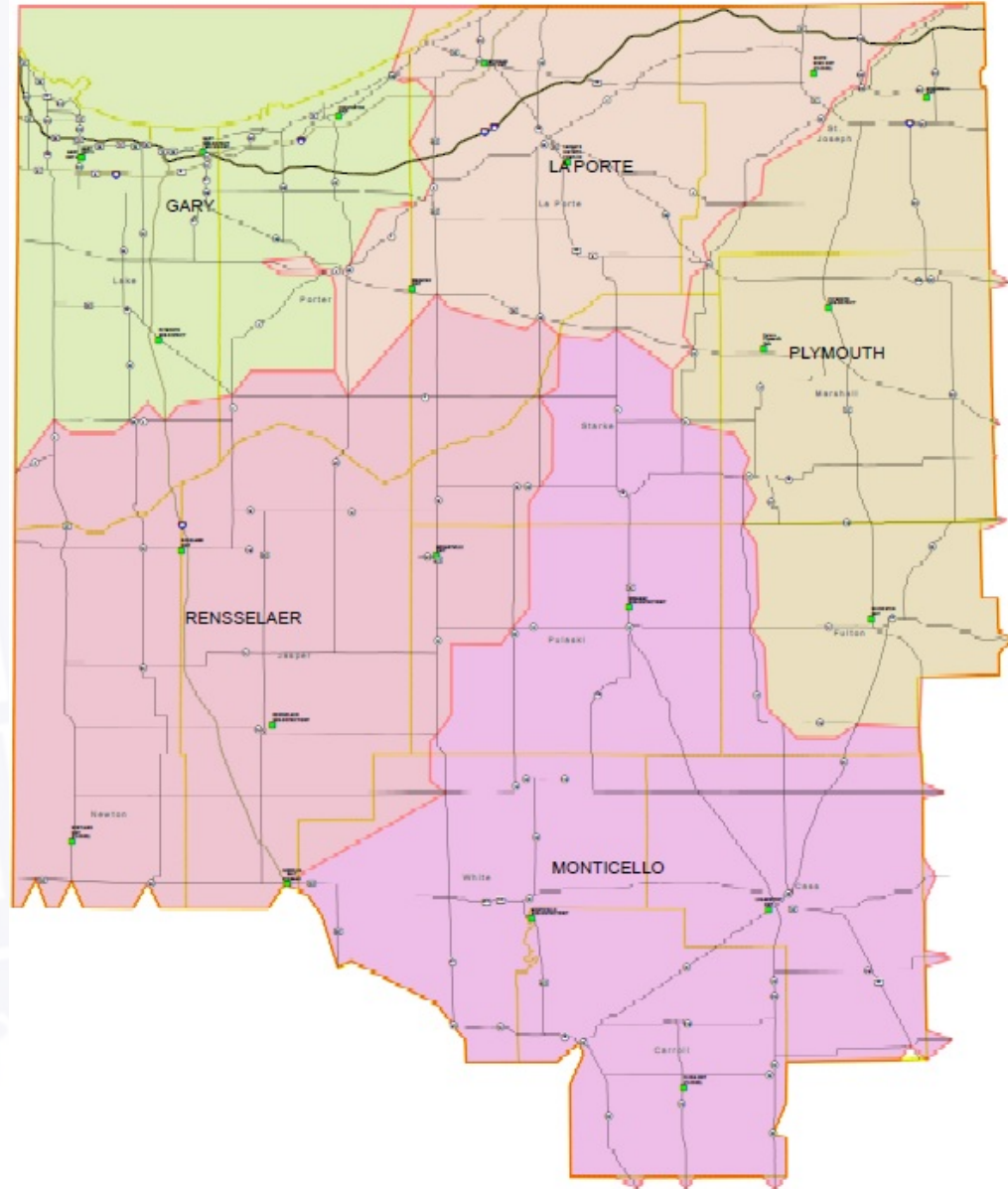
INDOT Northwest District

- 5,100 state road lane miles
- 500 interstate lane miles
- 13 counties
- 5 sub-districts



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- 5 sub-districts
- 892 large culverts
- 824 state bridges
- 175 snow routes
- 618 traffic signals
- 58,600 road signs



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Welcome

- Introduction of project team
- Purpose of meeting
- Project overview
- 2017 work completed
- 2018 anticipated work
- Schedule
- Maintenance of traffic
- Additional information



Purpose of Meeting

- Provide an update on progress of project
- Discuss upcoming construction activities
- Provide details on maintenance of traffic plans
- Review 2018 project schedule



Project Overview

- Part of the Major Moves 2020 program
- Two-year project to improve traffic flow and add capacity on I-65 between S.R. 2 and U.S. 30 (Lake and Newton counties)
- Complete replacement of the Kankakee River Bridge
- \$62 million investment

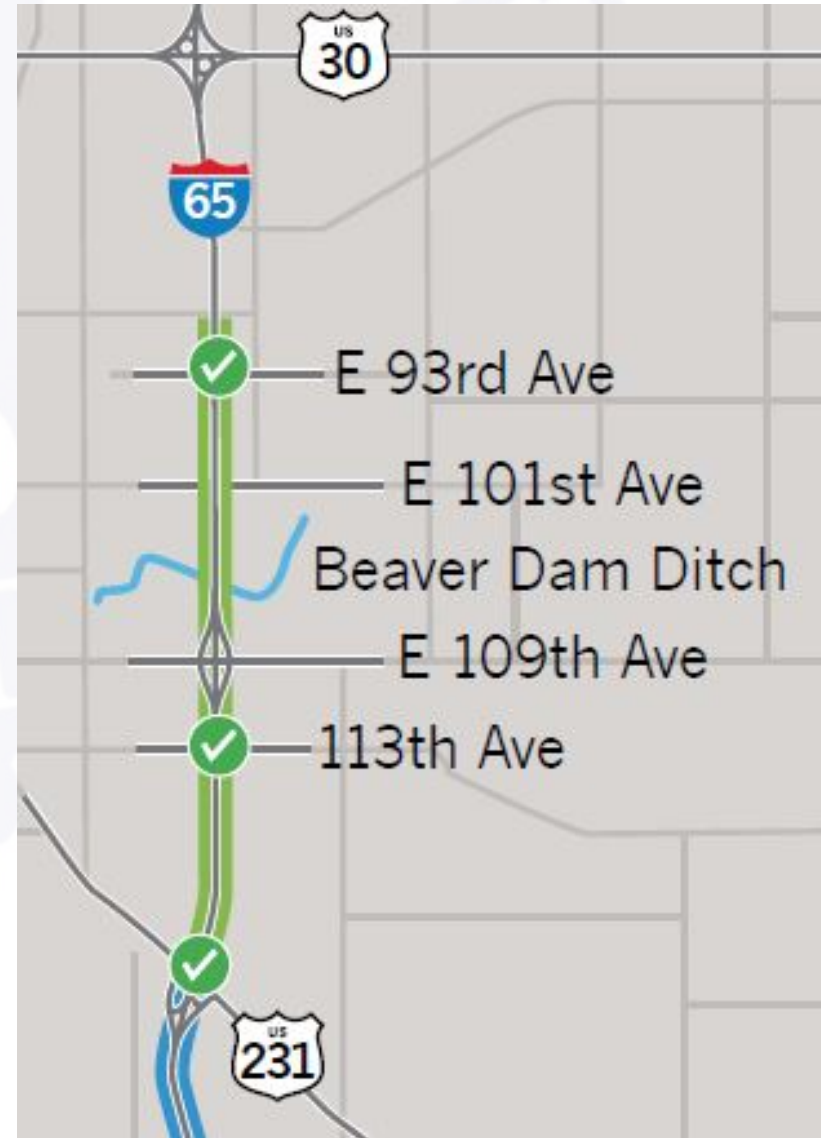


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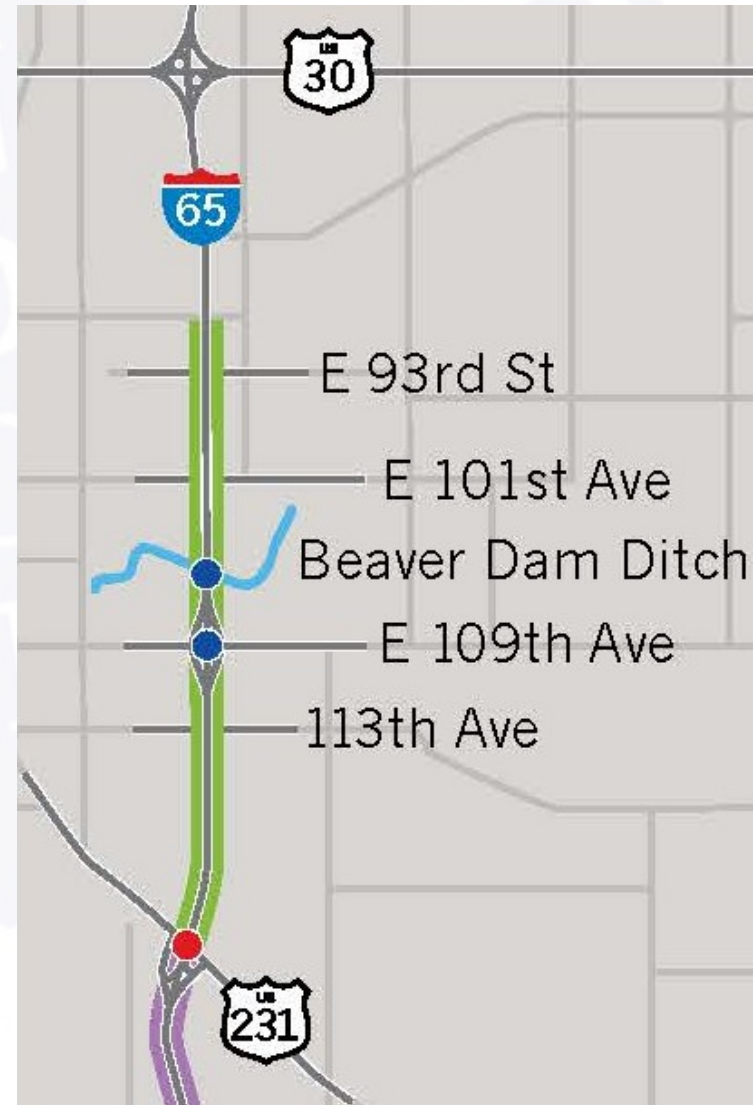
Section 1

- Section 1 is I-65 from U.S. 231 to just south of U.S. 30
- 2017 work completed:
 - E. 93rd Avenue over I-65 resurfaced
 - 113th Avenue over I-65 joints replaced
 - I-65 over U.S. 231 median widening began



Section 1

- Section 1 is I-65 from U.S. 231 to just south of U.S. 30
- Anticipated work in 2018:
 - Construct outside shoulder on I-65 from U.S. 231 to just south of U.S. 30
 - Resurface bridges over Beaver Dam Ditch and 109th Avenue



Section 2

- Section 2 is I-65 from U.S. 231 to just south of S.R. 2
- 2017 work completed:
 - Third lane and inside shoulder construction began
 - I-65 over Wirtz Ditch median widening began
 - I-65 bridge over S.R. 2 median widening began



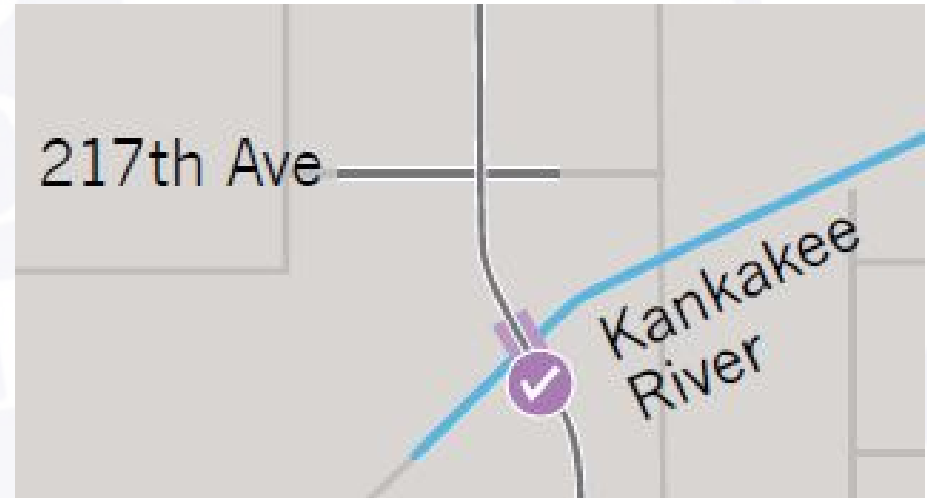
Section 2

- Section 2 is I-65 from U.S. 231 to just south of S.R. 2
- Anticipated 2018 work:
 - Repair and resurface 137th and 153rd Avenues over I-65
 - Widen and resurface I-65 bridges over U.S. 231, S.R. 2 and Wirtz Ditch
 - Construct third lane and inside shoulder on I-65 just south of S.R. 2 to U.S. 231; Resurface existing lanes



Section 3

- Section 3 is the Kankakee River Bridge
- 2017 work completed:
 - Southbound bridge structure median widening completed
 - Remaining southbound bridge structure work began



Section 3

- Section 3 is the Kankakee River Bridge
- Anticipated 2018 work:
 - Replace remainder of southbound bridge
 - Northbound traffic will be crossed over onto the new southbound bridge
 - Two lanes will still be maintained in each direction



Schedule

- Construction activity is currently underway; Will pick up in the Spring
- 137th Avenue bridge over I-65 currently closed; anticipated to open in late May
- 153rd Avenue bridge over I-65 anticipated to close mid June for two months
- Project is on track to be completed in fall of 2018



Maintenance of Traffic

- Two lanes of traffic will be maintained on the I-65 mainline during daytime travel hours (occasional exceptions for repair work)
- Single lane closures will occur at night throughout the remainder of the project to support construction activities
- Construction has been scheduled so that no two consecutive overpasses are restricted at the same time.



Additional Information

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