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# Public Hearing Summary

**Wednesday, April 18, 2012**
**5:00 – 8:00 p.m.**
**Belvedere Banquets**
**1170 W. Devon Avenue**
**Elk Grove Village, Illinois**

# Public Meeting Summary & Sign In Sheets

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# Elgin O'Hare –West Bypass
# Tier Two Public Hearing Summary

The Tier Two Public Hearing for the Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project was held on Wednesday, April 18, 2012 at Belvedere Banquets, 1170 W. Devon Avenue, Elk Grove Village, Illinois from 5 – 8 PM. The meeting was an open house format with a continuously cycling PowerPoint presentation, exhibit boards for review, large scale aerials illustrating the initial construction plan and full build improvements, and a library featuring the Draft EIS for review as well as other project documents. The meeting was attended by **354 people,** and **45 comment forms** were filled out and submitted at the meeting. The comment period extends until May 14, 2012.

**The following public officials were in attendance:**
-Village of Addison: Joe McDermott (Trustee)
-Village of Arlington Heights: Jim Masserelli (Engineering)
-Village of Bensenville: Scott Viger (Community Development)
- Village of Itasca: Al Stefan (Village Engineer), Nicole Aranas (Community Development) Ellen Leahy (Village Trustee)
-Village of Franklin Park: Jeff Eder (Community Development)
-City of Elmhurst: Michael Bram (Alderman)
-Village of Roselle: Gayle Smolinski (Mayor), Bob Zimmerer (Planning)
-City of Wood Dale: Ross Klicker (Planning/Economic Development Coordinator)
-PACE: Chris Rose
-U.S. EPA: Ken Westlake
- FHWA: Mike Hine

**A significant number of contractors, developers, real estate, and engineering professionals were present.**

**The following media was present:**
-Daily Herald (Marni Pyke)
-Journal and Topics (Tom Robb)

The **45 comment forms** submitted at the meeting primarily included:
**-Requests for additional information/materials**
**-Noise issues**
**-Questions about specific property impacts**

The public comment period for Draft EIS and Tier Two Public Hearing will remain open through May 14, 2012.

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| Grecia Ortega | 101 Thicket Lane | South Beloit IL | | |
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# PUBLIC HEARING

The Illinois Department of Transportation and Illinois Tollway, in cooperation with the Federal Aviation Administration and Federal Highway Administration, will be holding a Public Hearing for the Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project to share the major results of the Tier Two Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS), and encourage public comment. The hearing will include:

- An overview of the project
- A summary of the transportation needs
- Concept design of the Preferred Alternative and Initial Construction Phase
- Potential impacts, benefits and costs
- Opportunities for public comment

**Road Closure Hearing**

This event will also serve as the Road Closure Public Hearing for the project. The Department may close any street, alley or public way by authority as granted under the Illinois Highway Code (ILCS 605 5/8-106). A road closure map and associated analysis/evaluations will be presented or available at the hearing. The hearing will consider the needs of local traffic and the effects of closures. No crossings shall be eliminated which shall greatly interfere with local traffic, or will impact reasonable access to schools, churches, markets, trade or community centers. Only after this hearing, and after reasonable notice has been given shall final construction plans be prepared.

The hearing will be an open-house format with project staff on hand to answer questions any time between 5 p.m. and 8 p.m. The hearing will also feature a continuously running presentation providing an overview of the project. For more information, please visit our web site at www.elginohare-westbypass.org.

This hearing will be accessible to handicapped individuals. Anyone needing special assistance should contact Ron Krall at (847) 705-4103. Persons planning to attend who will need a sign language interpreter or other similar accommodations should notify the Department's TTY/TDD number (800) 526-0844/or 711; TTY Users (Spanish) (800) 501-0864/ 711; and for Telebraille dial (877) 526-6670 at least 5 days prior to the hearing.

**Wednesday, April 18, 2012**
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**Belvedere Banquets**
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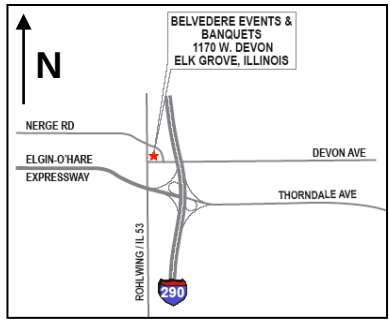


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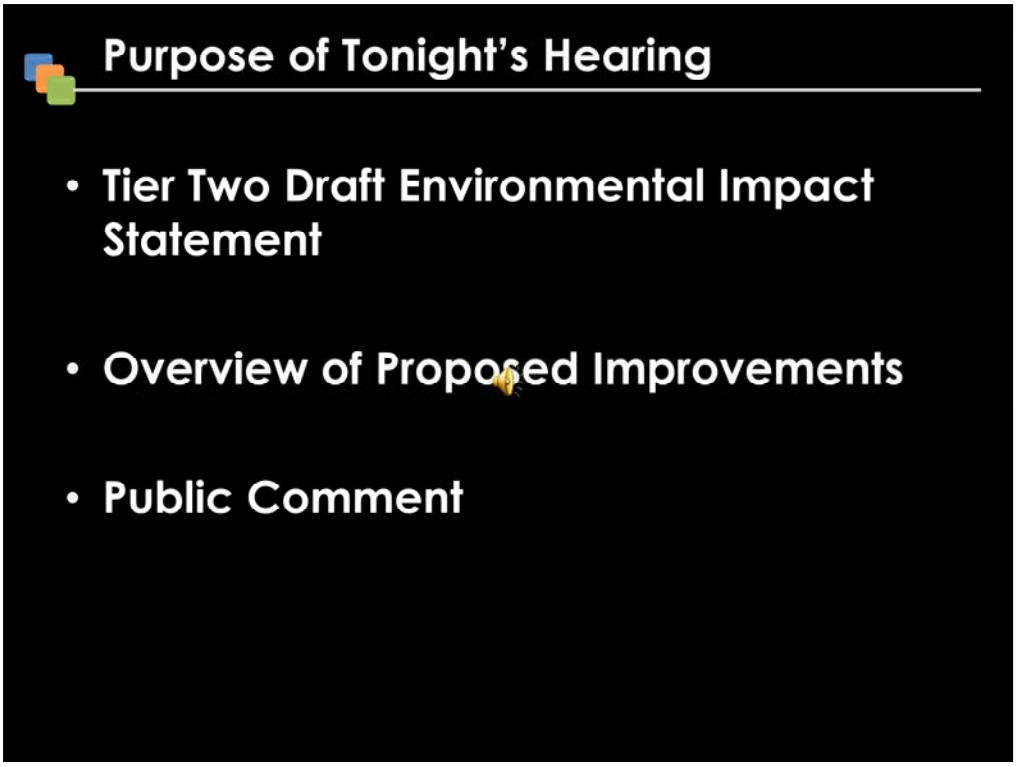
# Open House Materials

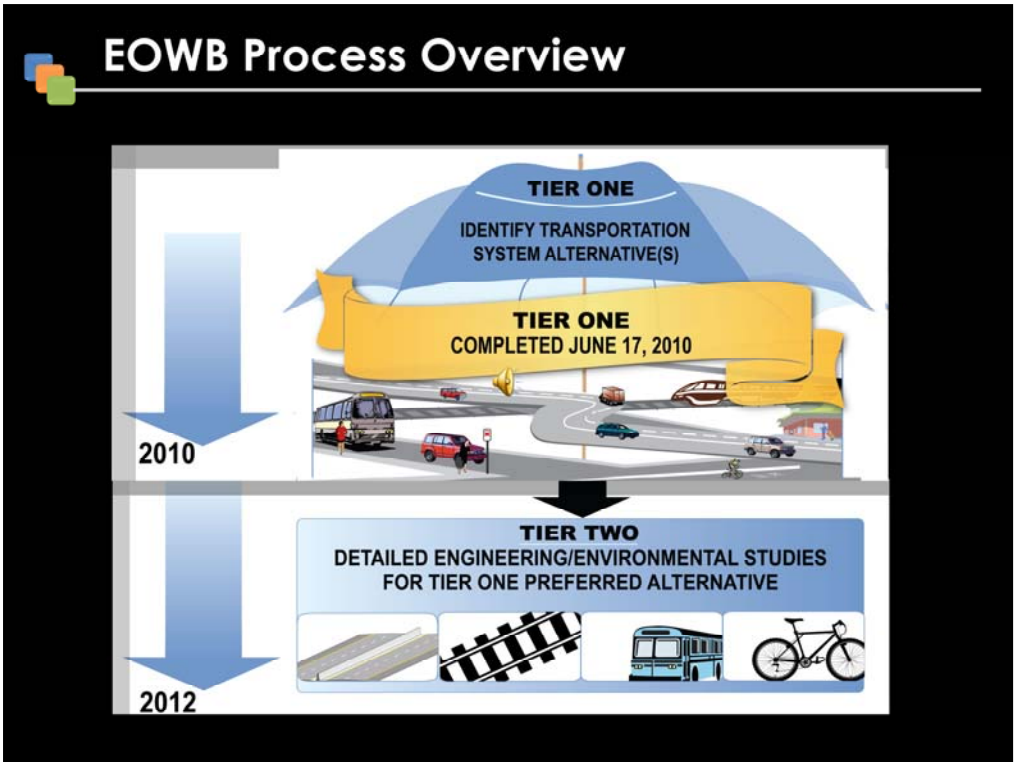
PowerPoint Presentation




Thank you for attending tonight's Public Hearing for the Elgin O'Hare West Bypass project.




**The purpose of this hearing is to present the Tier Two Draft Environmental Impact Statement (or EIS) findings and an overview of the proposed improvements and seek public comment.**



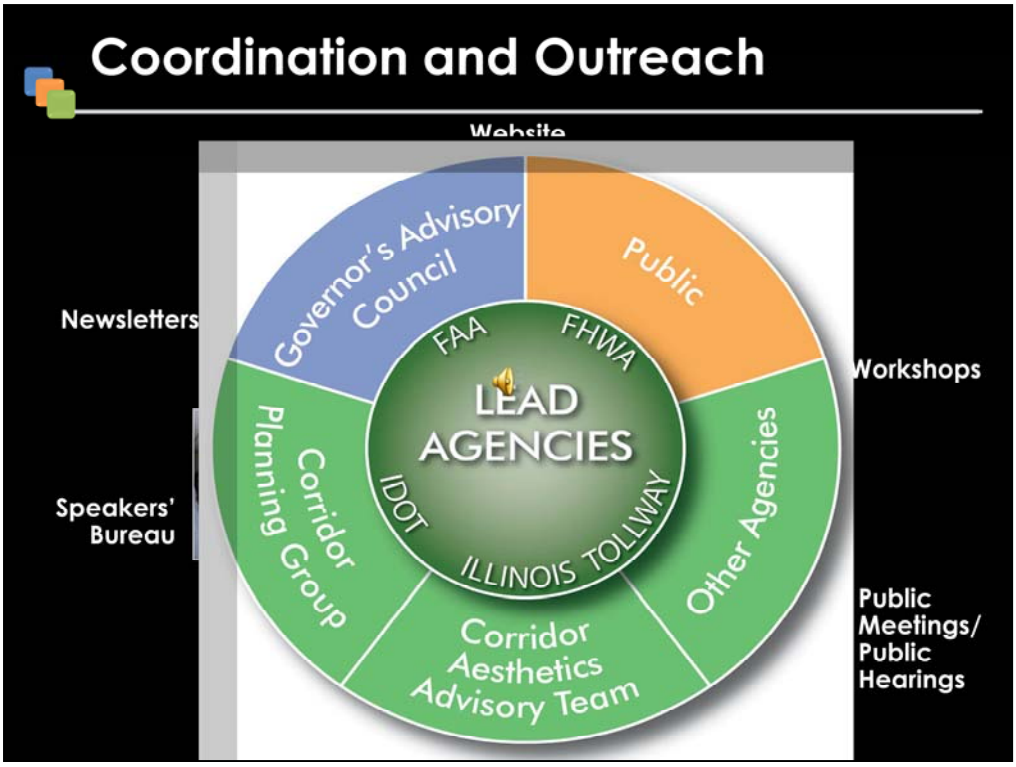

The Elgin O'Hare West Bypass project has been advanced as a tiered EIS process. Tier One focused on the “big picture” questions:  “where is it” and “what is it” and resulted in a conceptual plan for roadway, transit and bike and pedestrian features. Tier Two expands on Tier One with more detailed preliminary engineering and environmental studies that refine the project features in the selected corridor.



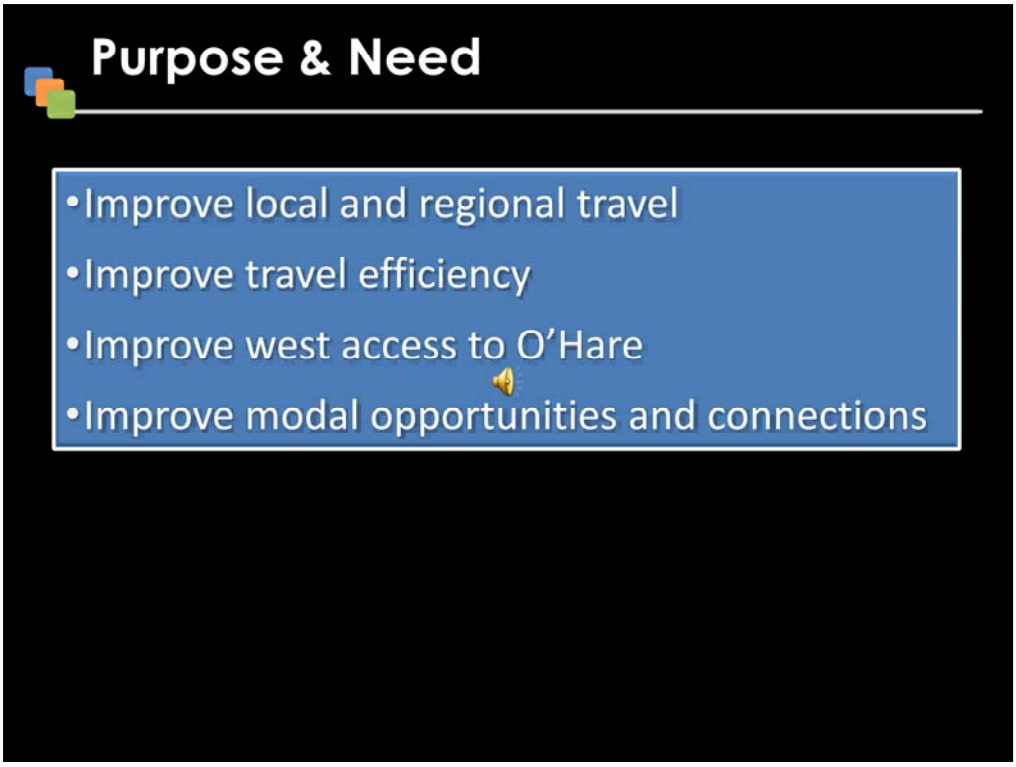

***Recognizing the importance of this project, Governor Pat Quinn brought local communities, business leaders, regional planning and transportation groups, labor and public finance experts together, and last June, the Elgin O'Hare West Bypass Advisory Council reached consensus to proceed with and fund the $3.4 billion Elgin O'Hare West Bypass Initial Construction Plan. The streamlined version meets the 2030 travel demands of the region and provides significant benefits in terms of access, congestion relief and economic development.***

***Two months later, the Illinois Tollway Board of Directors adopted the 15-year, $12 billion Move Illinois Program, which commits $3.1 billion to build the Elgin O'Hare West Bypass.***

***Now the Illinois Tollway and Federal Aviation Administration have joined IDOT and the Federal Highway Administration as joint lead agencies, and the Elgin O'Hare West Bypass Project is transitioning from an IDOT-led project to a partnership between IDOT and the Tollway moving forward -- to begin building the Elgin O'Hare West Bypass Initial Construction Plan as soon as 2013.***




The project decisions that will be presented at this public hearing are the result of coordination between a variety of agencies, the Governor's Advisory Council, working groups, and the public. Since this planning process began nearly five years ago, the team has been committed to providing opportunity for public engagement including: newsletters, a project website, Speakers' Bureau, stakeholder workshops, project working group meetings, public meetings, and public hearings.

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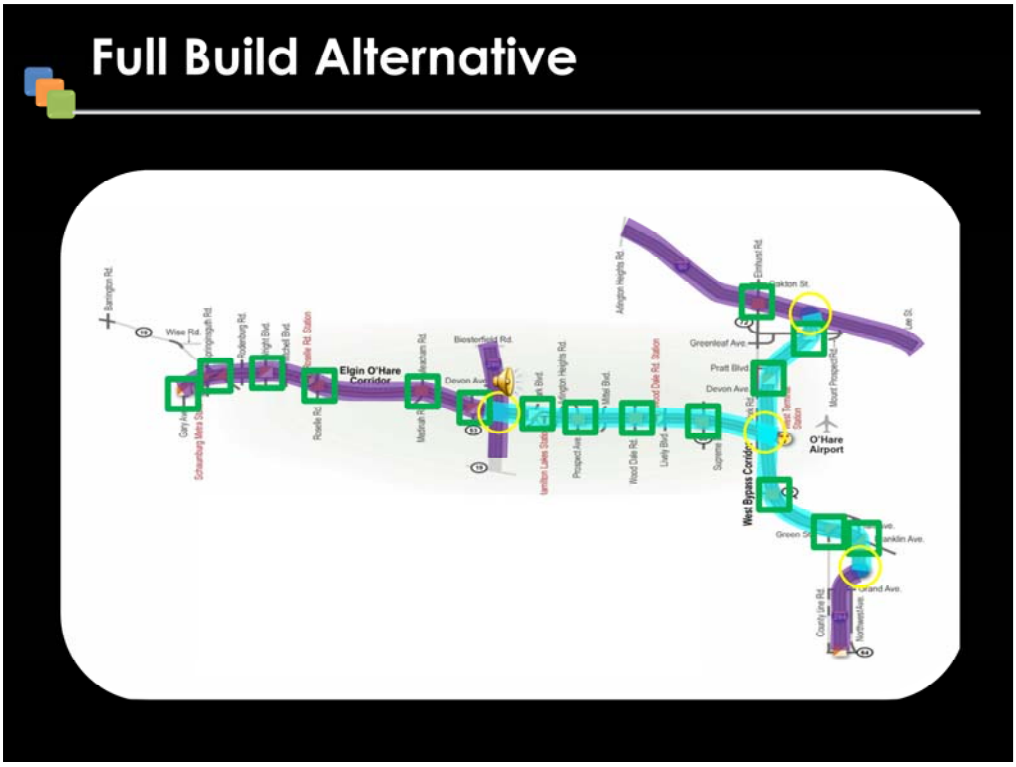
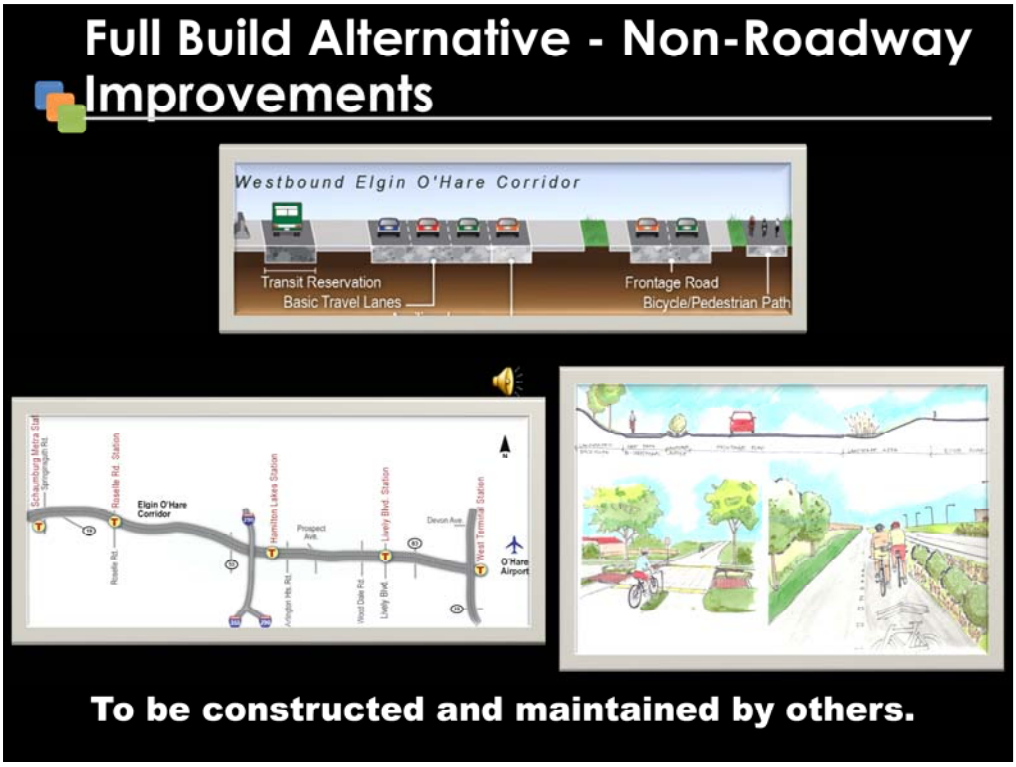
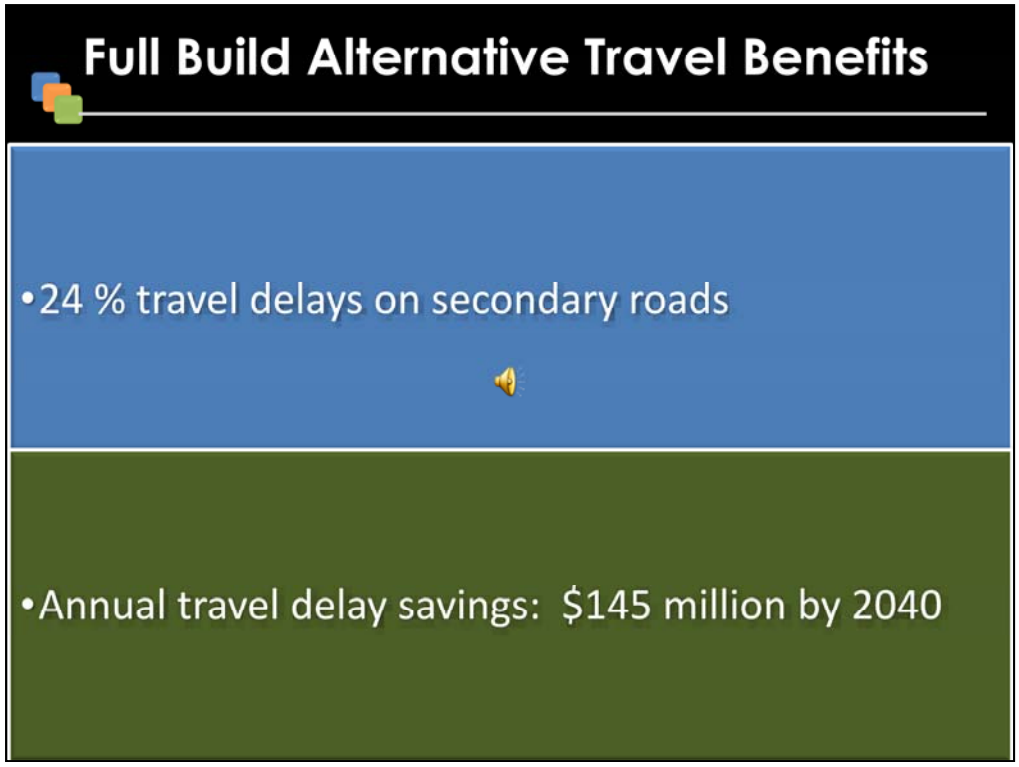
Improve local and regional travel
Improve travel efficiency
Improve west access to O'Hare
Improve modal opportunities and connections




The preferred alternative defined by the Tier One process served as the starting point for more detailed development of the plan in Tier Two. This Tier Two plan, or **"Full Build Alternative**" represents the long-term transportation plan for the corridor. It is comprised of almost 11 miles of new access-controlled highways and 14 miles of improvements to the existing Elgin O'Hare Expressway, I-90, I-290, and I-294. The roadway improvements also include construction of four system interchanges, 16 service interchanges, and improvements to approximately 16 miles of arterial and local roads adjacent to proposed interchanges




The Full Build Alternative also includes accommodations for transit, either bus rapid transit or light rail, within the median along the Elgin O'Hare corridor. Five stations with parking and pedestrian access facilities are proposed. While IDOT and the Tollway are doing these planning for the facilities, they would be **constructed and maintained by others.** Also included are accommodations for bicyclists and pedestrians, including a planned bicycle and pedestrian path where frontage roads are proposed between the west side of O'Hare and Hanover Park, as well as accommodations at various cross roads.




There are benefits and impacts associated with the long-term project. The Full Build Alternative provides travel benefits and enhances travel performance for the study area and will result in less traffic on the secondary roads, reducing travel delays by 24 percent.

Reduction in delay and travel time has an associated economic benefit that can be measured in dollars saved. The Full Build Alternative estimates an annual travel delay savings benefit for the study area of more than $145 million by the year 2040.

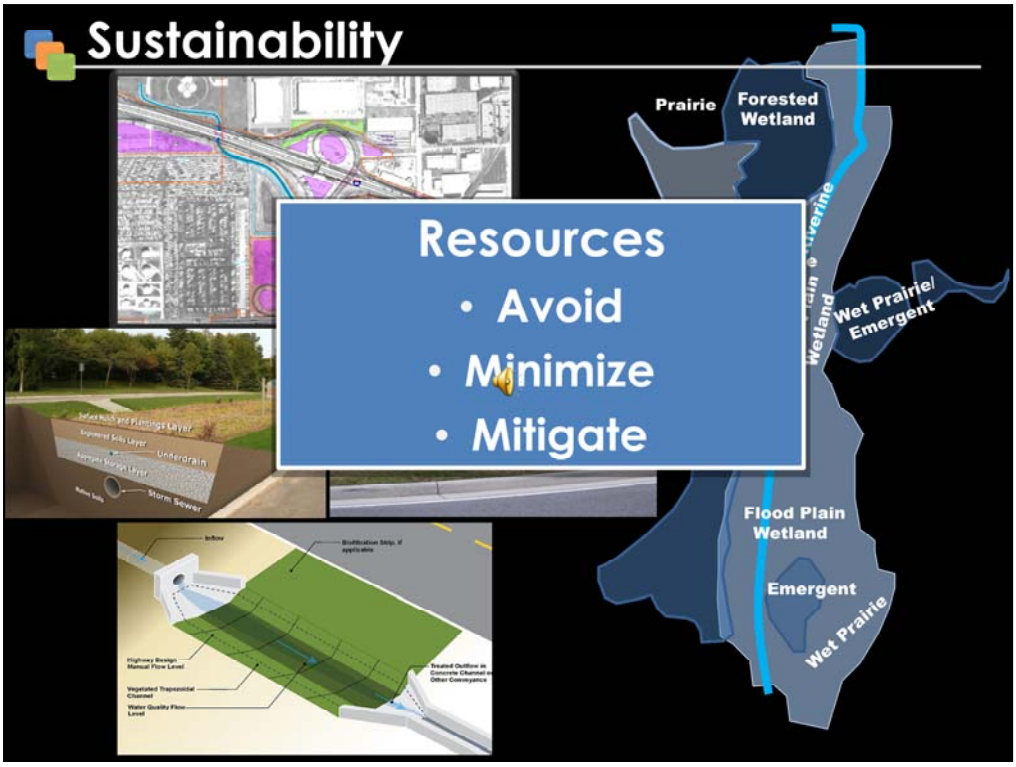



The Full Build Alternative does require acquisition of 596 acres of right-of-way including seven residential and 52 business displacements. It also affects the natural environment including 23.4 acres of wetlands, and 11 stream crossings.

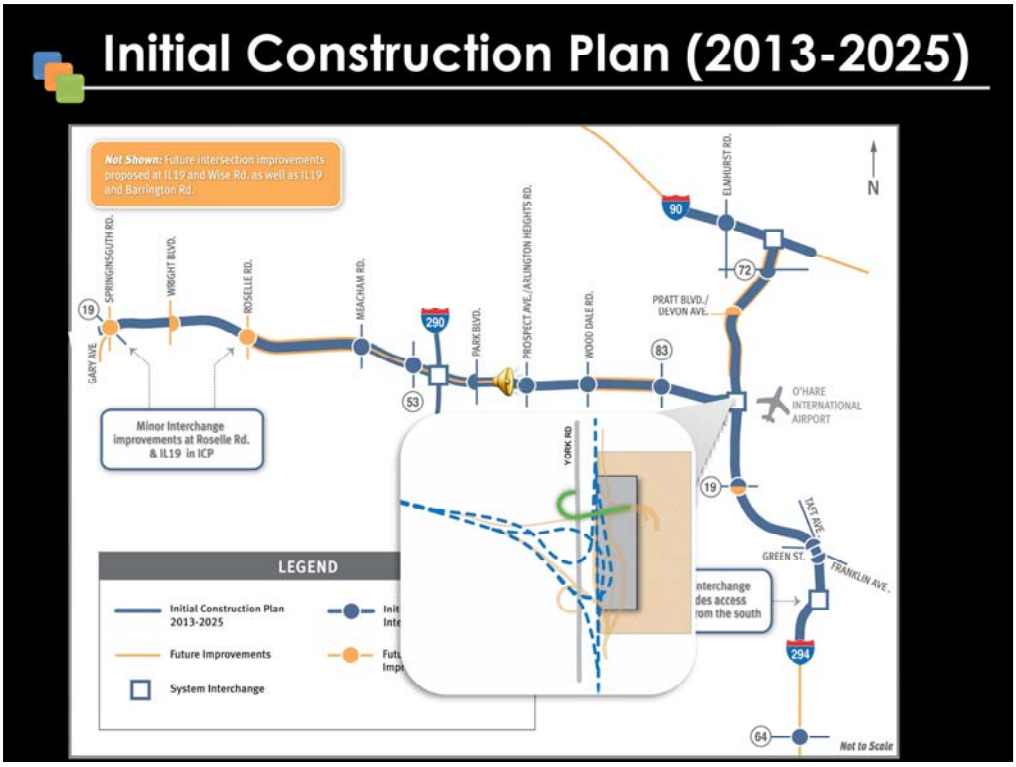



The economic analysis of the Full Build Alternative indentifies the potential for substantial growth and employment within the project area. Communities west of the airport will attract different types of businesses because of improved transportation access, including corporate offices, hotel, business parks and retail uses.

The Full Build Alternative provides economic benefits during construction, including creating up to 3,000 jobs annually, generating $6 billion in total output of goods and services and generating more than $730 million in federal and state tax revenue

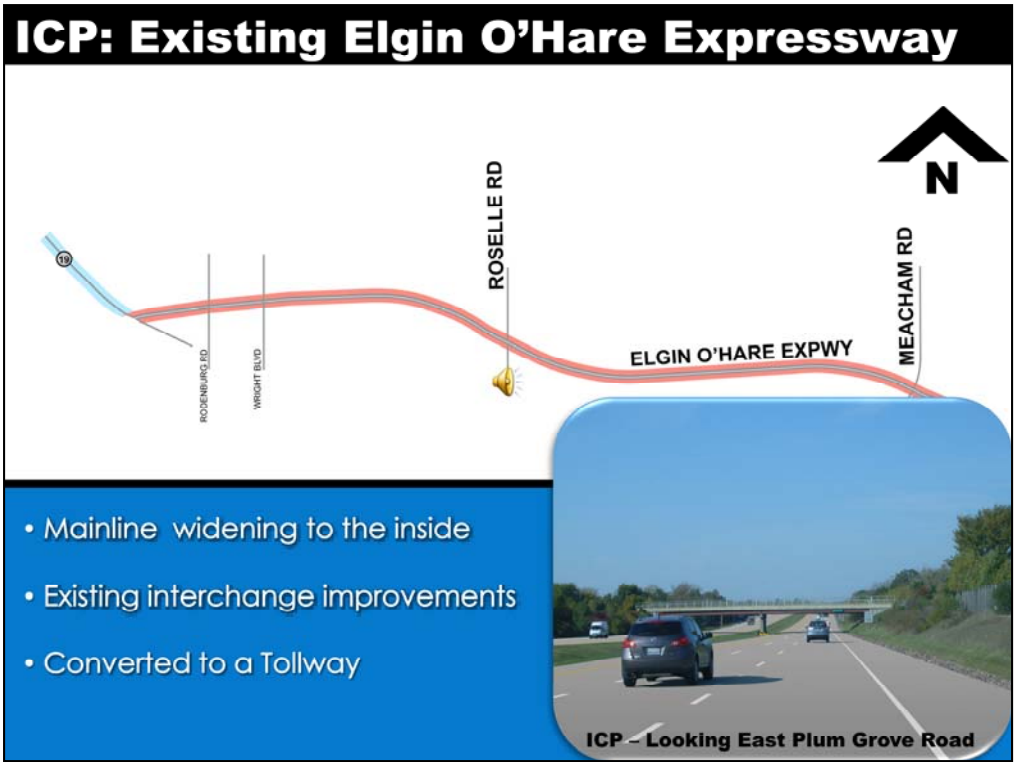



***Throughout the design process, efforts were made to avoid or minimize impacts to resources. In accordance with state and federal regulations, mitigation measures would be provided to compensate for unavoidable resource losses. In addition to standard mitigation, the project will increase the quality and quantity of the state's wetland resource base within the Des Plaines River drainage basin, and implement best management practices to address water quality and quantity during construction, operation and maintenance of the roadway, thereby minimizing impacts to adjacent wetlands and the downstream aquatic environment. Sustainability is a key priority of the project. To this end, sustainable practices will be considered in all phases of the project.***

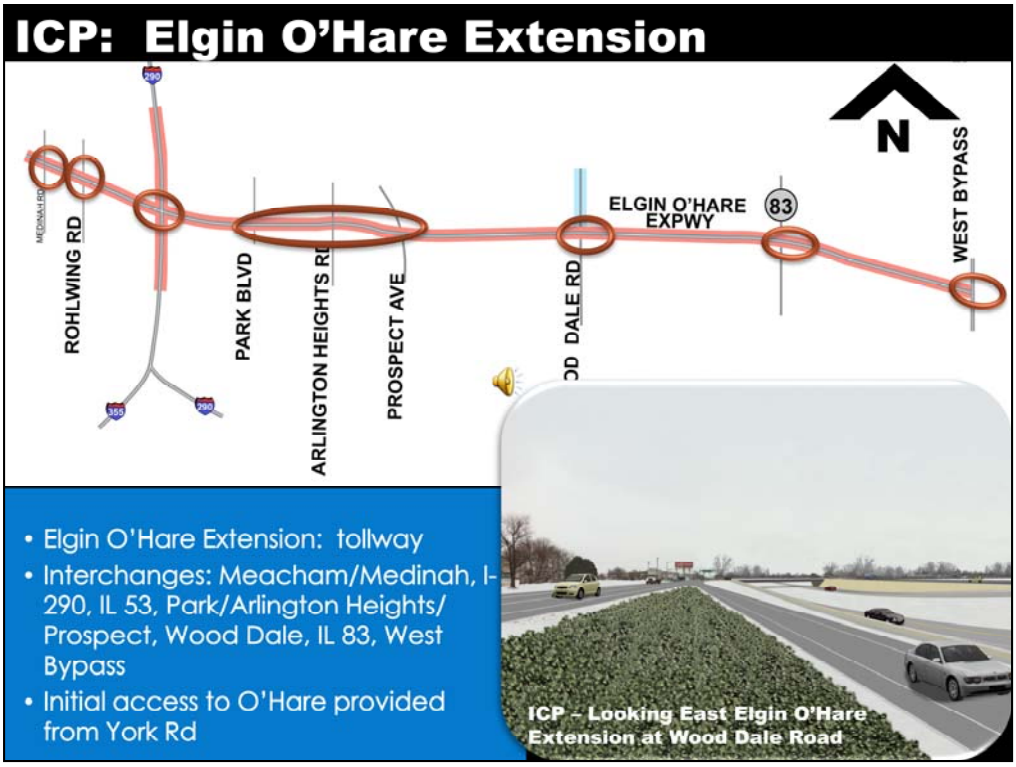



Given the substantial cost of the Full Build Alternative, a streamlined version has been developed as the initial construction plan. The initial construction plan was recommended by the Governor's advisory council. It adds capacity, new roadways, interchanges, and accommodations for transit to meet the travel demands of the region through 2030. ***The ICP also provides western access to O'Hare via York Road.*** The Illinois Tollway will build the ICP, as part of the Move Illinois program***, which commits $3.1 billion toward the $3.4 billion needed to begin building the Elgin O'Hare West Bypass as soon as 2013.***

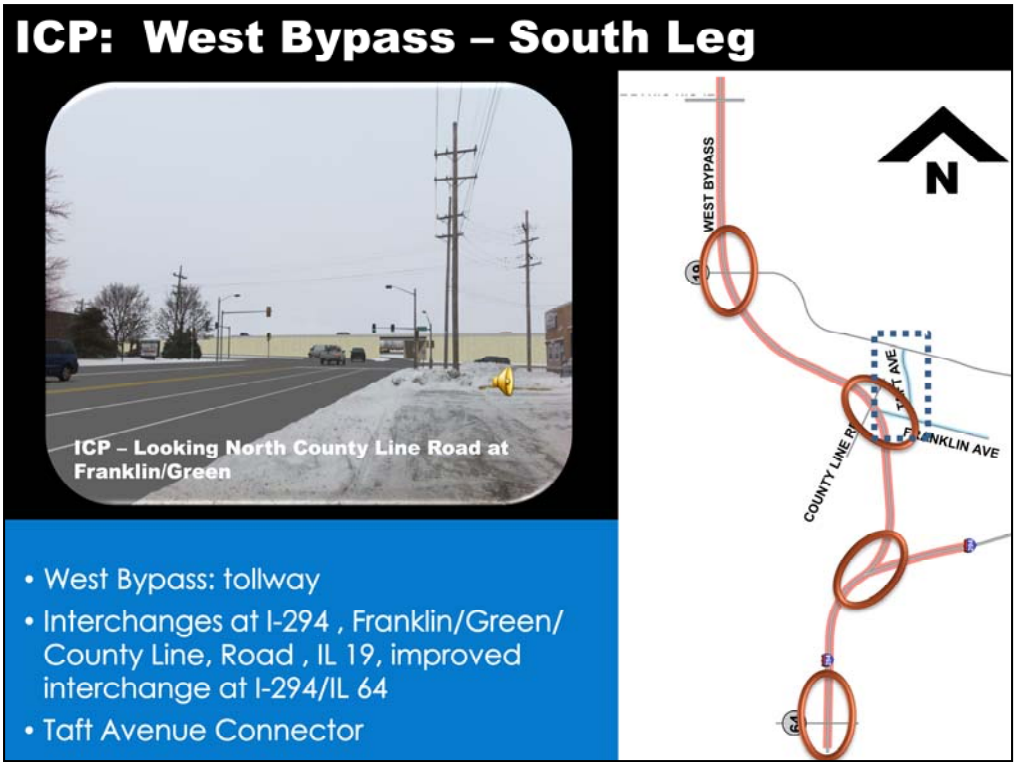
***Now, with final approval of the EIS anticipated by the end of this year, the project is 91 percent funded, representing unprecedented progress for a project of this size and scope in our state and nation.***



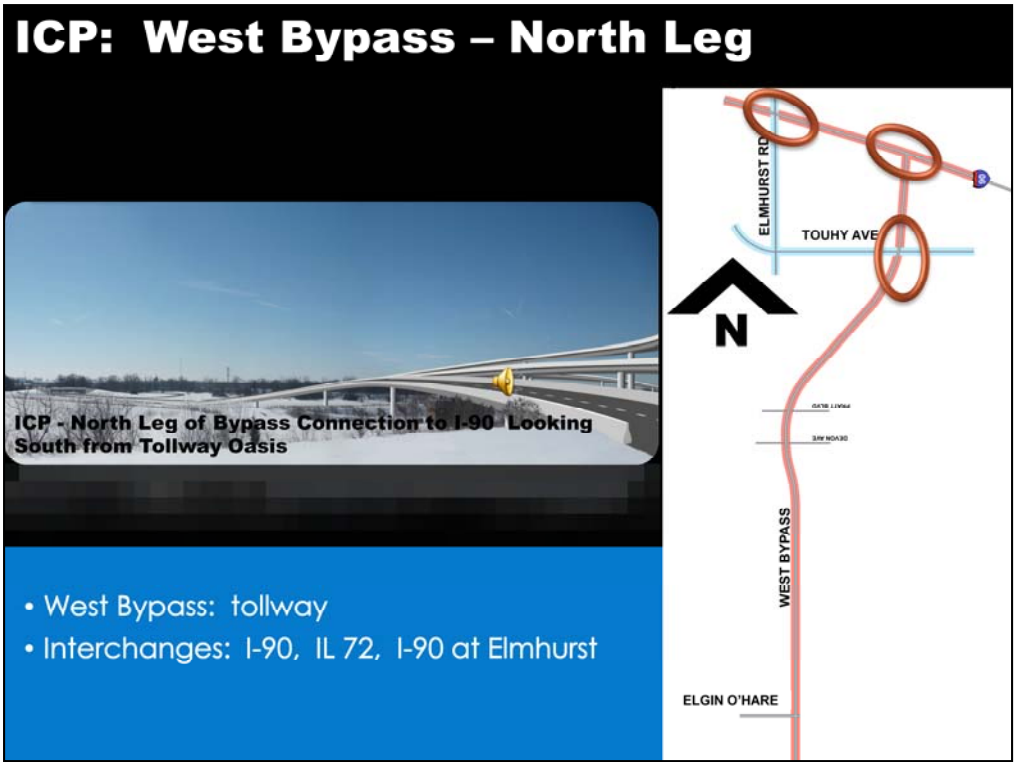

Along the existing Elgin O'Hare expressway, the ICP includes widening to the inside to provide one additional travel lane in each direction and minor interchange improvements including removing traffic signals. The improved roadway will be converted to operate as a tollway. Overall, tolling the existing Elgin O'Hare and constructing the rest of the project as a toll road provides part of the overall the funding necessary to move forward with construction.



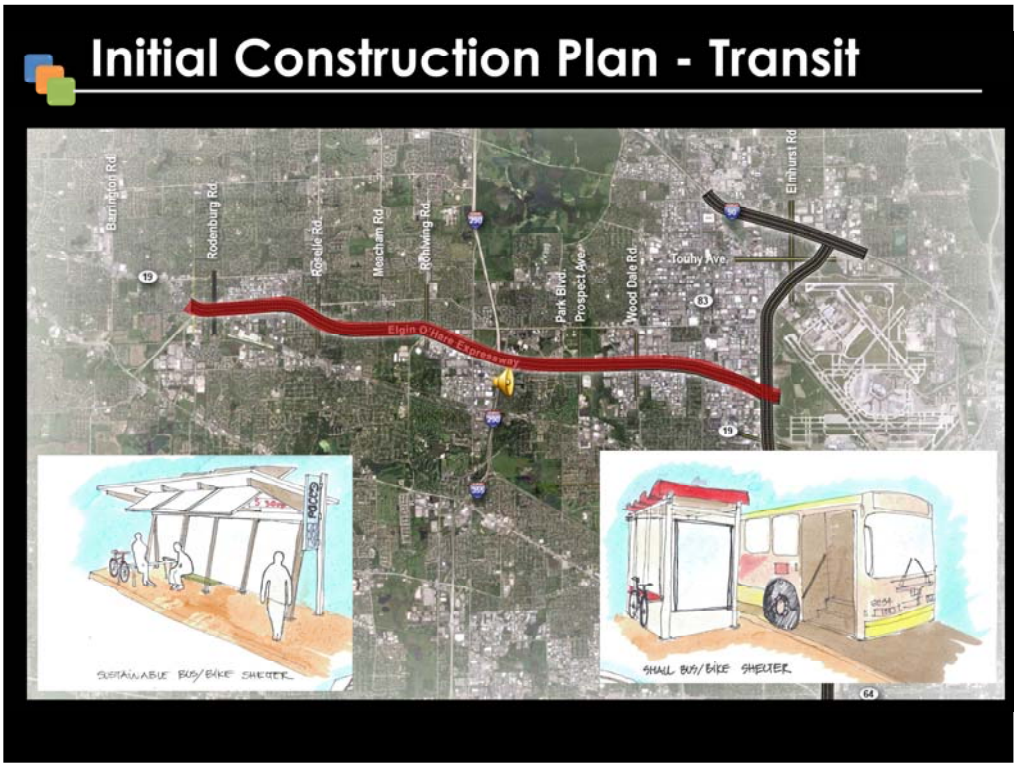

Along the Elgin O'Hare extension, the ICP includes constructing the Elgin O'Hare extension a tollway with interchanges at Meacham/Medinah Road, IL 53, I-290, Park Boulevard/Arlington Heights Road/Prospect Avenue, Wood Dale Road, IL 83, **and a connection to the West Bypass**. Initial access to the west side of O'Hare Airport is provided from York Road.



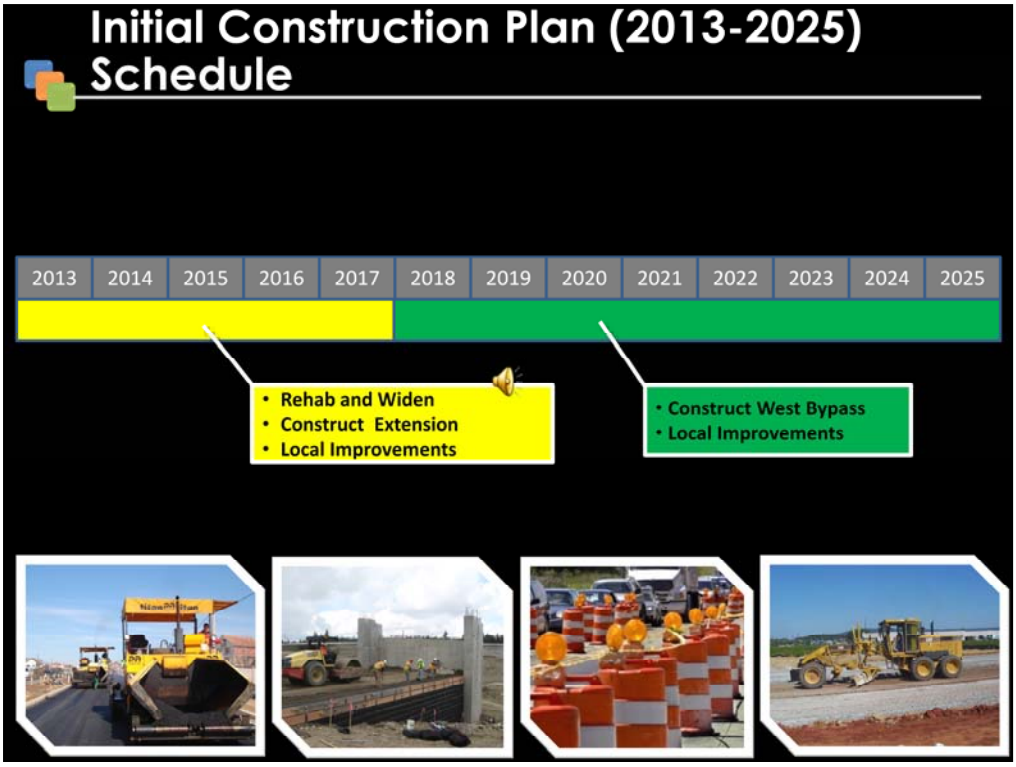

The ICP includes constructing the south leg of the West Bypass a tollway with new interchanges at I-294, County Line Road/Franklin Avenue, IL 19, as well as an improved interchange at I-294 at IL 64. The ICP also includes the new Taft Avenue Connector.



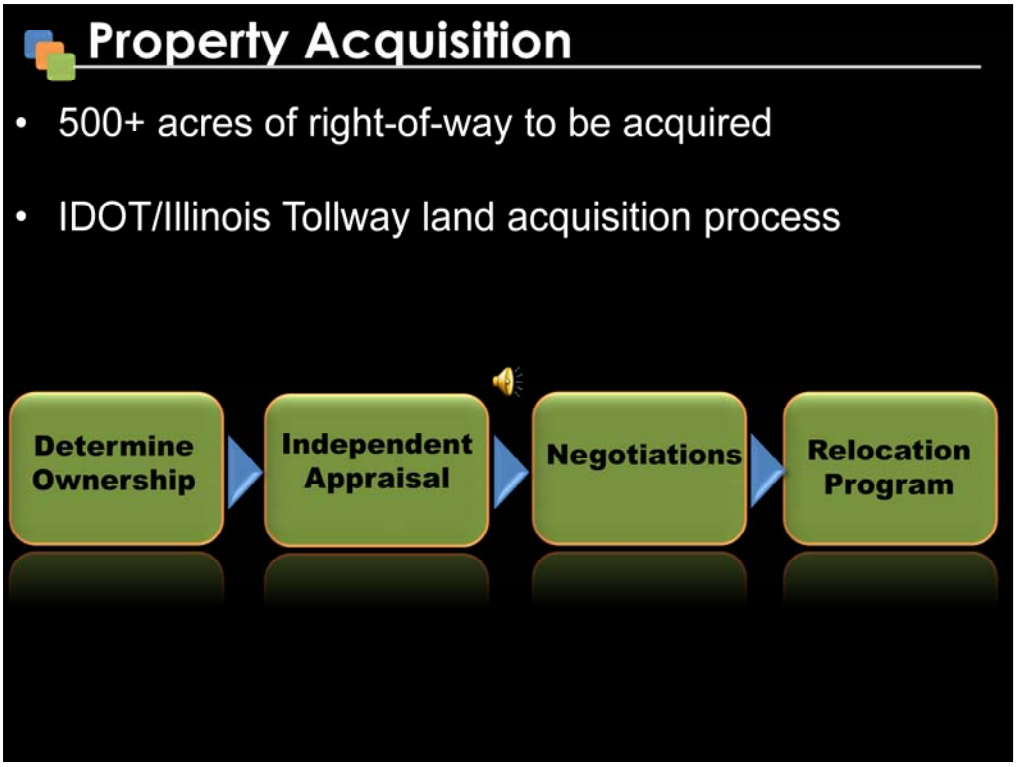

In the north, the ICP includes construction of the West Bypass as a tollway with new interchanges at I-90, IL 72, as well as an improved full-access interchange at I-90 at Elmhurst Road.



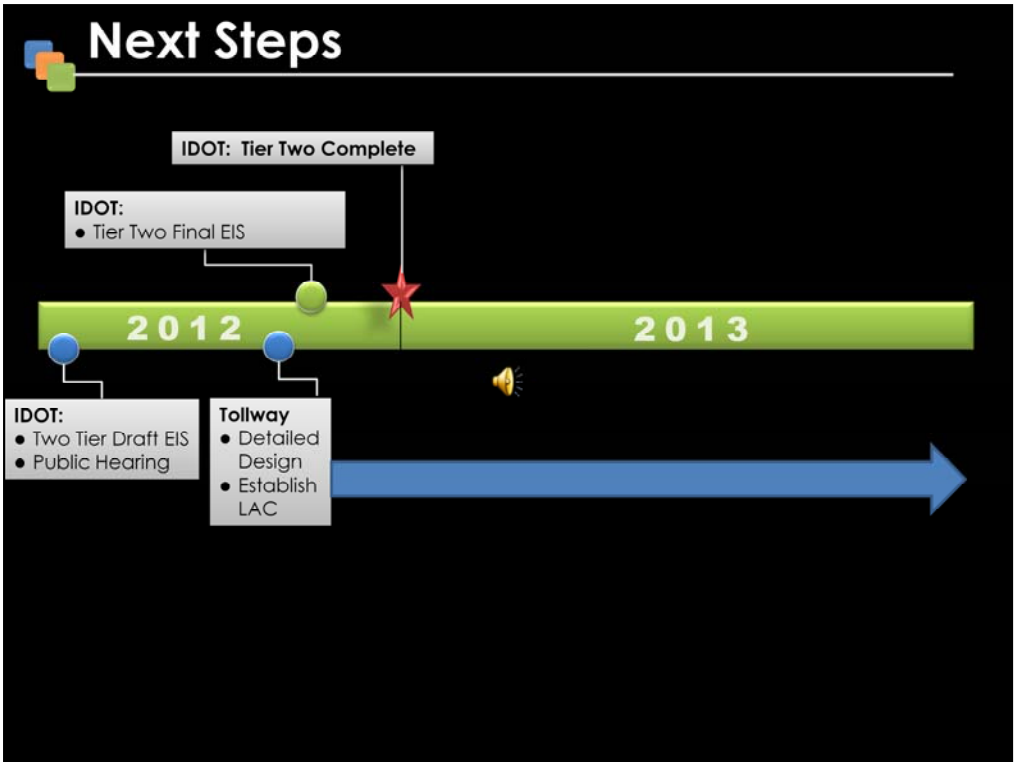

The initial construction plan will include transit in the form of an express bus service along the Elgin O'Hare. In addition, new roadways will be constructed with space to accommodate future transit needs.




Construction of the Elgin O'Hare West Bypass project could begin as soon as 2013, and extend through 2025. The plan will continue to be refined by the Tollway, the general sequencing described in the Tollway's Move Illinois Program includes: widening of the existing Elgin O'Hare expressway and upgrading the I-90/Elmhurst interchange to full access, followed by the extension of the Elgin O'Hare Expressway. When the Elgin O'Hare construction is complete, construction would begin on the south leg of the west bypass, with the final piece being the north leg of the west bypass. The phasing of the improvements is intended to **provide the most benefit to the public as early as possible while** complement**ing** other Tollway improvements on adjacent facilities such as I-90 and I-294.

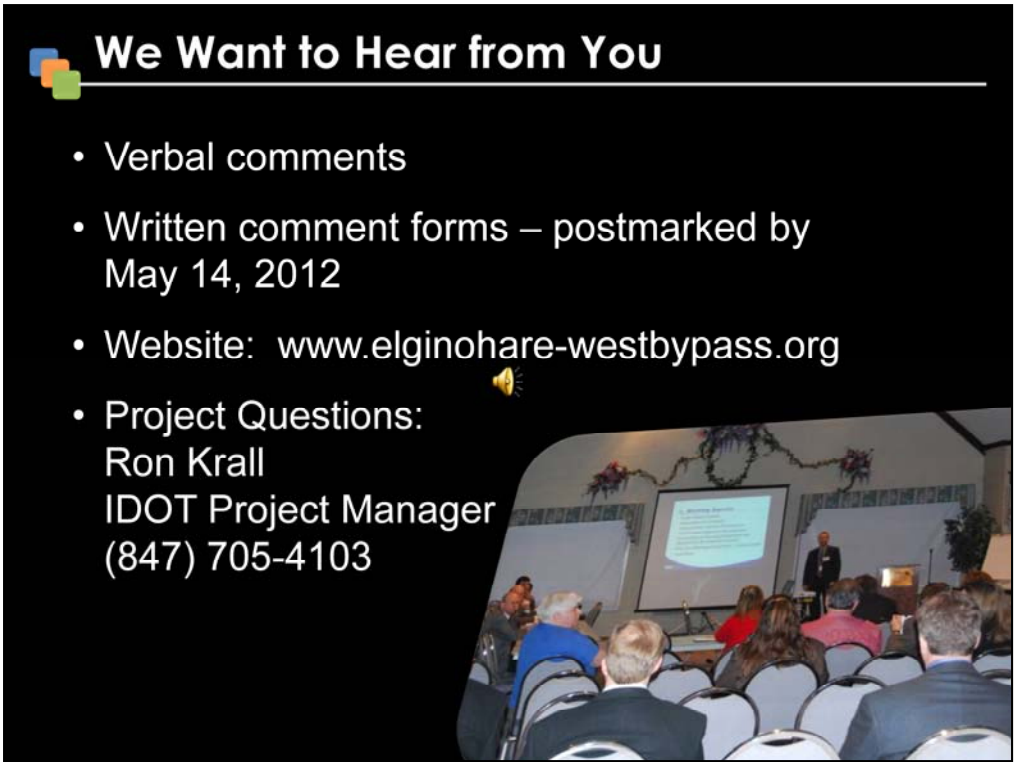



As noted earlier, more than 500 acres of right-of-way is required for the project. Both IDOT and the Tollway have similar property acquisition processes. It begins with a determination of ownership and preparation of a property description and survey. An independent appraisal is then ordered with a review and report produced. Negotiation ensues with an offer to acquire the property at the appraised value. If a settlement cannot be reached within a reasonable timeframe, or if clear title cannot be obtained, the matter is referred to a court under the law of eminent domain. **When it is necessary to acquire an occupied residence or business property, IDOT or the Tollway will offer relocation assistance to those displaced persons who apply for and qualify for benefits all in accordance with the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 and 49 CFR Part 24.**

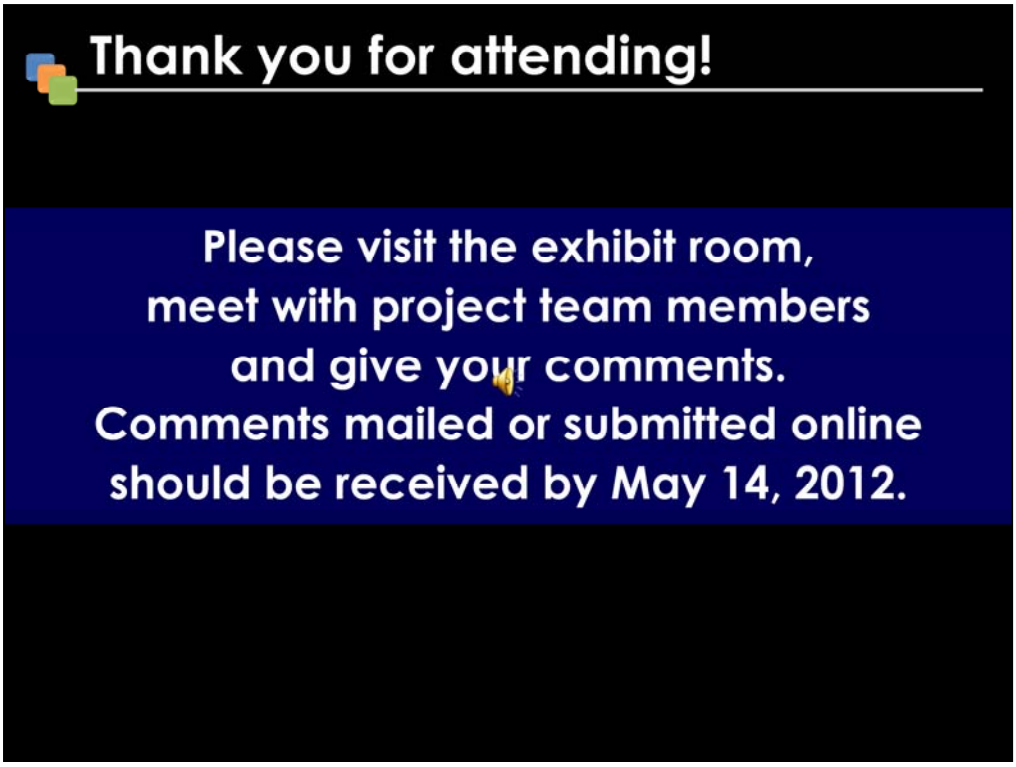



Following tonight's Public Hearing, the focus of our efforts will be to review and respond to the comments we receive and define the Tier Two Preferred Alternative, which will be summarized in the Final EIS scheduled for completion in the fall of 2012 with a decision document called a Record of Decision to be issued by the end of the year.

IDOT & the Tollway will be working together to complete the EIS process in the coming months, and the Tollway will begin the detailed design process for the ICP. As part of the Tollway's design process, they will be forming a Local Advisory Committee made up of affected communities in the project area.




At every step of the project development process, we value your input. There is a court reporter available to take verbal comments, and comment forms available here at this meeting as well as on the project website. Please fill out a comment form and place it in the comment box located in the exhibit room tonight or mail your comment to IDOT by May 14th, 2012.




Thank you for attending tonight's hearing. We now invite you to exit this screening room, and go view the project materials on display in the exhibit room. IDOT and project staff will be on hand to answer any questions you may have.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# Engineering Drawings

# WEST SECTION

# CENTRAL SECTION PART A

# CENTRAL SECTION PART B

# NORTH SECTION

# SOUTH SECTION

A (Springinsguth Rd / Irving Park Rd Interchange)

D (Roselle Rd Interchange)

E (Medinah/Meacham Rd Interchange)

F (Rohlwing Rd Interchange)

G (Elgin O'Hare /I-290 System Interchange)

L (Arlington Heights Rd Interchange)

M (Prospect Ave Interchange)

O (IL 83 Interchange)

P (Elgin O'Hare / West Bypass System Interchange)

U (Irving Park Rd Interchange)

X (West Bypass / I-90 System Interchange)

Y (Elmhurst Rd Interchange)

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K (Park Blvd Interchange)

N (Wood Dale Rd Interchange)

T (Franklin Ave Interchange)

S (West Bypass / I-294 System Interchange)

R (North Ave Interchange)

ELGIN O'HARE EXPRESSWAY

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SPRINGINSGUTH RD

BARRINGTON RD

GARY AVE

RODENBURG RD

WRIGHT BLVD

ROSELLE RD

MEDINAH RD

PLUM GROVE RD

MEACHAM RD

E NERGE RD

ROHLWING RD (IL 53)

BIESTERFIELD RD

DEVON AVE

N. ARLINGTON HEIGHTS RD

PROSPECT AVE

WOOD DALE RD

SALT CREEK

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JANE ADDAMS MEM TOLLWAY (I-90)

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BUSSE ROAD

ELMHURST RD

MOUNT PROSPECT RD

OAKTON STREET

TOUHY AVE

NORTH YORK RD

WEST IRVING PARK RD (IL 19)

RELOCATED IRVING PARK RD \ IL 19 (BY OTHERS)

EAST GREEN ST

WEST BYPASS

FRANKLIN AVE

COUNTY LINE RD

WOLF RD

EAST GRAND AVE

TRI-STATE TOLLWAY (I-294)

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O'HARE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

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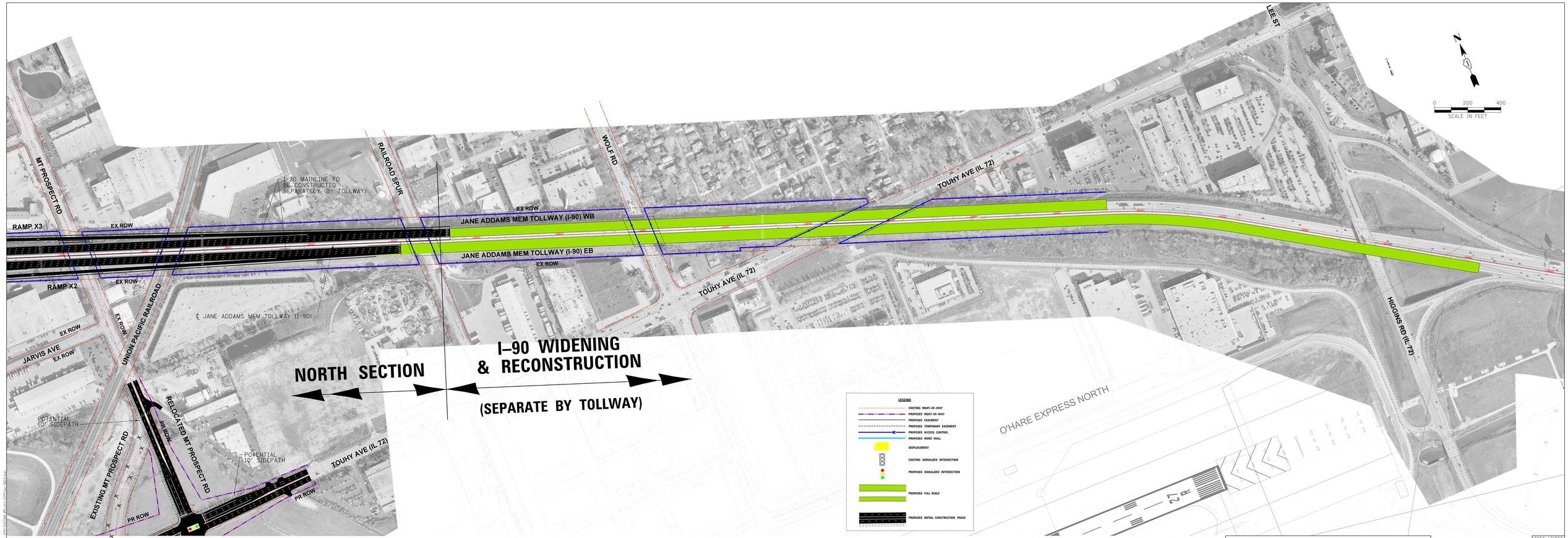


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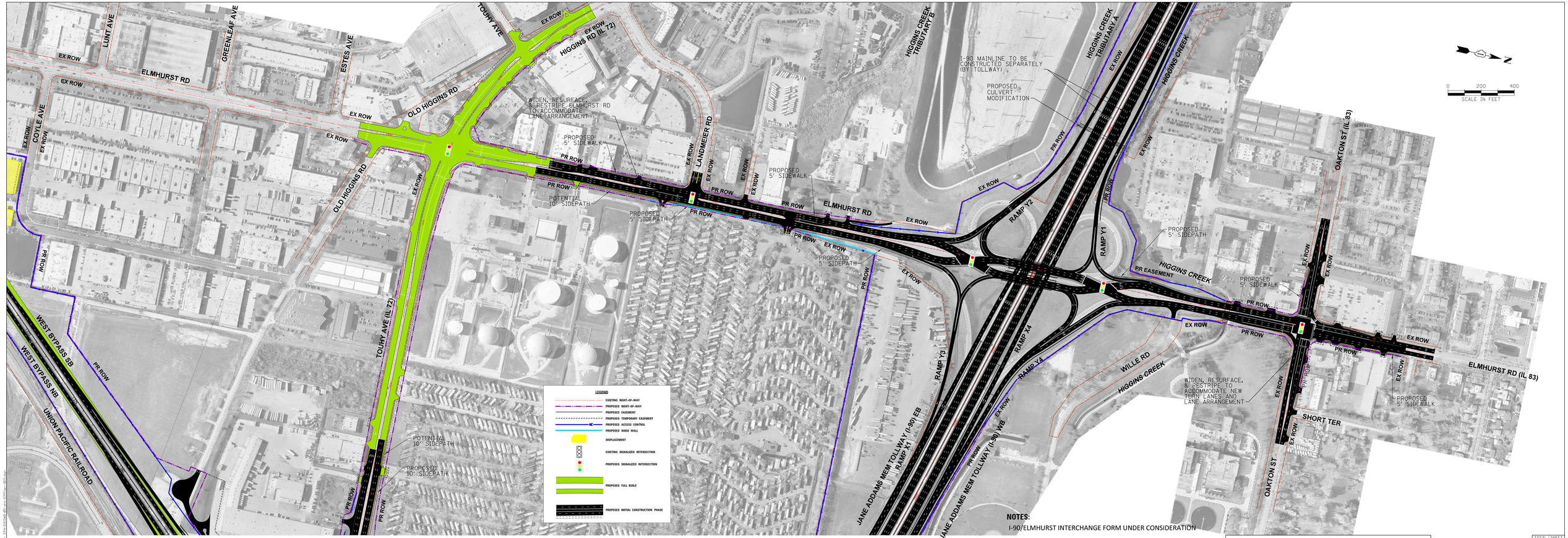


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I-90/ELMHURST INTERCHANGE FORM UNDER CONSIDERATION

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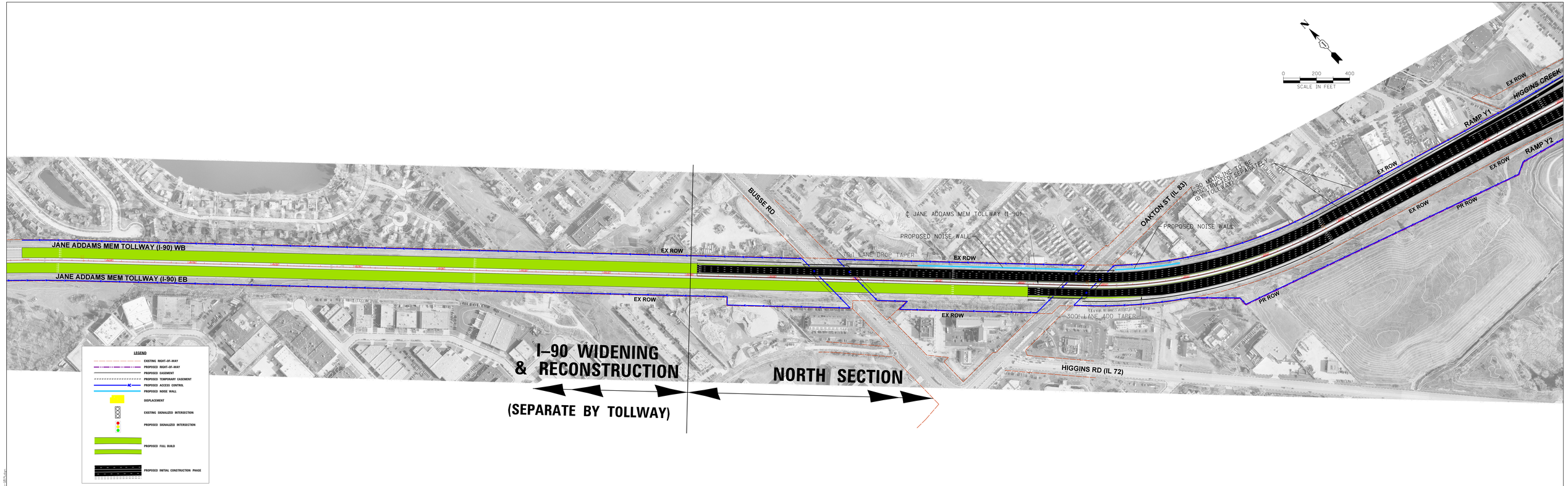


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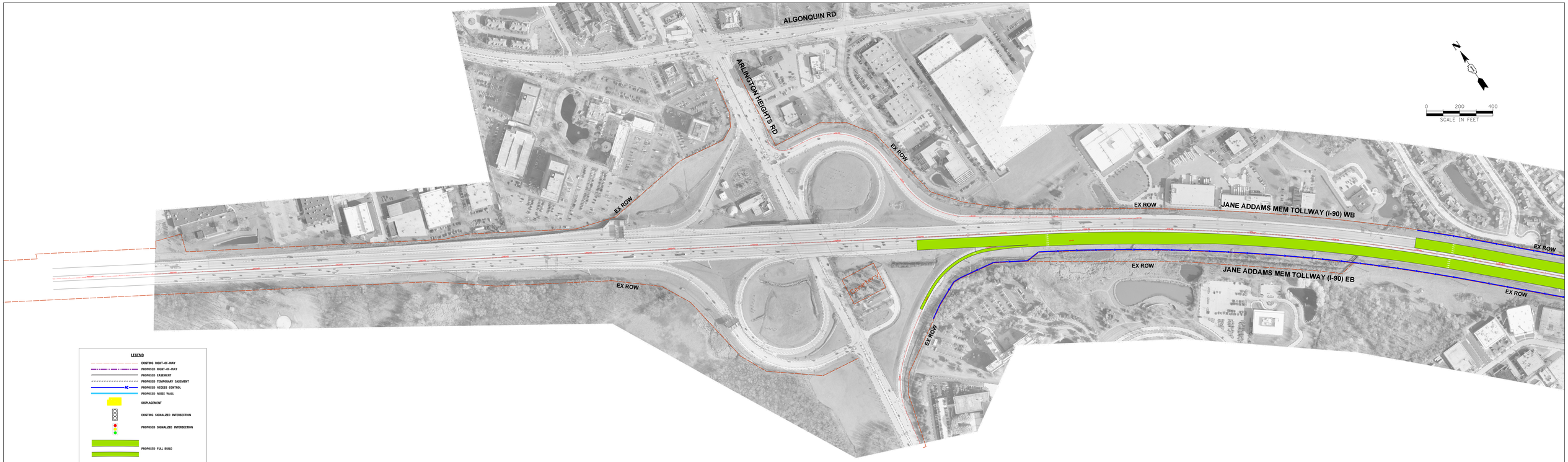


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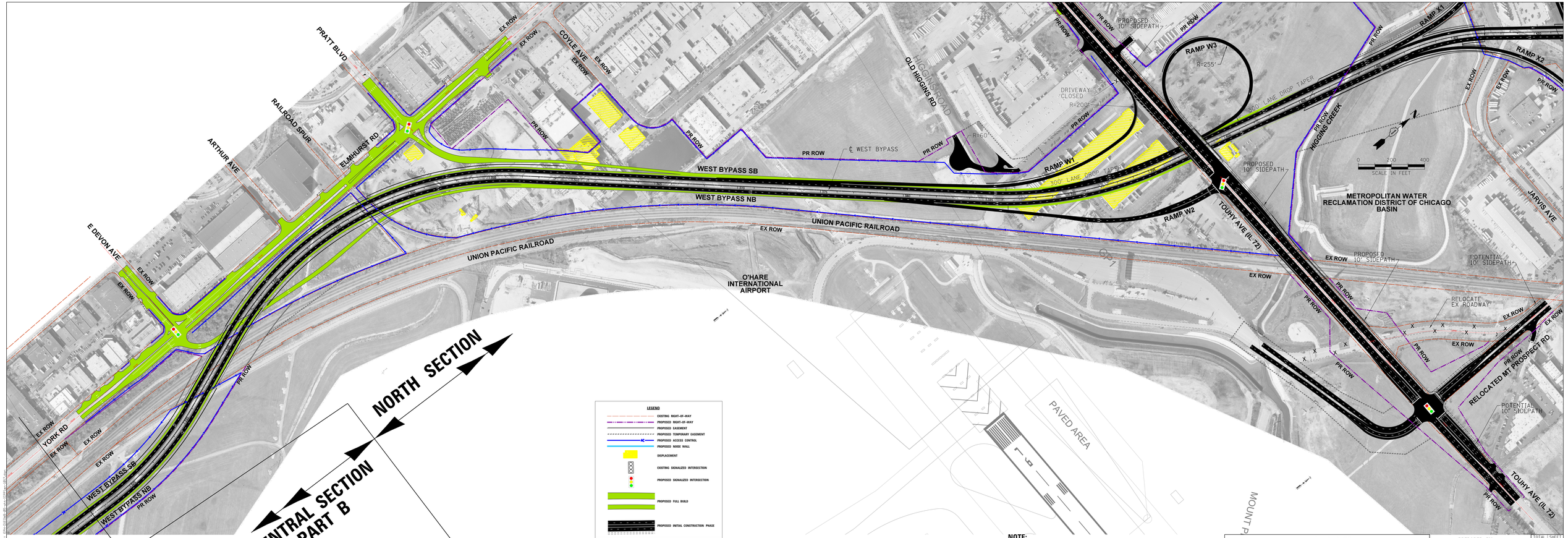


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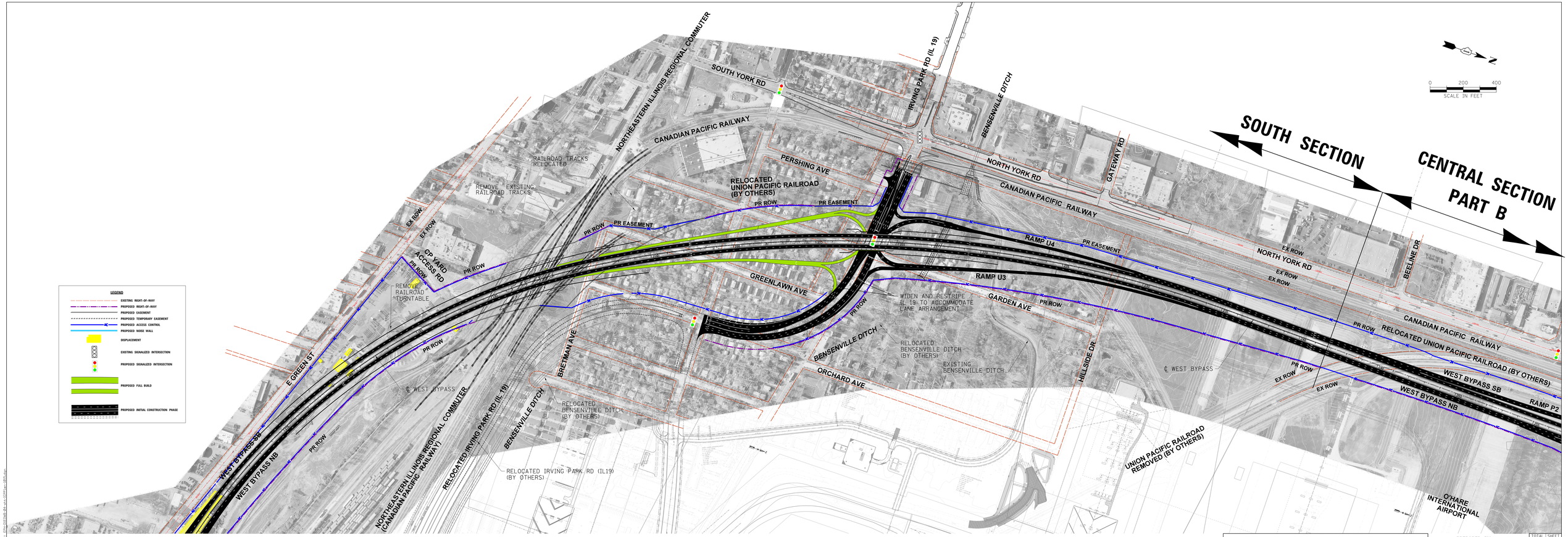


**WEST BYPASS AT IRVING PARK ROAD (IL 19)**

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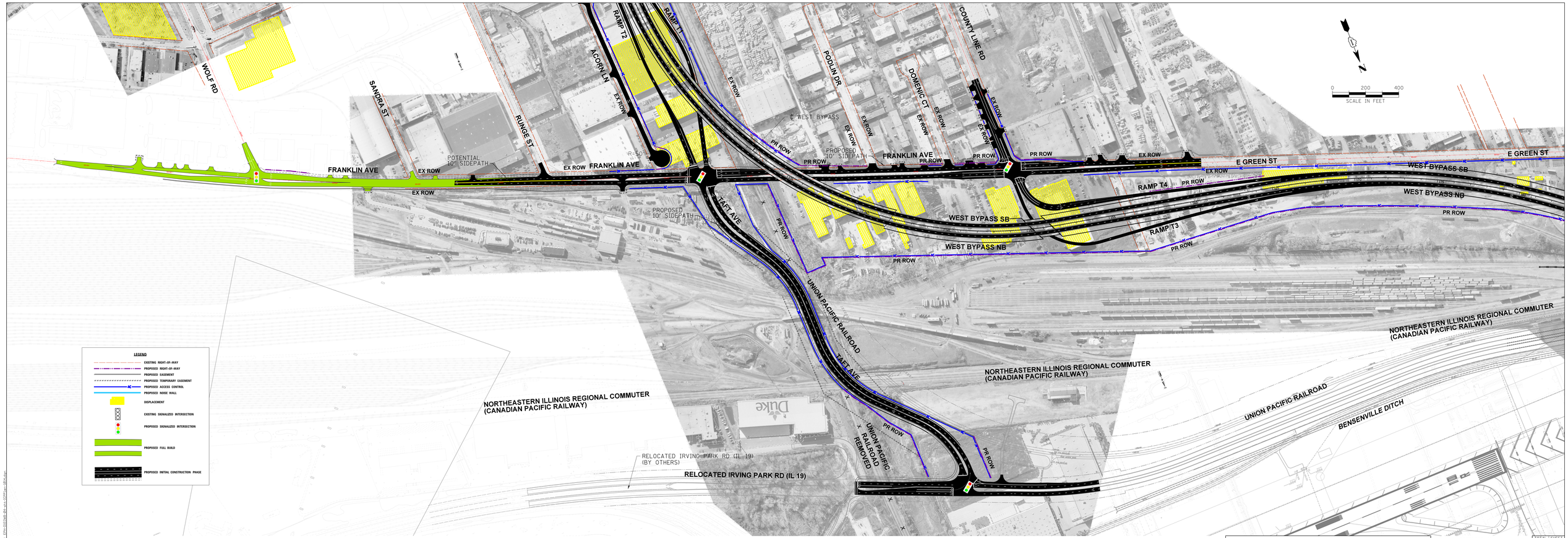


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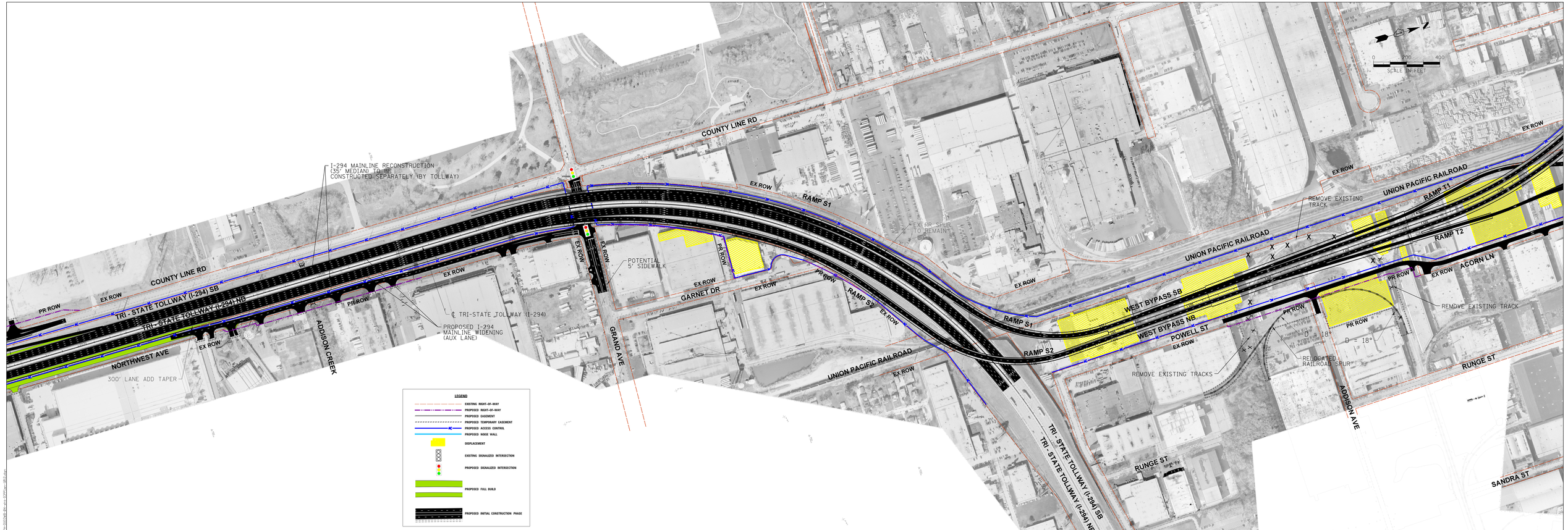


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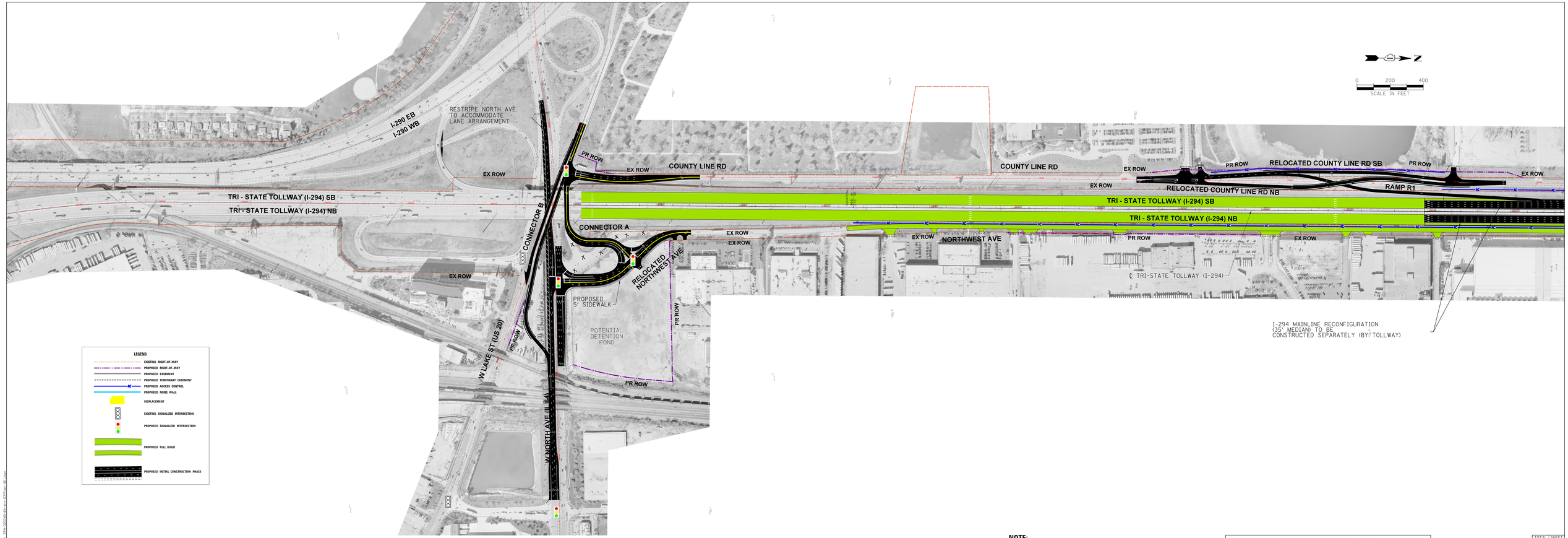


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**AT LAKE STREET (US20) AND NORTH AVENUE (IL 64)**

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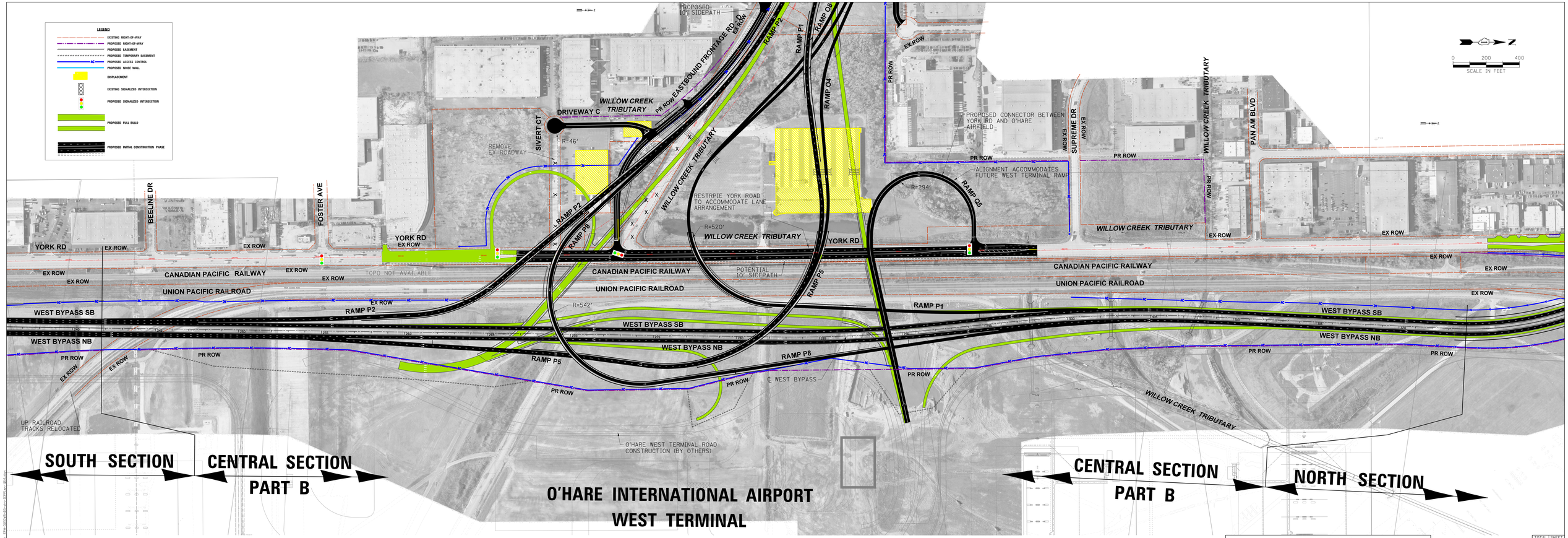


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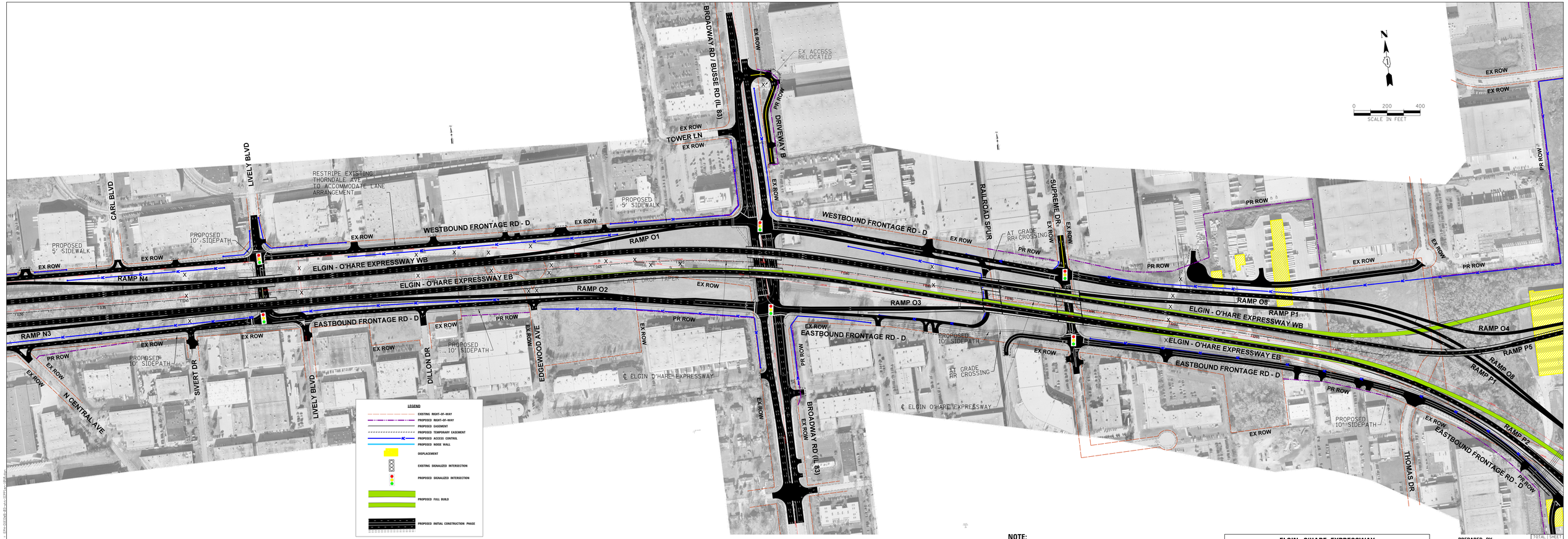


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FRONTAGE ROAD CONFIGURATION PARALLELING THE ELGIN O'HARE EXPRESSWAY UNDER CONSIDERATION

**ELGIN O'HARE EXPRESSWAY AT BUSSE ROAD (IL 83)**

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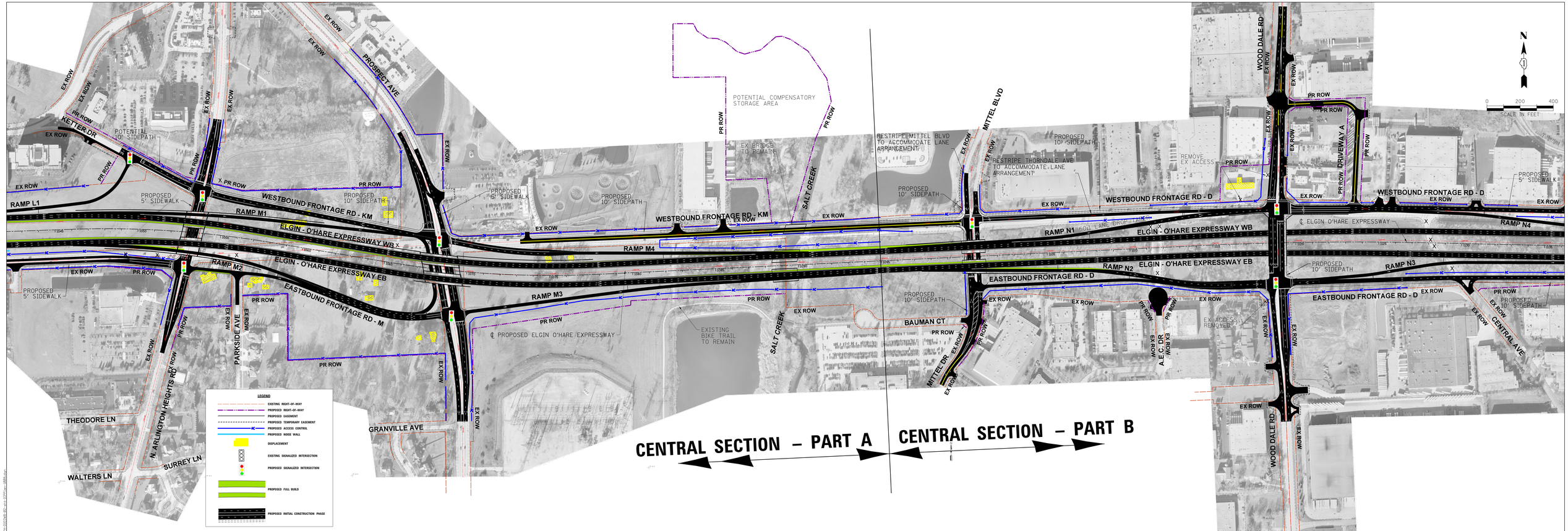


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**ARLINGTON HEIGHTS ROAD TO WOOD DALE ROAD**

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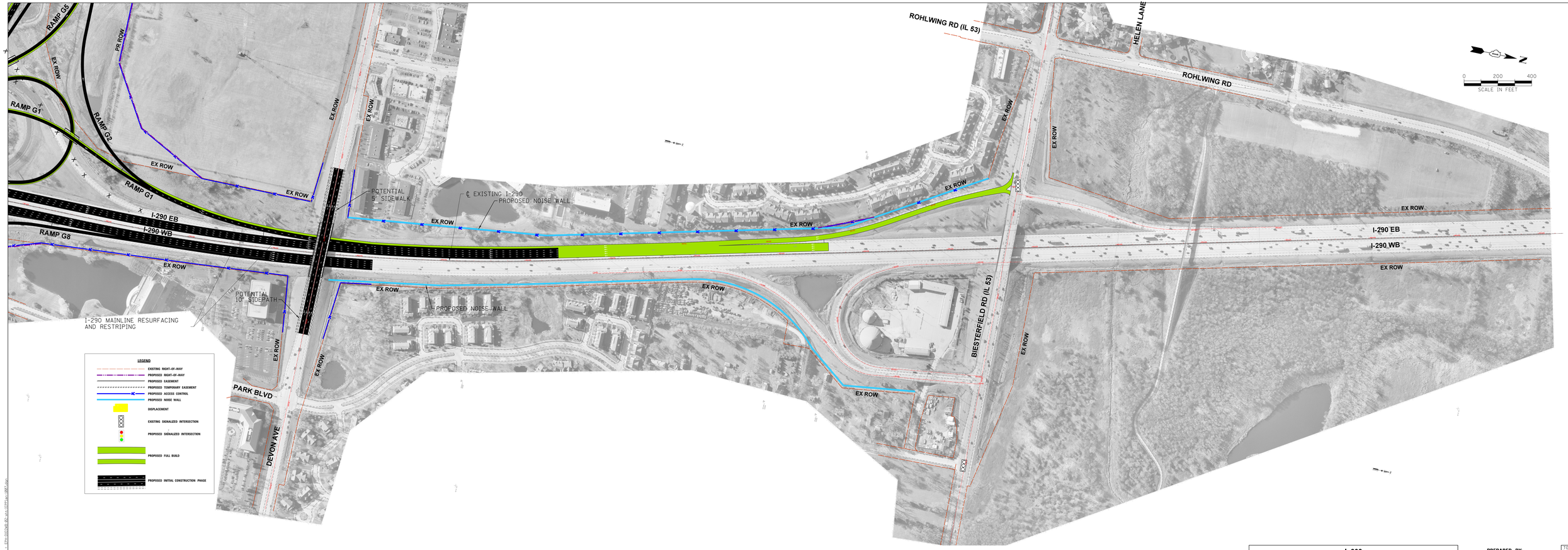


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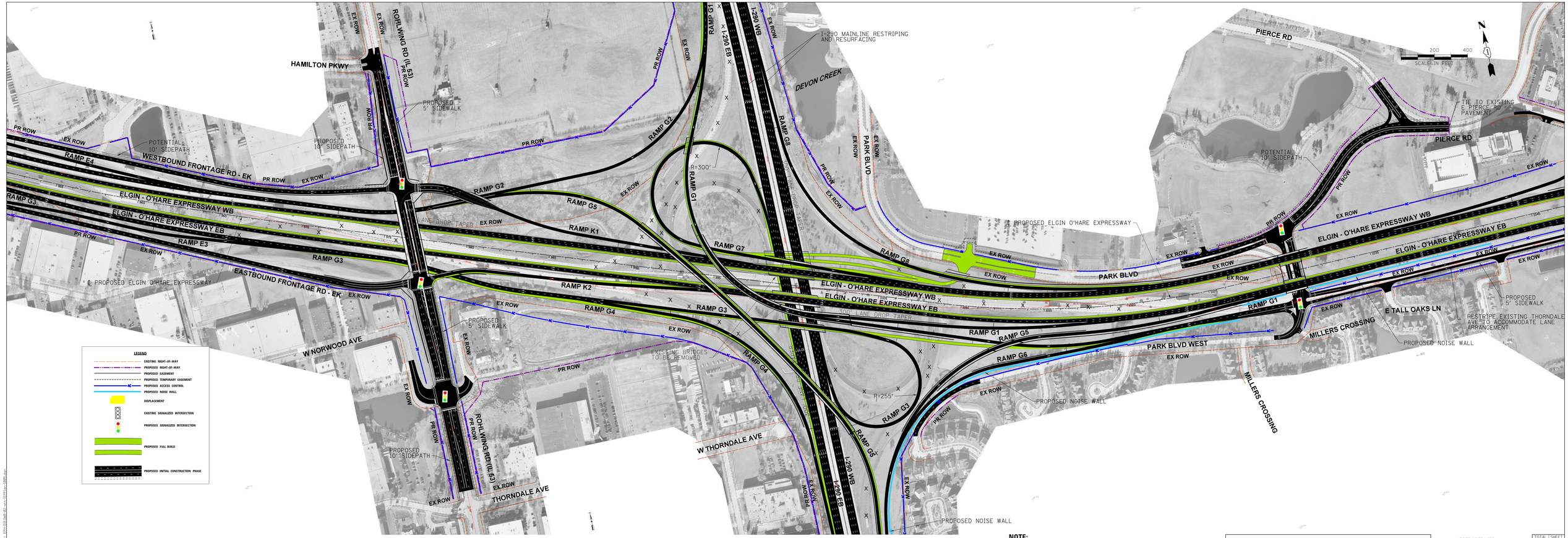


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PROPOSED PARK BLVD AND PIERCE RD DESIGN CONFIGURATION UNDER REVIEW

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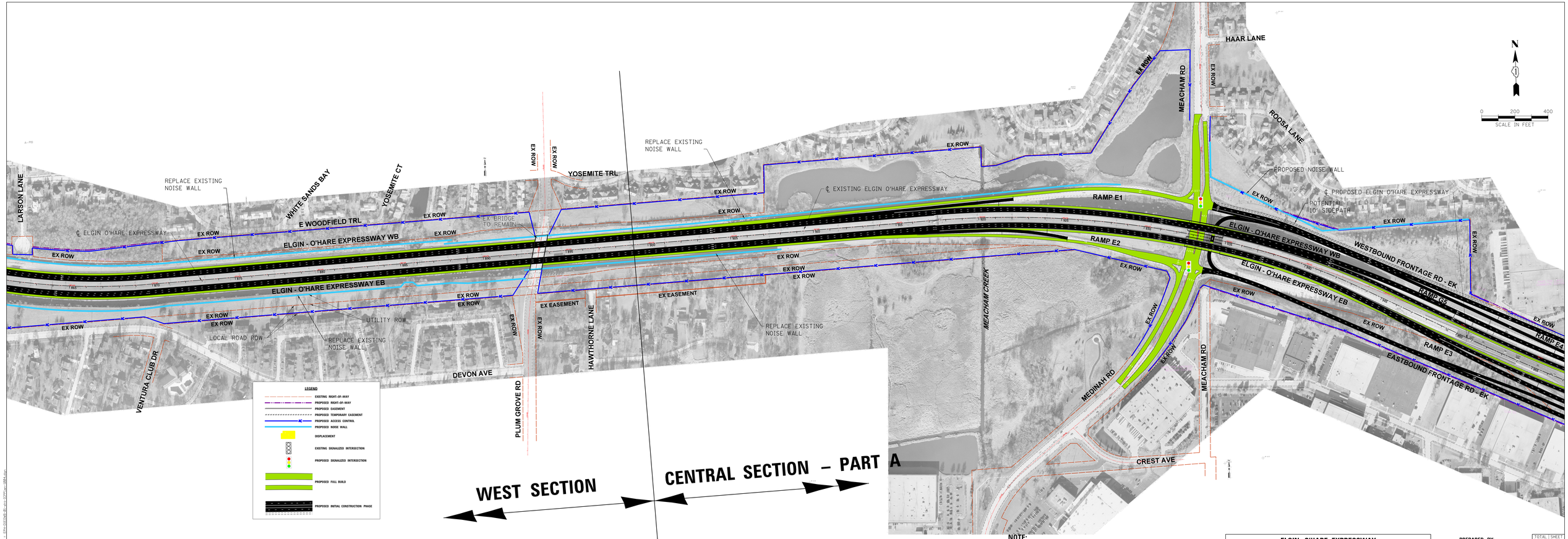


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FRONTAGE ROAD CONFIGURATION PARALLELING THE ELGIN O'HARE EXPRESSWAY UNDER CONSIDERATION

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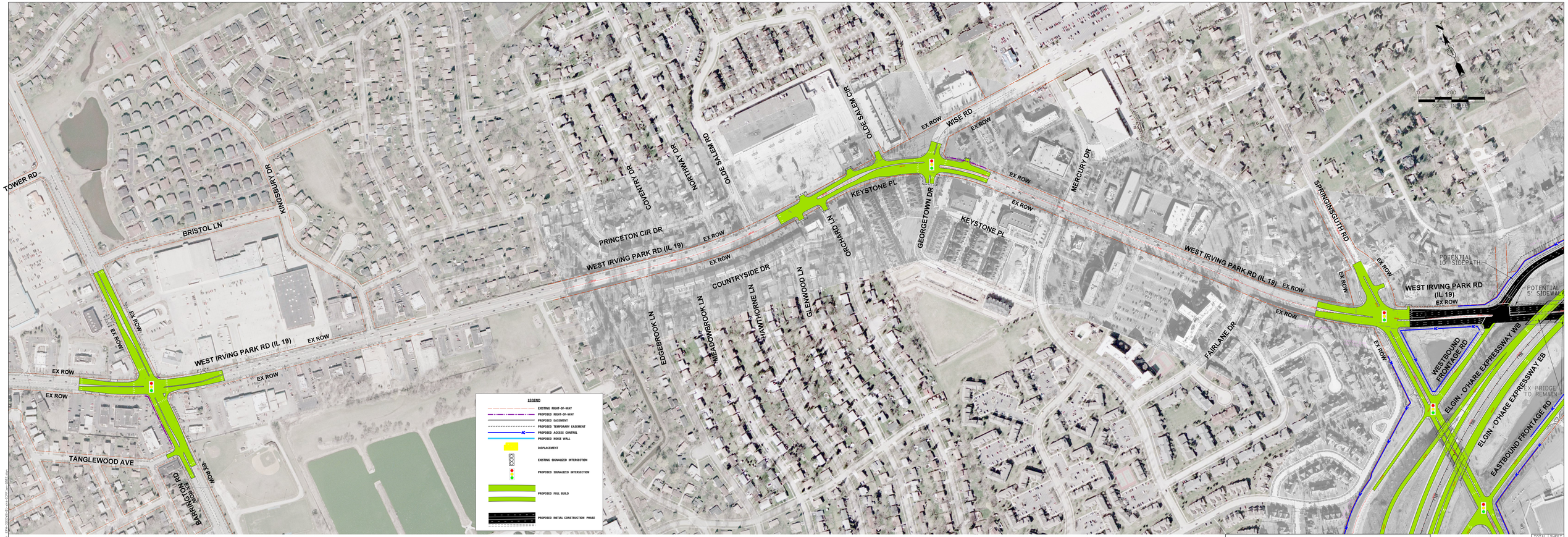


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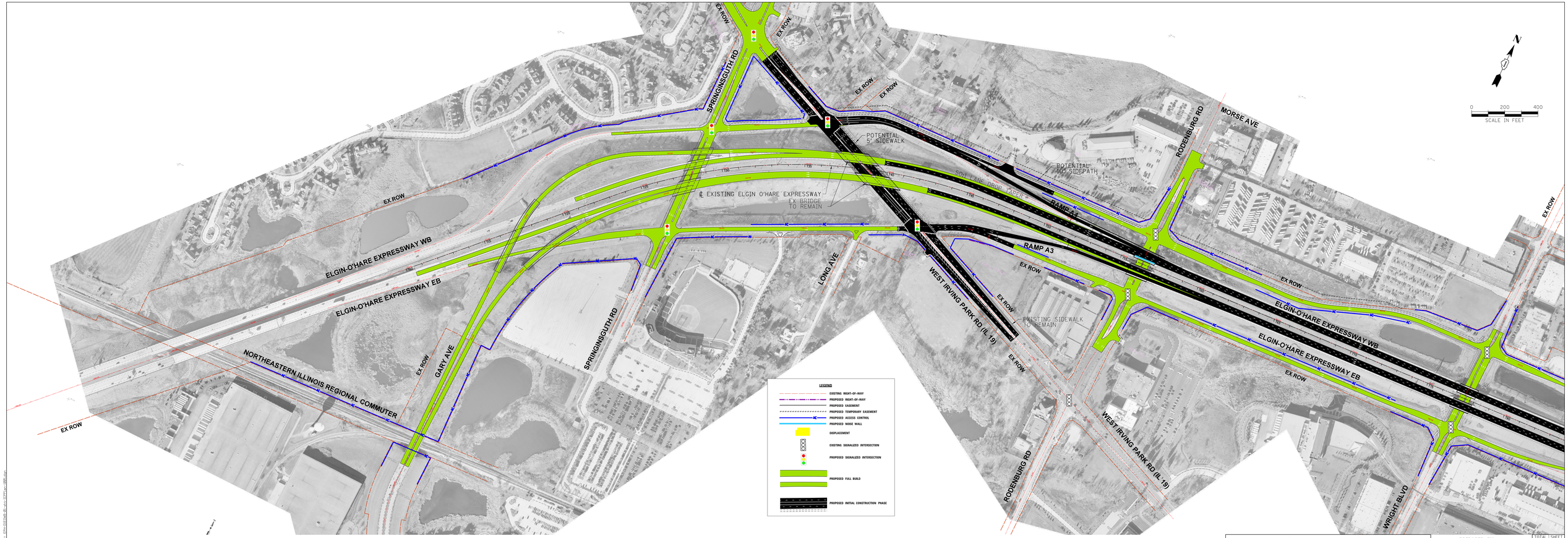


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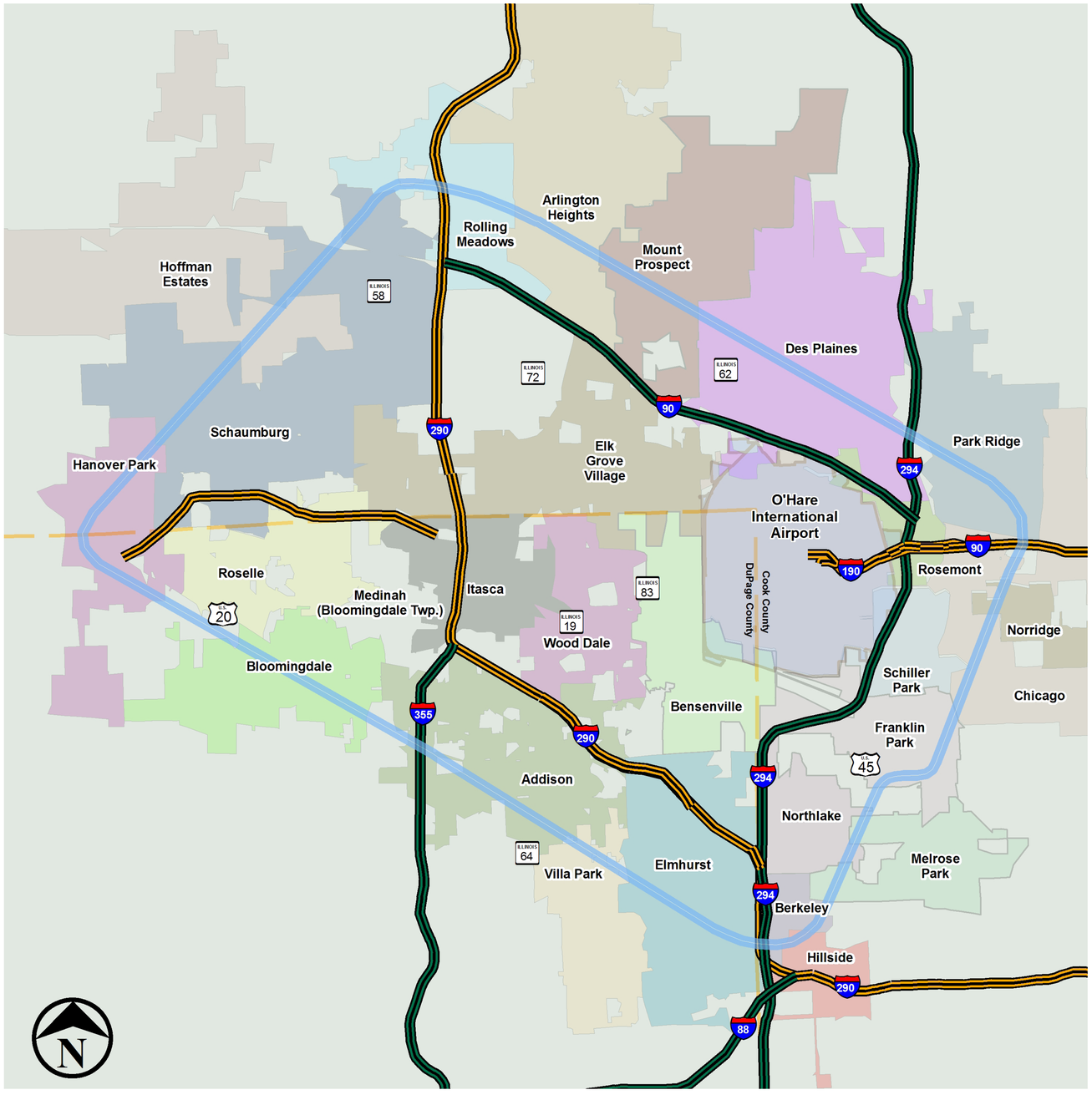
# Study Area



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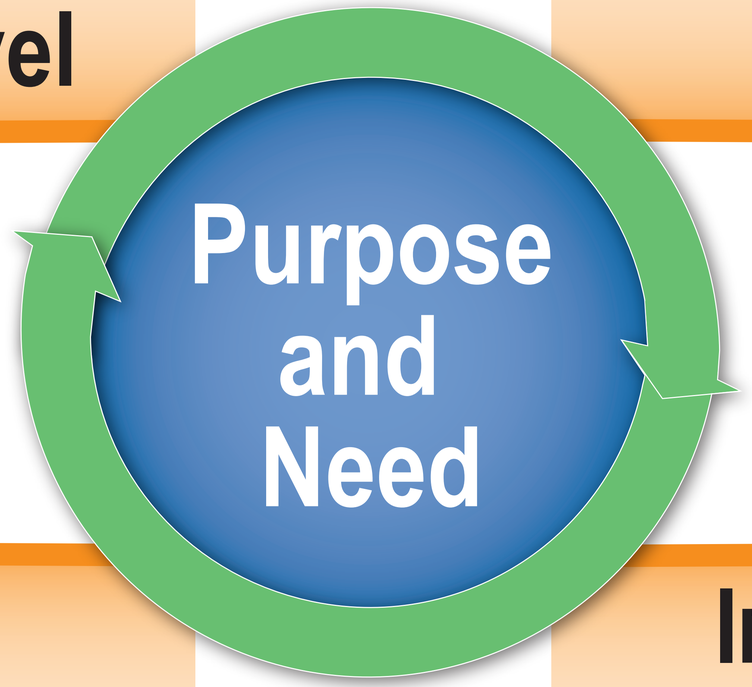
# Project Purpose and Need

## Improve Local and Regional Travel

## Improve Travel Efficiency




## Improve O'Hare West Access

## Improve Modal Opportunities and Connections

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# Tier Two Joint Lead Agencies

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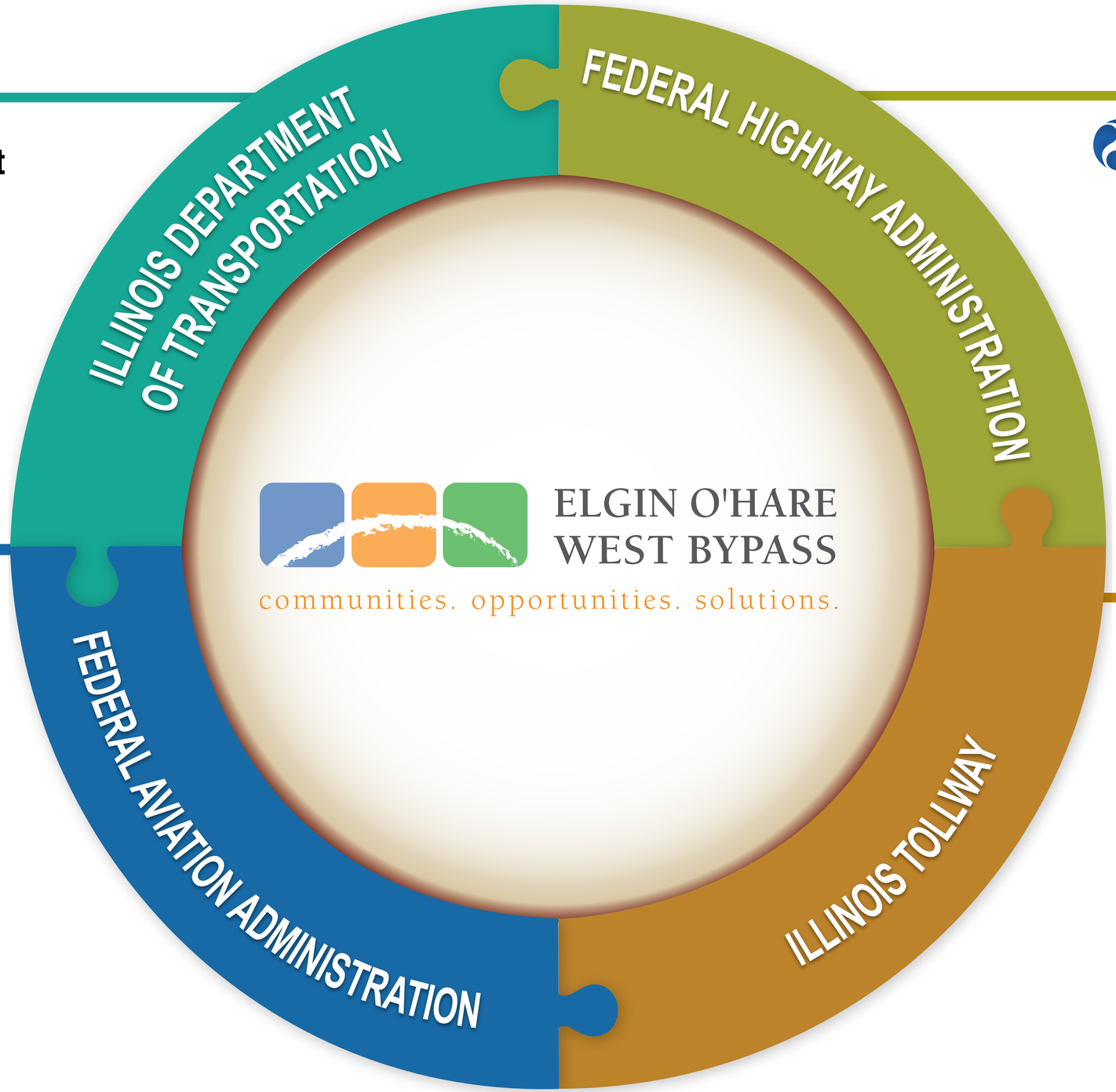


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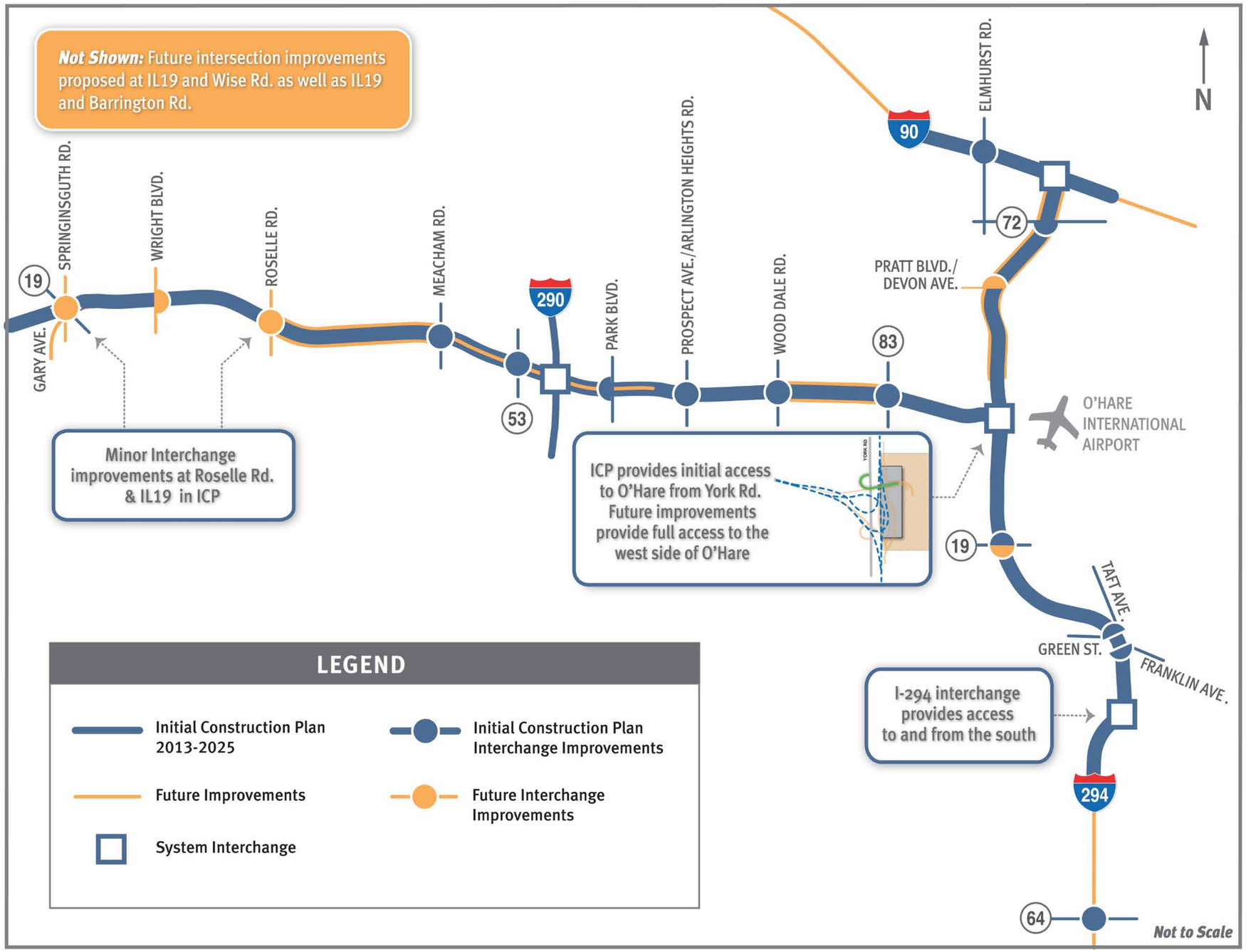
# Initial Construction Plan (2013-2025) Area Map



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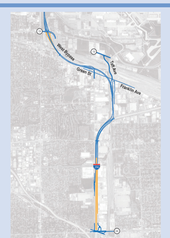
# Initial Construction Plan and Possible Future Improvements

| | Initial Construction Plan (2013-2025) | Future Improvements (unfunded) |
|---|---|---|
| **West Section**   | • Widen and resurface Elgin-O'Hare Expressway and convert to toll road<br>• Improve interchanges at IL 19/Rodenburg Road and Roselle Road<br>• Improve connecting roadways<br>• Initial transit service – express bus (by others)<br>• Noise walls | • Additional mainline widening and pavement reconstruction<br>• Additional improvements to existing interchanges<br>• Construction of dedicated transit corridor (by others) |
| **Central Section – Part A**   | • Construct toll road with frontage road system<br>• Improve/construct interchanges at Meacham Road, Rohlwing Road, I-290, Park Boulevard, and Arlington Heights Road/Prospect Avenue<br>• Improve connecting roadways<br>• Initial transit service – express bus (by others)<br>• Noise walls | • Additional mainline widening<br>• Ramp widening at select interchanges and connecting roadway improvements<br>• Construction of dedicated transit corridor (by others) |
| **Central Section – Part B**   | • Construct toll road with frontage road system<br>• Construct interchanges at Wood Dale Road, IL 83, and West Bypass (initial access from west to O'Hare)<br>• Improve connecting roadways<br>• Initial transit service – express bus (by others) | • Additional mainline widening<br>• Ramp widening at select interchanges<br>• Completion of access to proposed Western Terminal<br>• Construction of dedicated transit corridor (by others) |
| **South Section**   | • Construct new toll road<br>• Construct interchanges at IL 19, County Line Road, Franklin Avenue/ Green Street, I-294<br>• New interchange access at I-294/North Avenue (IL 64)<br>• Construct Taft Avenue Connector<br>• Improve connecting roadways | • Mainline widening<br>• Additional interchange access at IL 19 |
| **North Section**   | • Construct new toll road<br>• Construct interchanges at Touhy Avenue and I-90<br>• New interchange access at Elmhurst Road/I-90<br>• Improve connecting roadways<br>• Noise walls | • Mainline widening<br>• New interchange at Devon Avenue/Pratt Boulevard |

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# Initial Construction Plan Schedule

- **Construction to begin 2013 and extend through 2025**
- **Implementation schedule considers:**
  - I-90 and I-294 corridor improvement plans
  - Overall cash flow
  - Available right-of-way
  - Project readiness

| 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| • Rehab and widen<br>• Construct extension<br>• Local improvements<br>• Drainage improvements<br>• Noise walls | | | | | • Construct west bypass<br>• Drainage improvements<br>• Noise walls | | | | | | | |

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# Intersection Alternatives for IL 72 and Elmhurst Road

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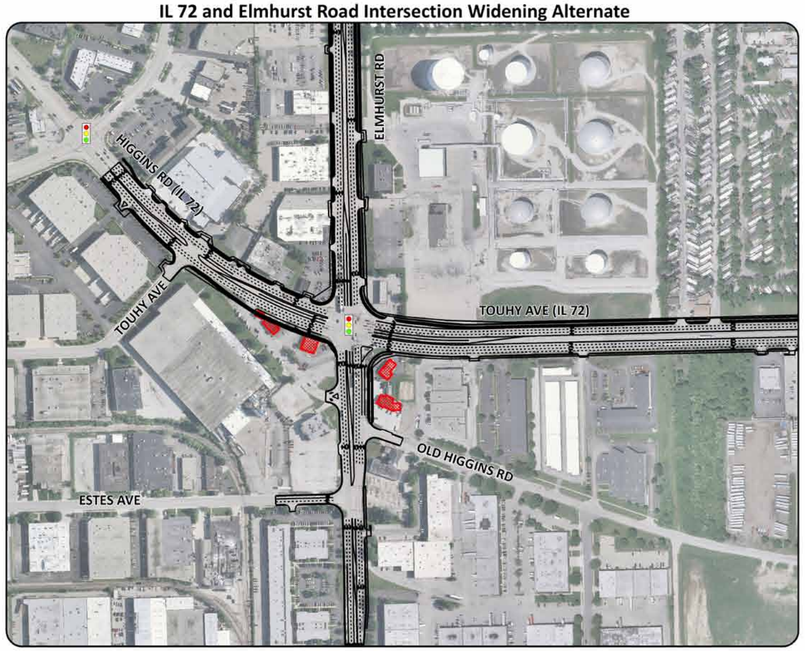


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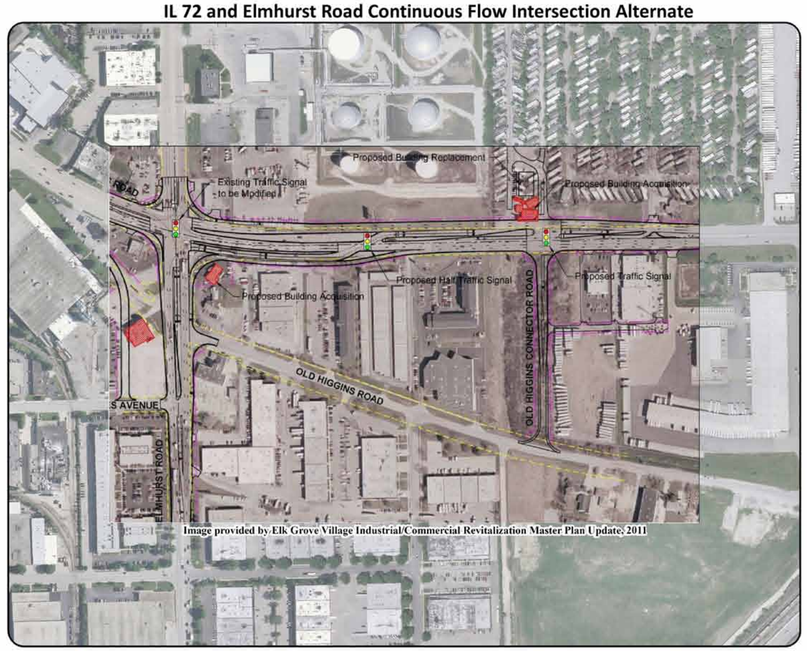


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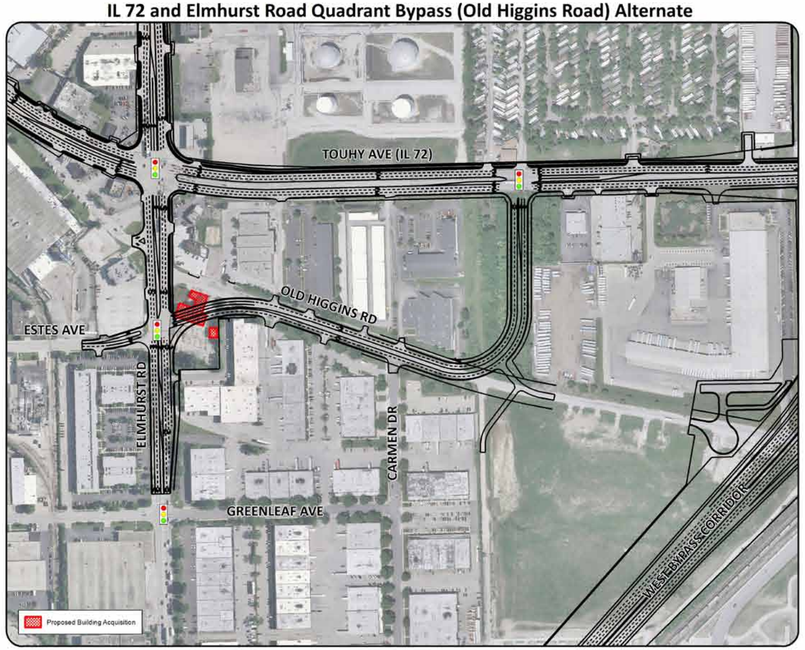


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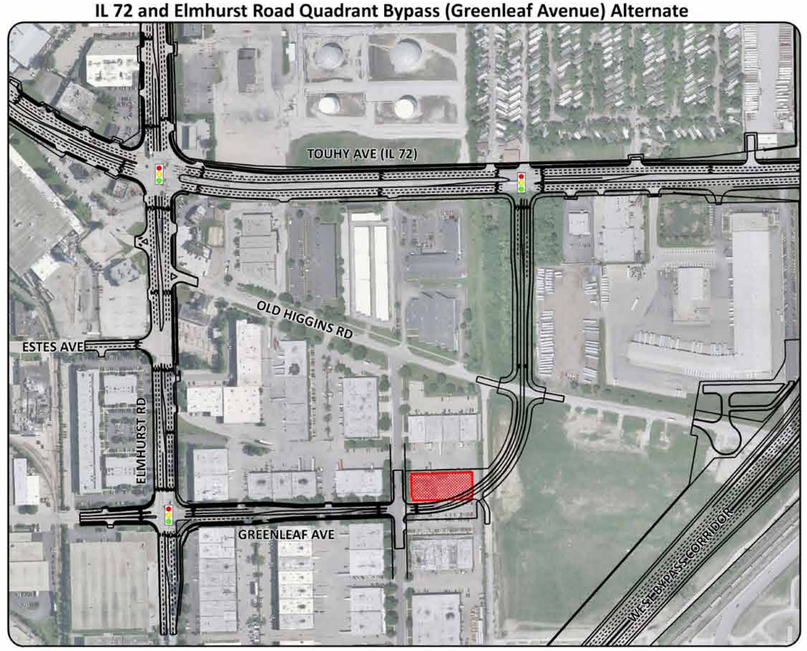

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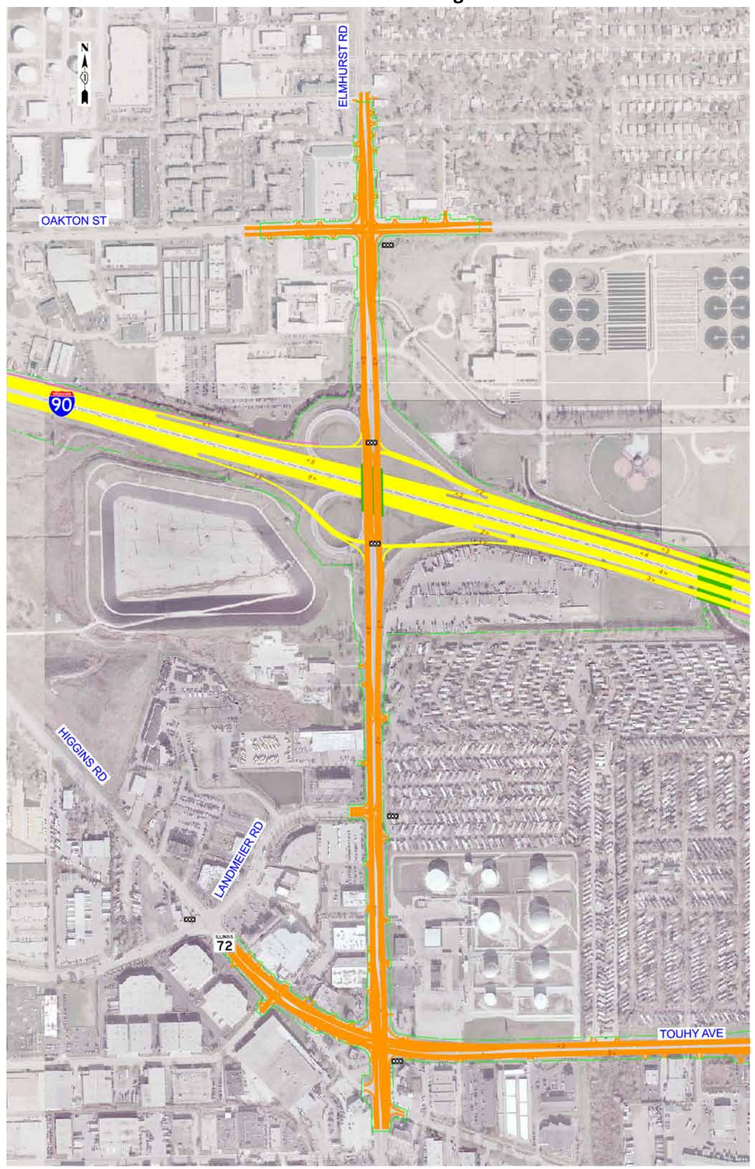
# I-90/Elmhurst Road Interchange Options

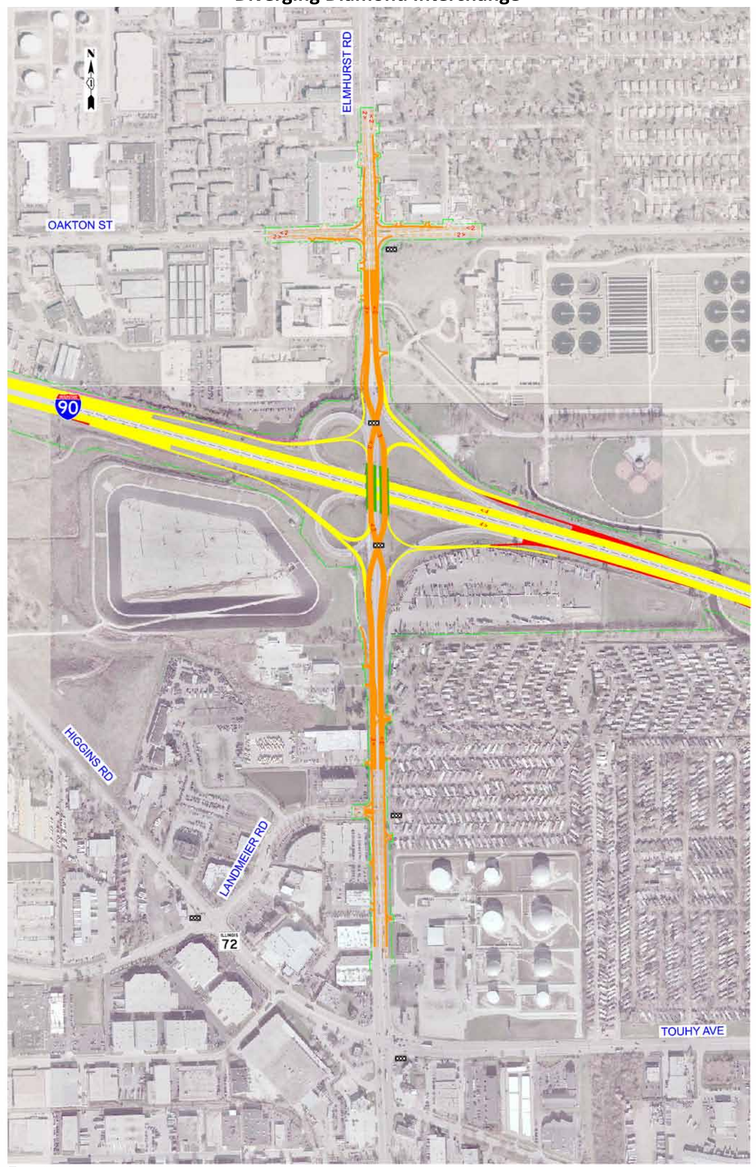
**Diamond Interchange**




Features:

- Conventional traffic pattern
- Design reduces impact to Higgins Creek
- Traffic operations are unacceptable for some movements
- Reasonable cost to construct

**Diverging Diamond Interchange**




Features:

- Unconventional traffic pattern
- Design reduces impact to Higgins Creek
- Traffic operations are acceptable
- Lowest cost to construct

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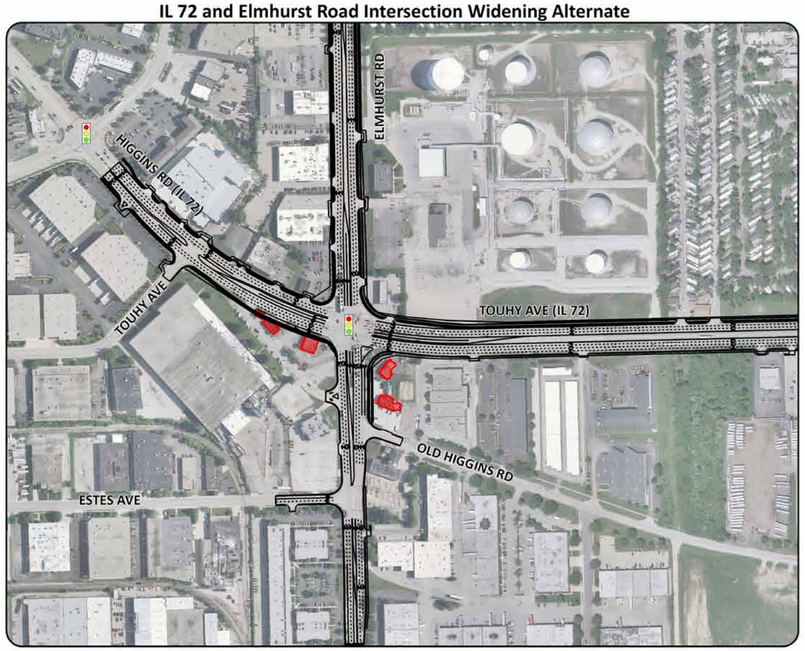


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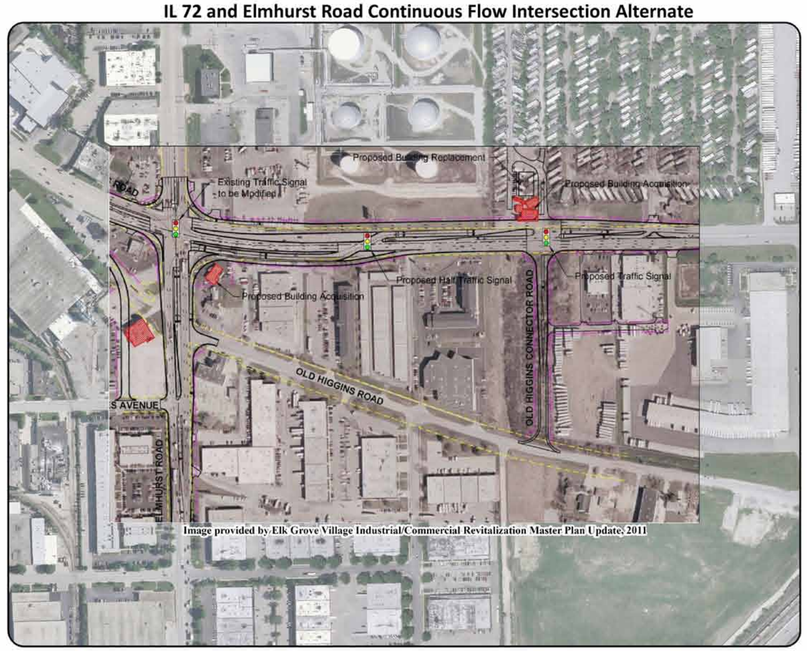


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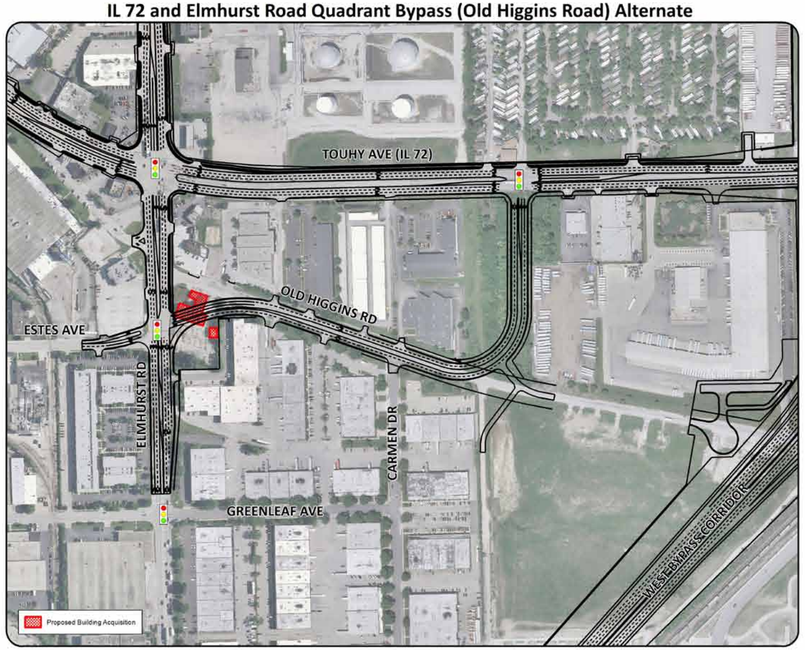


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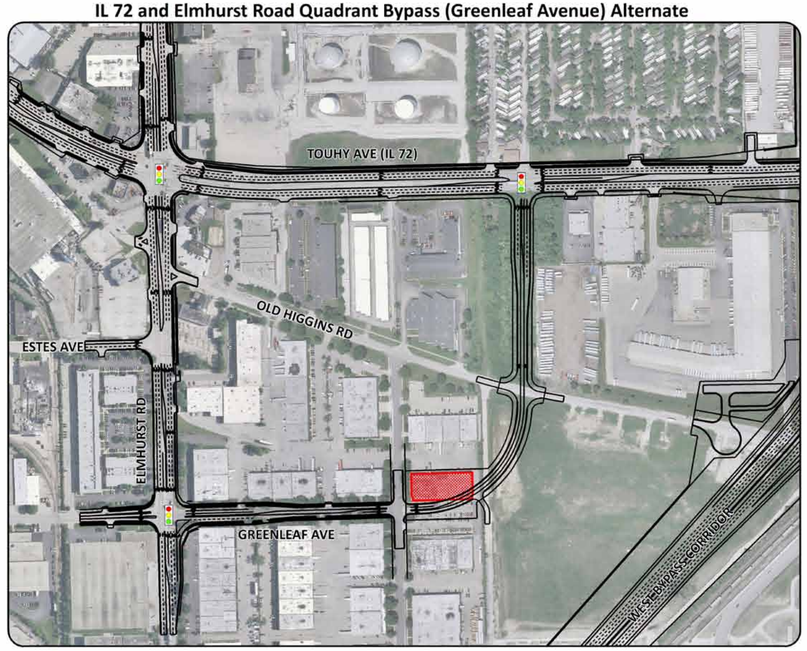

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# Permanent Road Closures




- **AEC Drive** – cul-de-sac with access to AEC Drive provided from Mittel Drive and Wood Dale Road.
- **Acorn Lane** – closed at Franklin Avenue due to proximity to the interchange ramps. Alternative access provided from Runge Street and Addison Avenue.
- **Sivert Court** – access to industrial property affected by the closure would be provided by relocating Sivert Court to a connection with the frontage road on the south side of the mainline.
- **Thorndale Avenue** – converted to access controlled Tollway.

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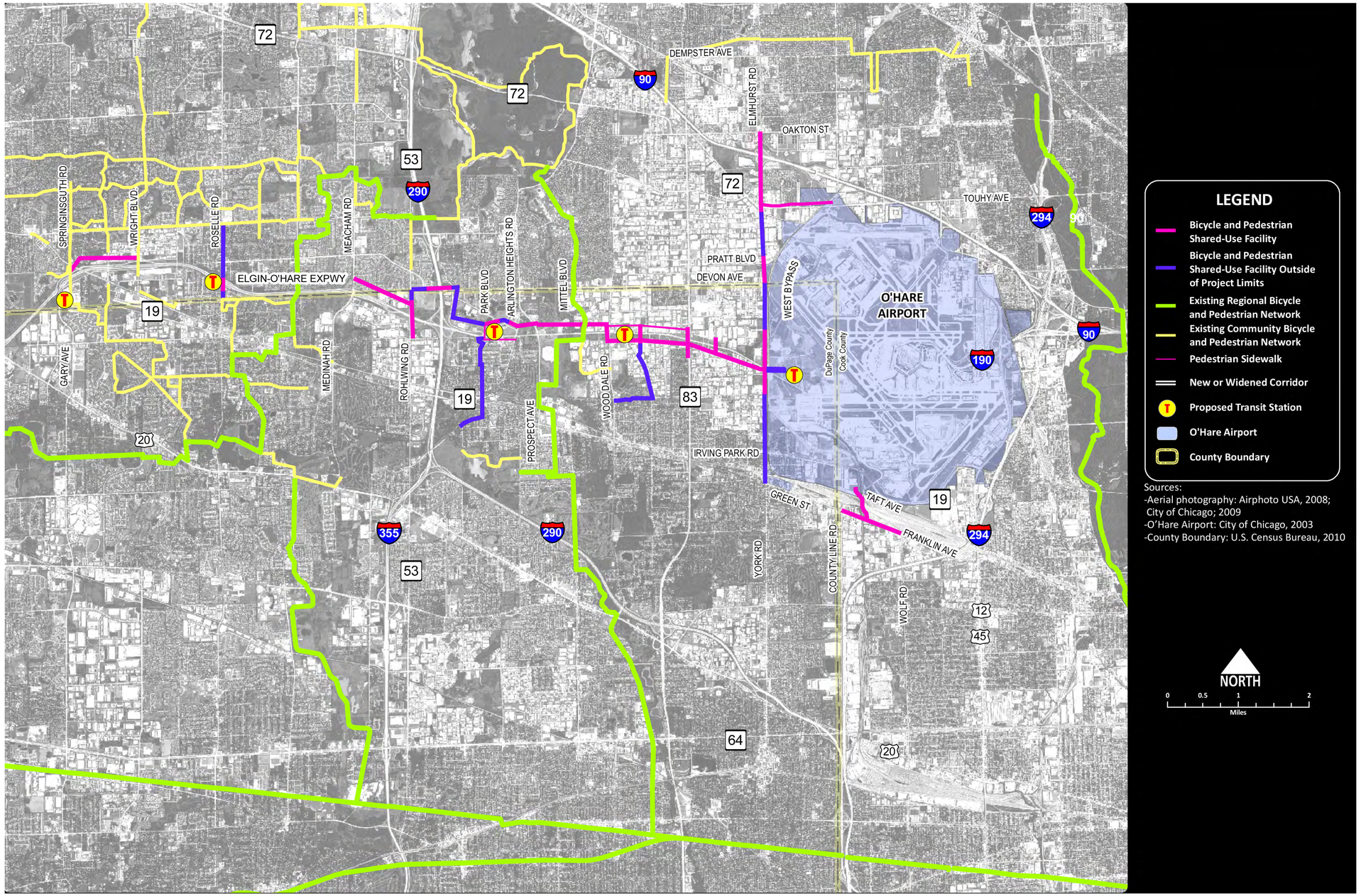
# Proposed Bicycle/ Pedestrian System Improvements

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-Aerial photography: Airphoto USA, 2008; City of Chicago; 2009
-O'Hare Airport: City of Chicago, 2003
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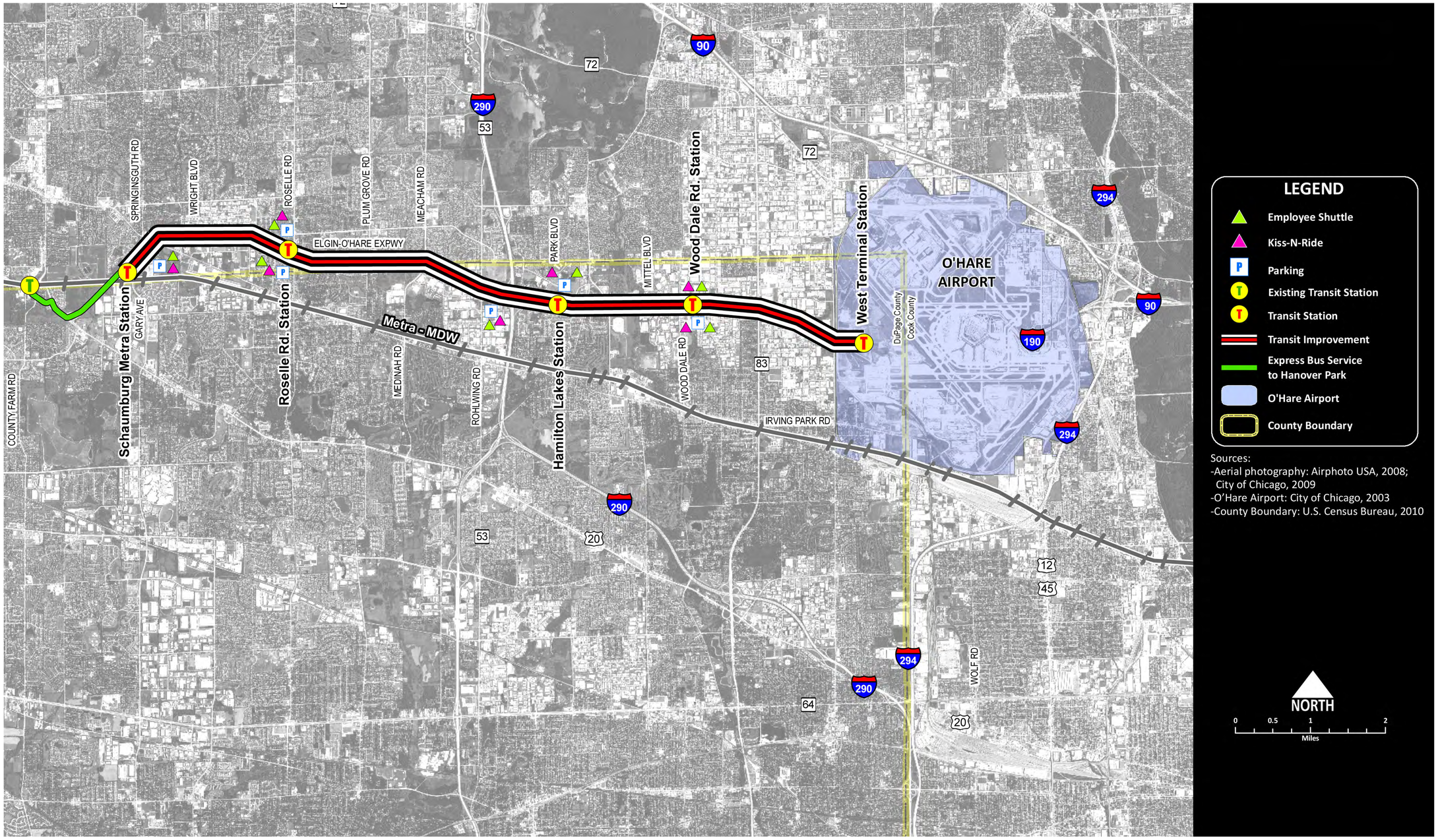
# Proposed Transit Improvements – Full Build Alternative (Unfunded)




**Initial Construction Plan includes express bus service along the Elgin O'Hare to be implemented by others*

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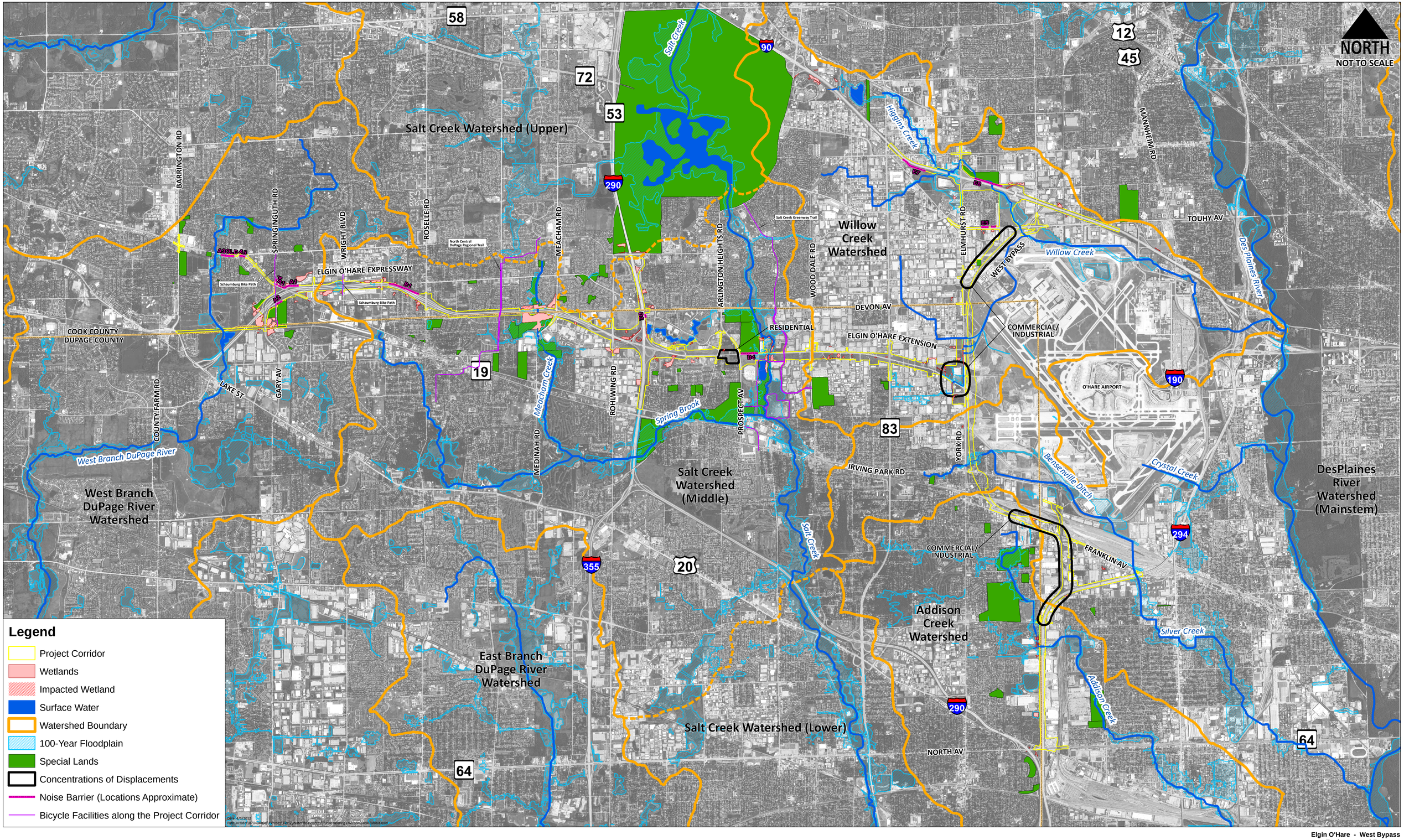
# Project Impacts & Benefits – Full Build Alternative

| Resource | Impact |
|---|---|
| Proposed right-of-way required (acre) | 596 |
| **Economic Impacts & Benefits** | **Impact** |
| Residential displacements (#) | 7 |
| Businesses displaced (employees displaced) (#) | 52 (1,352) |
| Job creation per year during construction period (# employees) | Up to 3,000 |
| Long-term job creation (permanent number of employees in project area) | 41,000 |
| **Resource Impacts** | **Impact** |
| Wetland impacts (acre) | 24.4 |
| Stream crossings (total #) | 11 |
| Surface waters impacts (acre) | 1.71 |
| 100-year Floodplain encroachments (ac/ft) | 58.2 |
| 100-year Floodway encroachments (ac/ft) | 23.4 |
| Threatened and endangered species (#) | 0 |
| Noise Receivers Impacted (#) | 213 |
| Section 4(f) resources involved/adversely affected (#) | 0 |

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# Environmental/Social Mitigation

**To the extent possible, impacts to resources were avoided or minimized. In accordance with State and Federal regulations, mitigation measures will be provided to compensate for unavoidable resource losses including:**

- Providing relocation assistance and/or compensation for displaced residences, businesses, and industries (see Land Acquisition Board).
- Restoring and/or creating wetlands offsite or outside the project area.
- Implementing stormwater management measures that control operation, quanity, and quality.
- Compensating for floodplain fill and temporarily detaining stormwater runoff resulting from an increase in impervious surface.
- Providing added capacity to the Touhy Flood Control Reservoirs.
- Controlling noise pollution during construction and implementing noise abatement in accordance with IDOT/Tollway policy.

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# Wetland Mitigation Concepts

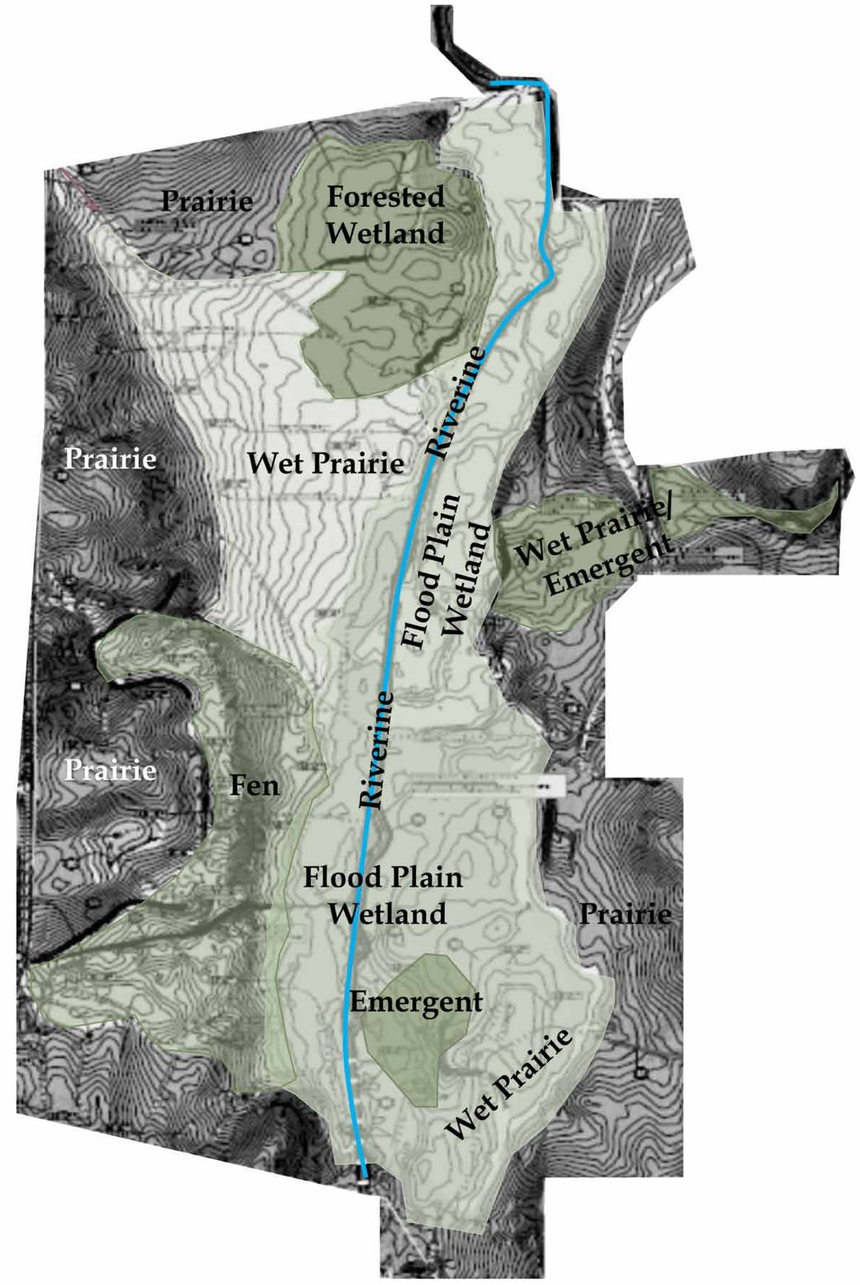
**Federal and State regulations require impacted wetlands to be replaced.**
**Wetland mitigation concepts are being coordinated with Federal and State agencies.**

## Potential mitigation strategies

- Wetland banking
- Off-site wetland creation at larger sites
- Combination of both

## Wetland mitigation needs to satisfy various Federal and State requirements

- Look for opportunities near the project corridor
- Mitigation cannot be a wildlife attractant near airports
- Acquisition of new open space is preferred over the use of existing public land




*Wetland mitigation can include several habitat types.*

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# Water Quality Best Management Practices

## Bioswales and infiltration trenches/basins benefit our water resources.

### Benefits Flood Control

- Greater infiltration yields reduced surface runoff

### Filters Pollutants

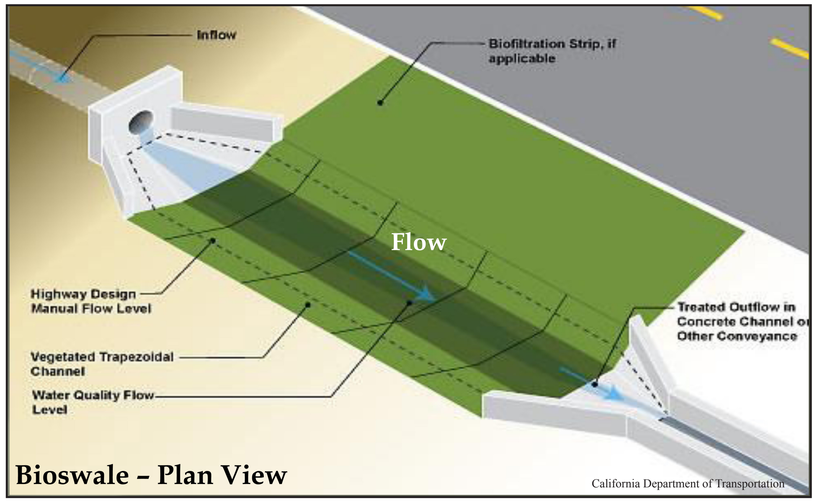
- Reduces impacts to fish and other aquatic organisms
- Removes heavy metals, total suspended solids, and oil/grease
- Reduces nutrient loading that may cause excess algae blooms

### Provides Retention and Infiltration

- Temporarily stores stormwater runoff
- Reduces runoff volumes and rates
- Recharges groundwater and sustains stream base flows
- Reduces detention needs

### Reduces Thermal Pollution

- Minimizes thermal impacts to fish and other wildlife



Bioswale – Plan View

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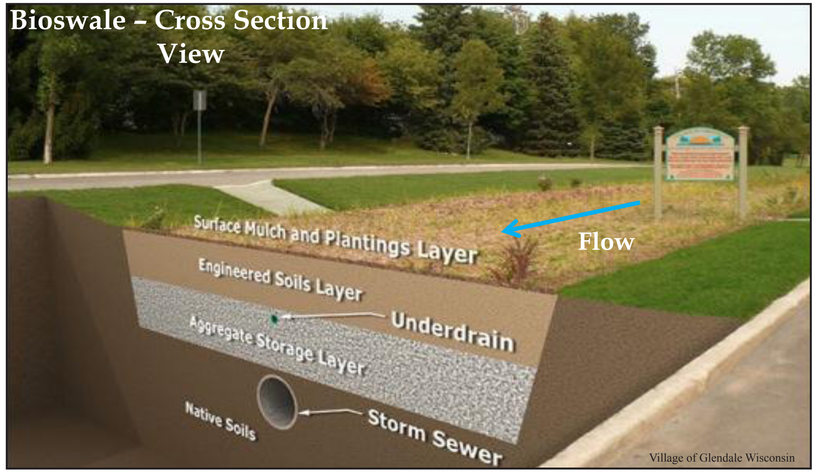

Bioswale – Cross Section View

Village of Glendale Wisconsin


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# Tree Mitigation

**In accordance with State policy, mitigation will be provided. Tree replacement will be compatible with roadway and airport requirements.**

## Visual barrier

- Aesthetically pleasing
- Can hide unsightly items or views
- Enhance visual patterns and quality

## Improves air and water quality

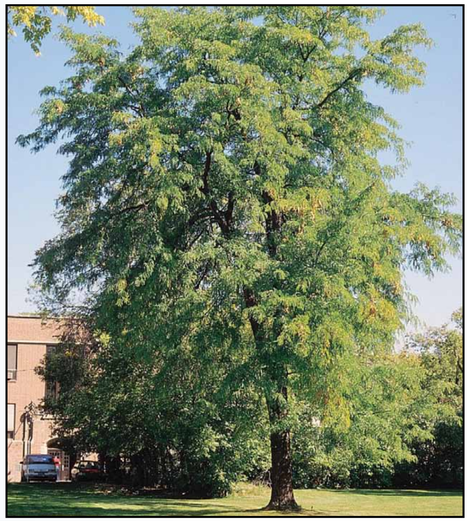
- Can reduce atmospheric carbon
- Can filter stormwater runoff
- Can absorb excess nutrients

## Improves soil stabilization

- Roots hold soil in place and reduce erosion
- Reduces detention needs

## Shading

- Can reduce temperature on road and surrounding ground



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# Potential Noise Wall Locations




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Proposed Noise Walls

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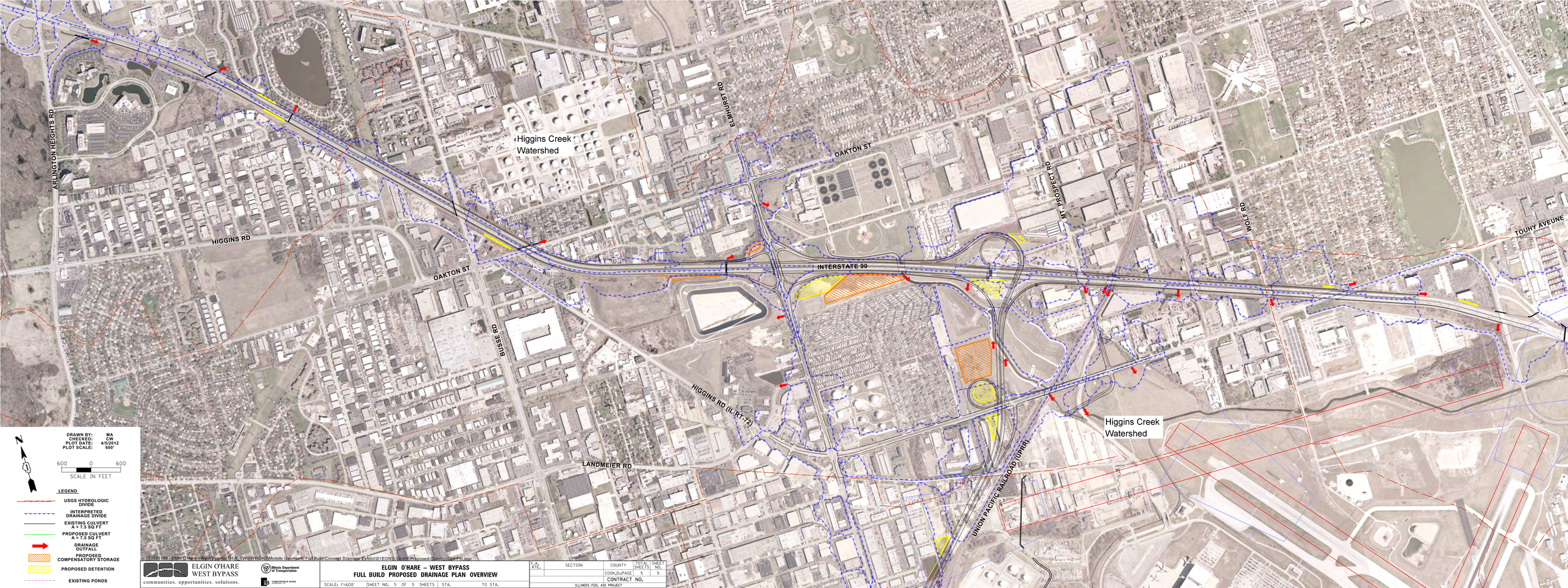

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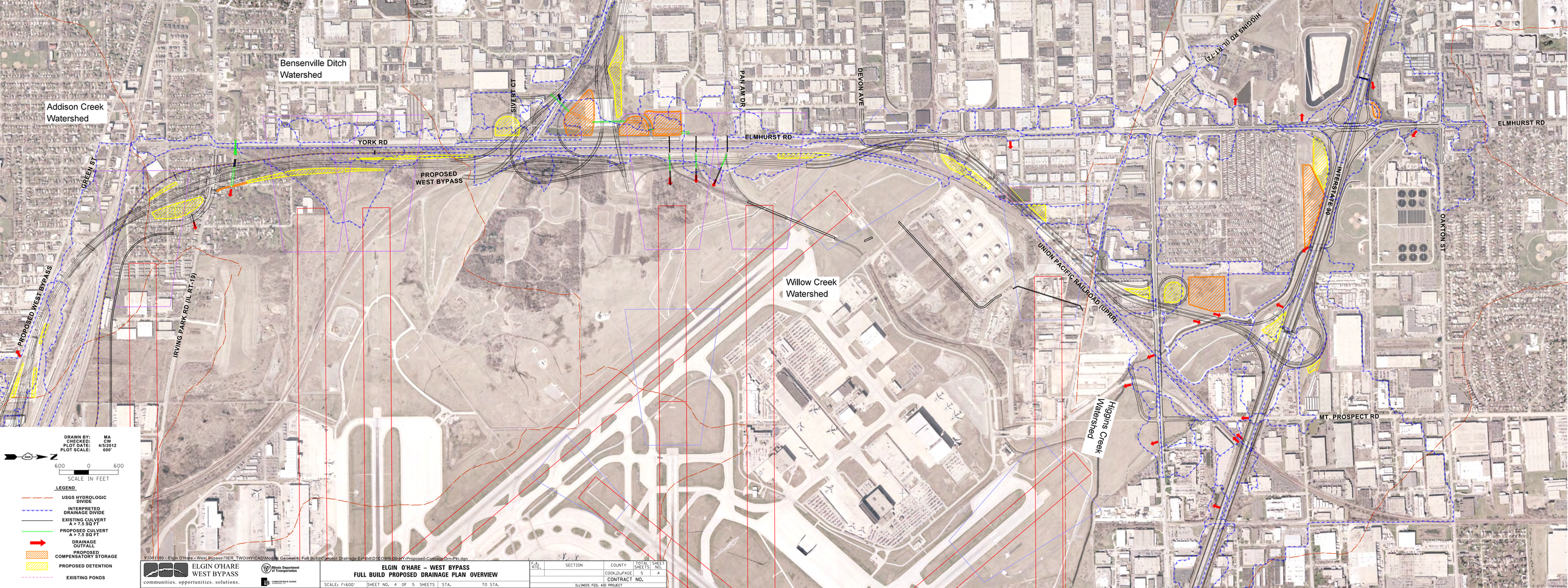
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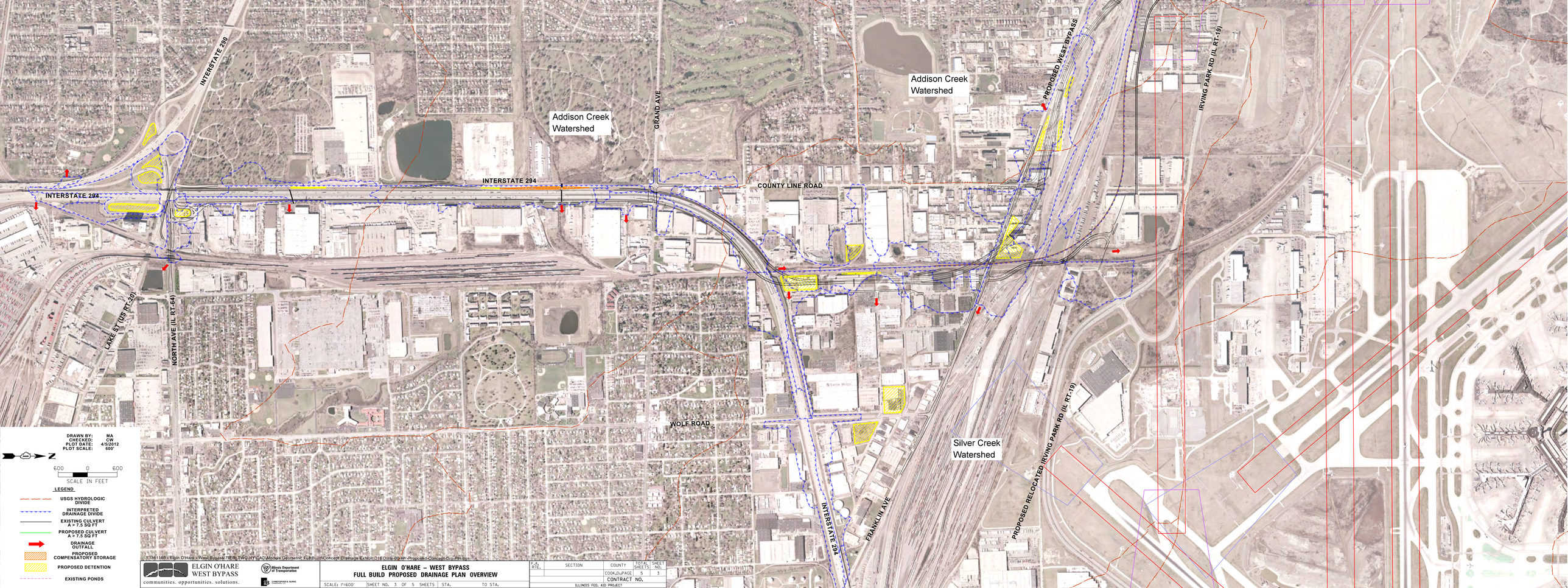


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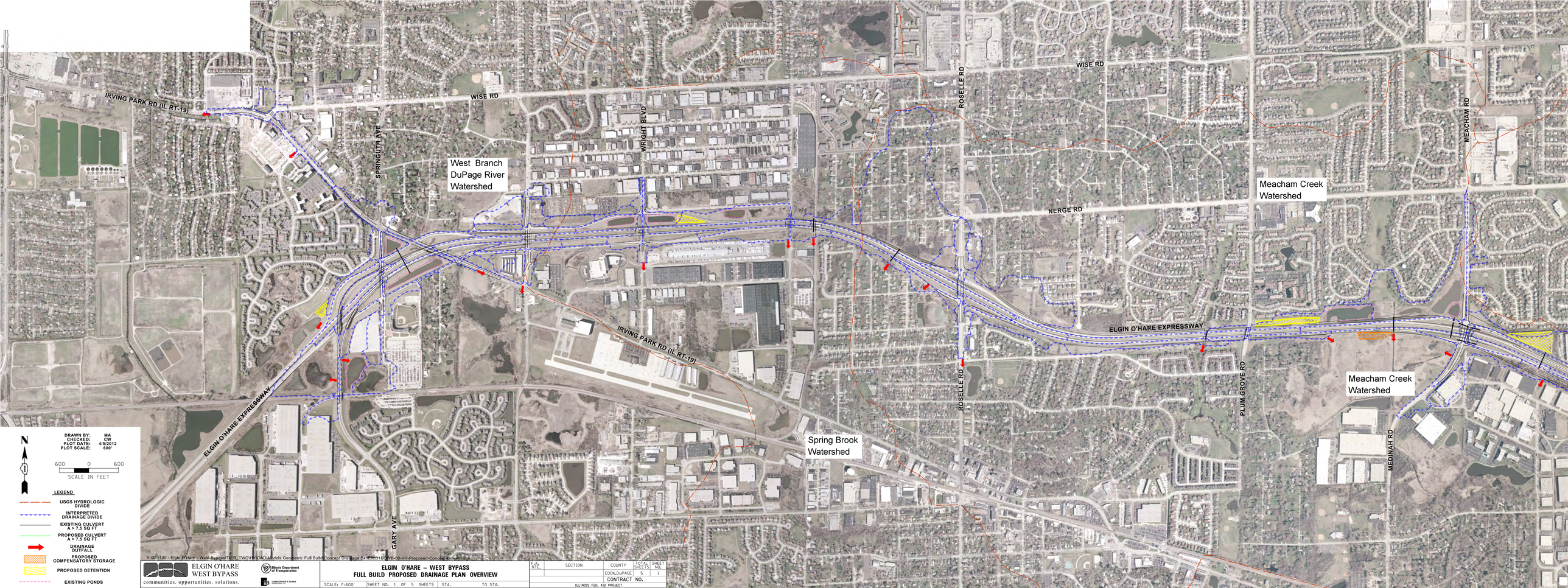


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# Land Acquisition Process

## Determine Ownership

- Identification of needed real estate
- Title commitments showing determination of ownership
- Preparation of a property description/plat of survey

## Independent Appraisal

- Appraisal by an Illinois Certified General Appraiser
- Determination of fair market value
- Reviewed by review appraiser
- Report produced

## Negotiations

- Negotiation begins with offer for property at appraised value
- If settlement cannot be reached, or clear title cannot be obtained, matter is referred to court (eminent domain)

## Relocation Program

- If relocation required, performed in accordance with Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 and 49 CFR Part 24

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# Project Schedule

| Task | 2012 1 | 2012 2 | 2012 3 | 2012 4 | 2013 1 | 2013 2 | 2013 3 | 2013 4 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **ENVIRONMENTAL** | | | | | | | | |
| Tier Two EIS | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | | | | |
| **PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING** | | | | | | | | |
| Full Build Alternative Plan | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | | | | |
| Initial Construction Plan | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ |
| **PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT** | | | | | | | | |
| Ongoing Public/Agency Coordination | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ |
| Corridor Planning Group/Corridor Aesthetic Advisory Team Meetings | ◆ | ◆ | | | | | | |
| Public Hearing | | ◆ | | | | | | |
| Quarterly Mayors Meetings | ◆ | ◆ | ◆ | ◆ | ◆ | ◆ | ◆ | ◆ |
| Local Advisory Committee (by Tollway) | | | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ |
| **FINAL DESIGN (BY TOLLWAY)** | | | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ | ▬ |

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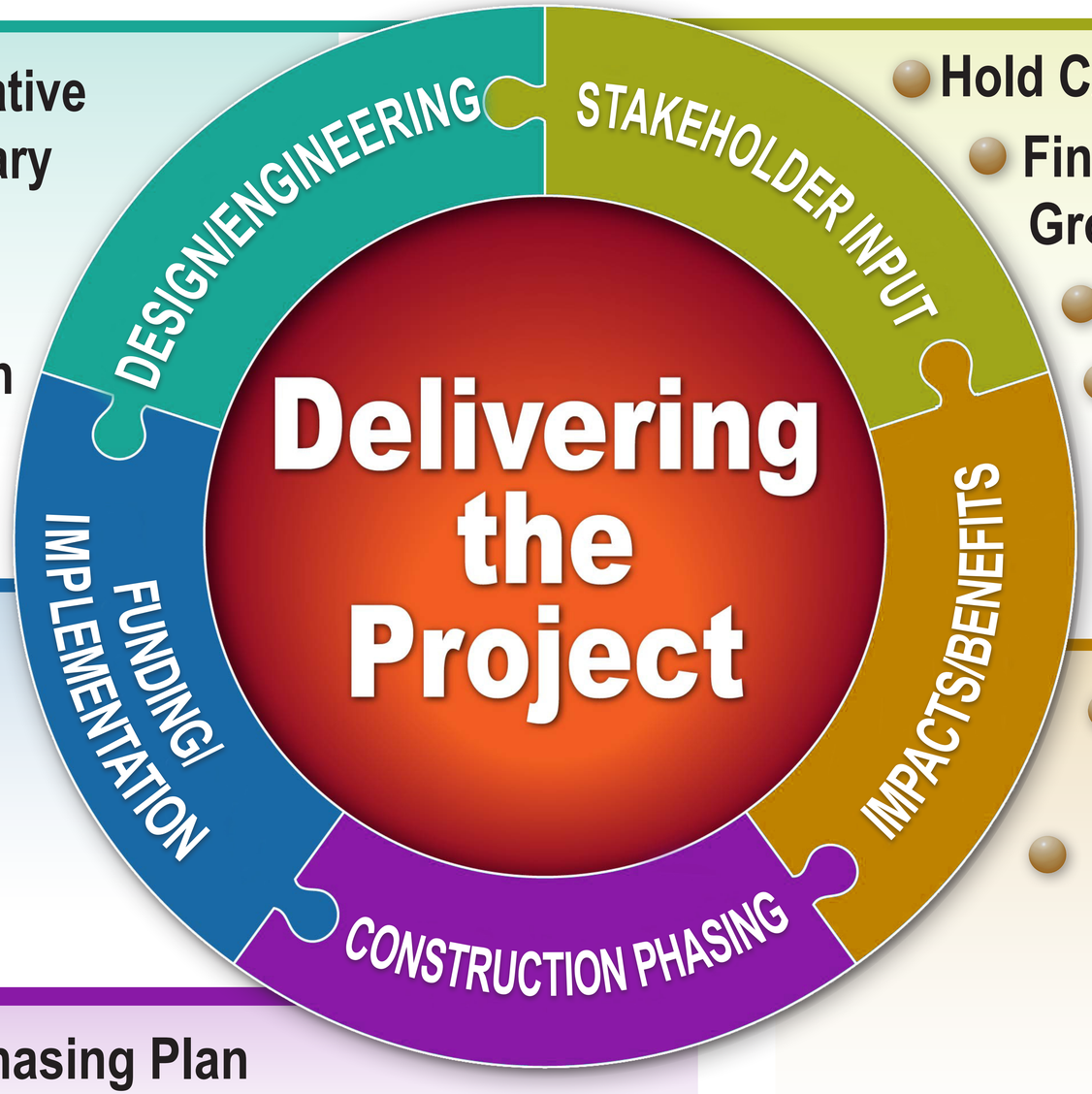
# Next Steps

- Select Preferred Alternative and Complete Preliminary Engineering
- Begin Final Design for Initial Construction Plan
- Refine Right-of-Way Requirements

- Continue Pursuit of Additional Required Funding

- Refine Construction Phasing Plan




- Hold CAAT Meeting
- Final Corridor Planning Group/Task Force Meeting
- Distribute Newsletters
- Establish Local Advisory Committee

- Publish Tier Two Final EIS (Fall 2012)
- Record of Decision (end of 2012)

# Comments & Responses

# Public Hearing Comments & Responses

- Scott Viger
- Terrence Boskelly
- Andrea & Greg Freres
- Donald Hartman
- Scott Horejs
- Scott Hudgens
- Paul Petzold
- Lorie Simon
- Ilias Zenkich
- Joseph Musso
- Patrick Cusack
- Jeanette Darnell
- Jason Defilippis
- Darren Franzen
- Daniel George
- Cathy Gucci
- Gregg Jackson
- Bob Kast
- Adam Keldermans
- Tony Lane
- Vito LaSusa
- Linda Long
- Shirish Maniar
- James McClennan
- Jay Patel
- Tom & Eileen Regnotti
- Ted Rekawik
- Jeff Rice
- Michaelangelo Safidi
- Kim Schoppe
- Doub Schreiber
- Gerry Sewart
- Sam Semrow
- Sanjay Shaw
- Shari Smagatz
- Aneta & Michal Sniadala
- William Strawn
- Gloria Taylor
- Robert Ward
- David Welch
- Patricia (web comment)

**RFI's – Materials sent**

- Michael Bram
- Gary Berthold
- Jim Estus
- Jamie Honses
- Steven Johnson
- Mark Kupiec
- Steven Magnus
- Dennis Mumm
- Jim & Judy Pichla
- Jeff Romani
- Anup Ruia
- Lindsey Senn

**No Response Required**

- John O'Neill
- Grecia Ortega

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1. Eastbound EO to York Rd. Circuitous Route

Exit west of Rte. 83 turn north (left) at signal, go under EO, turn east (right) at signal, go two blocks to Supreme Drive turn south (right) at signal and go back under the EO again to the signal at the frontage road turn east (left) and continue to York Road!

This is different than we saw before; there will be a large volume of drivers doing this

2. Frontage road and access to Sivert Ct.

Could it be slightly realigned to "save" the Peterbilt business at 140-142 Thorndale?

3. East Green Street

It appears to have a non-mountable median that would block left turn movements to and from Podlin Avenue and Domenic Court. There should be a break.

Two 'staff' at the Open House gave me two different answers on this question.

I (do ■ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: Scott R. Viger

Address: Village of Bensenville
12 S. Center St.
Bensenville, IL 60106

Phone: 630.350.3411

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August 31, 2012

Mr. Scott Viger
Director of Community Development
Village of Bensenville
12 S. Center Street
Bensenville, IL 60106

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided during the public comment period

Dear Mr. Viger:

Thank you for the comment you provided during the public comment period.

1 In your comment, you expressed concern regarding the proposed design of the frontage road between IL 83 and Supreme Drive. This section of frontage road has been redesigned as a continuous frontage road between IL 83 and York Road, where the section between IL 83 and Supreme Drive is one-way eastbound, and the remaining section to York Road is two-way travel. The revised design is contingent upon the Illinois Commerce Commission's (ICC) approval of an at-grade railroad crossing on the proposed frontage road east of Illinois Route 83.

2 In reference to your question about realigning the frontage road and access to Sivert Court for the purpose of avoiding Peterbilt located on Thorndale Avenue, we offer the following. Alternatives for avoiding impact to the business were evaluated, but unfortunately none were found practicable. The frontage road is optimally located to provide the proper curve for the roadway and accommodate drainage. Its location is also constrained by the potential future bus rapid transit line under York Road north of the proposed frontage road intersection. The realigned access to Sivert Court could be relocated to avoid the building, but the frontage road would still cause it to be displaced.

3 Lastly, you expressed interest in the provision of a mountable median on East Green Street that allows left turning movements to and from Podlin Avenue and Domenic Court. A barrier median will extend from County Line Road to Taft Road to minimize turning movements and cross access. With interchanges at both County Line Road and Taft Road, traffic movement along this section of Green Street cannot be comprised; therefore, a barrier is planned. At Podlin Avenue and Domenic Court right-in and right-out movements will be permitted.

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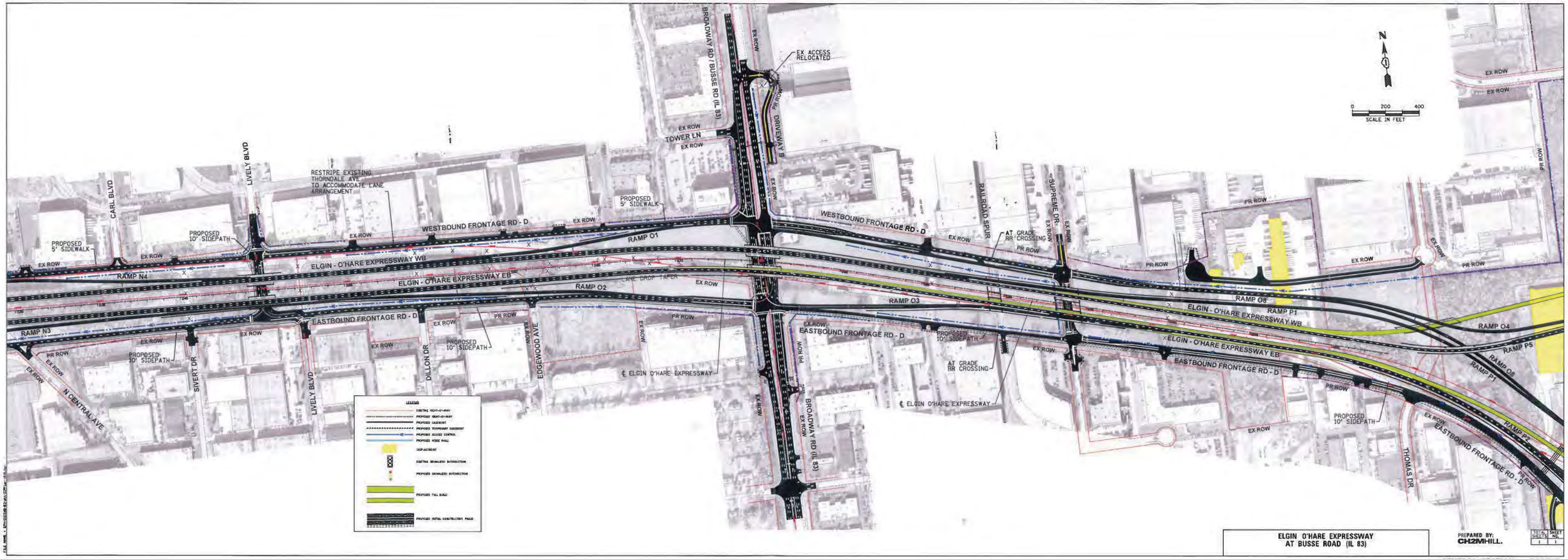
Attachment

cc: Michael Cassidy, Village Manager, Village of Bensenville

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that issue addressed, and that's at 850 Elmhurst Road. There's a school bus parking lot on the property, and the only access in and out of the property is off of or onto Elmhurst Road.

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MR. BOSKELLY: Mr. Terrence J. Boskelly, B O S K E L L Y, 1070 Tennessee Lane, Elk Grove Village, Illinois 60007.

I'd like to say that this sound barrier, where they have the proposal here, I would like it to stay where it's at. It shows it being moved to the north of the pond. I would like it to stay south of the pond, where it basically exists right now. So I kind of oppose this proposal of where they want to move it to. 1

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August 31, 2012

Mr. Terrence Boskelly
1070 Tennessee Lane
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re:
Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Boskelly:

Thank you for the comment you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

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cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

MS. FRERES: Andrea and Greg, G R E G, Freres, F R E R E S, 1089 Florida Lane, Elk Grove Village, Illinois.

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Mr. and Mrs. Greg Freres
1089 Florida Lane
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
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Dear Mr. and Mrs. Freres:

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cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

MR. HUDGINS: Scott Hudgins, 1062 Tennessee Lane, Elk Grove Village, H U D G I N S.

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MR. HARTMAN: My name is Donald Hartman, H A R T M A N, at 1074 Tennessee Lane, Elk Grove Village.

1 This is pertaining to the noise wall. We would like to retain the noise wall if it stays in its current location and doesn't move north of the retention pond. And we'd also like it to be made of something aesthetically pleasing. Thank you.

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Mr. Donald Hartman
1074 Tennessee Lane
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re:
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cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

MR. MUSSO: I'm the property owner, Joseph, J O S E P H, Musso, M U S S O.

And I'm leaving a comment in regards to the intersection alternatives for Illinois Route 72 and Elmhurst Road. I would like to say as a business owner that we support either the Old Higgins Road alternate or the Greenleaf Avenue alternate. I believe it would be far less detrimental to our business and have a more positive impact. Thank you.

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MR. HOREJS: Scott Horejs, H O R E J S, 209 East Murray Drive, M U R R A Y, in Wood Dale, Illinois 60191.

1 I'm for the full build of the ring road, and I'm also for any additional improvements, transit and bicycle and pedestrian.

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Mr. Scott Horejs
209 East Murray Drive
Wood Dale, IL 60191

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
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Dear Mr. Horejs:

We are writing to acknowledge and thank you for the comment you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing, which stated general support for the project.

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1246 Dover Lane
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

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Dear Mr. Petzold:

We are writing to acknowledge and thank you for the comment you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing, which noted the helpfulness of project staff.

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# COMMENT FORM

ELGIN O'HARE WEST BYPASS

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1 THE mailer I received showed the sound barrier as going thru my backyard. After speaking with Ron Krall here, it was stated that the mailer is wrong. Noise barrier is shown incorrectly. I DO NOT WANT A NOISE BARRIER IN MY YARD! If it is by the on ramp that is fine.

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: LORIE SIMON
Address: 1065 FLORIDA LANE
ELK GROVE, IL 60007
Phone: 847.301.2787

MS. SIMON: Lorie Simon, L O R I E, S I M O N. 1065 Florida Lane, in Elk Grove.

1 So, okay, here's the problem. The mailing we received shows the potential noise barrier as directly in my backyard. The map here is saying that the mailing was incorrect.

So I don't want the noise barrier if it's going to be directly along our yard line, but if it is going to be along the street line, I do vote yes.

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MR. ZENKICH: My name is Ilias, I L I A S. Last name is Z, as in zebra, E N K I C H, Zenkich.

I have an issue with the Elmhurst Road development. And I don't know if you can take a quick look, but I'm trying to explain it as best I can.

When they make this median here (indicating), there's going to be no ability to cross and make a left turn out of the property and no left turn into the property off of Elmhurst Road. And I need to have that. And she said it's because of some kind of issue with crossing the road. But this driveway here (indicating) is going to have access either way. So I need to have

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Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

MS. SIMON: Lorie Simon, L O R I E, S I M O N. 1065 Florida Lane, in Elk Grove.

So, okay, here's the problem. The mailing we received shows the potential noise barrier as directly in my backyard. The map here is saying that the mailing was incorrect.

So I don't want the noise barrier if it's going to be directly along our yard line, but if it is going to be along the street line, I do vote yes.

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MR. ZENKICH: My name is Ilias, I L I A S. Last name is Z, as in zebra, E N K I C H, Zenkich.

I have an issue with the Elmhurst Road development. And I don't know if you can take a quick look, but I'm trying to explain it as best I can.

1 When they make this median here (indicating), there's going to be no ability to cross and make a left turn out of the property and no left turn into the property off of Elmhurst Road. And I need to have that. And she said it's because of some kind of issue with crossing the road. But this driveway here (indicating) is going to have access either way. So I need to have

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Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass
Cook and DuPage Counties

October 8, 2012

Mr. Ilias Zenkich
850 Elmhurst Road
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Zenkich:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 In your comment, you expressed concern regarding the potential restriction of left-turn movements into and out of your property. Access control measures are required for the expansion of Elmhurst Road to six lanes and include a raised median in the vicinity of your property. Initially, the proposed improvements included the restriction of all left-turn movements into and out of your driveway on the west side of Elmhurst Road. However, in consideration of your comment, a northbound to westbound left-turn lane has now been incorporated into the Elmhurst Road design to allow left-turns from Elmhurst Road into your property with school bus parking, but left-turn movements out of the Private Drive to Elmhurst Road continue to be restricted. Please see the attached exhibit.

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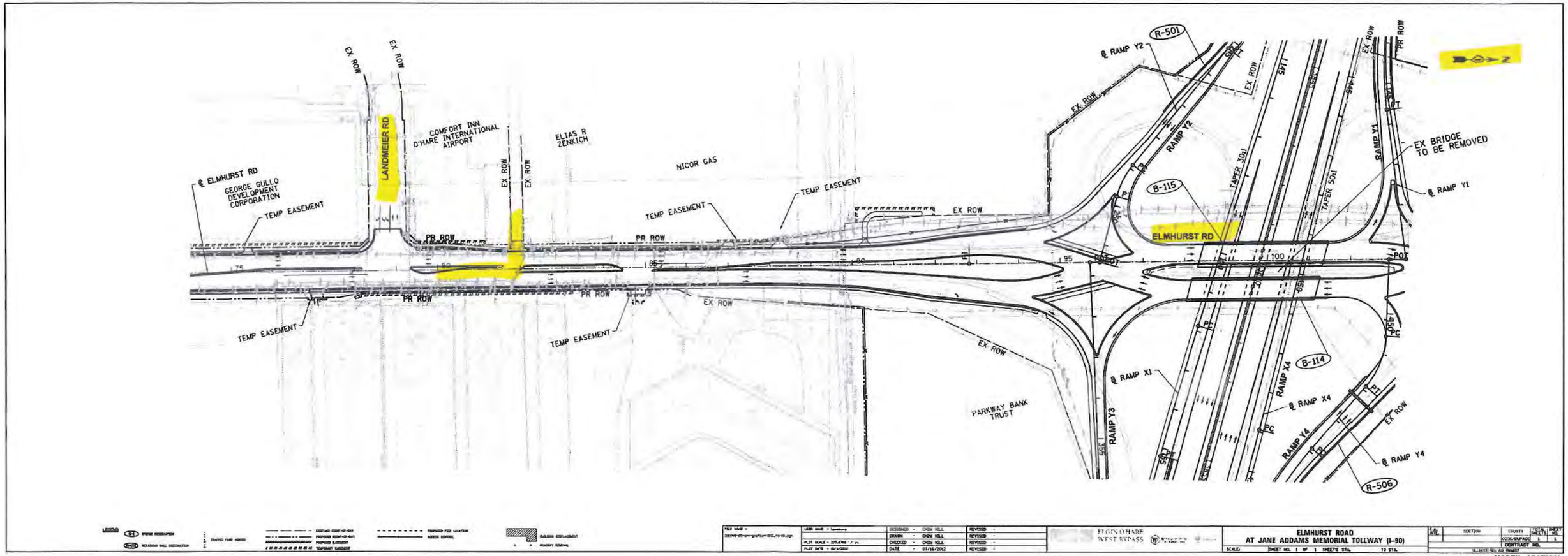
cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village




LEGEND

ELGIN O'HARE WEST BYPASS

**ELMHURST ROAD**
**AT JANE ADDAMS MEMORIAL TOLLWAY (I-90)**

NORTH SECTION

MR. MUSSO: I'm the property owner, Joseph, J O S E P H, Musso, M U S S O.

And I'm leaving a comment in regards to the intersection alternatives for Illinois Route 72 and Elmhurst Road. I would like to say as a business owner that we support either the Old Higgins Road alternate or the Greenleaf Avenue alternate. I believe it would be far less detrimental to our business and have a more positive impact. Thank you.

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MR. HOREJS: Scott Horejs, H O R E J S, 209 East Murray Drive, M U R R A Y, in Wood Dale, Illinois 60191.

I'm for the full build of the ring road, and I'm also for any additional improvements, transit and bicycle and pedestrian.

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I.D.O.T.

FIRST, THANK YOU, THE MEETING WAS VERY INFORMATIVE.

I HAVE A QUESTION REGARDING YOUR NOISE WALL (D1) AT THE BIRSTERFIELD / I290 INTERCHANGE. I WANT TO KNOW APPROXIMATELY WHEN CONSTRUCTION WILL BEGIN. I ALSO WANT TO KNOW THE PROPOSED HEIGHT OF THE WALL AT VARIOUS STAGES BETWEEN DIXON & BIRSTORFIELD ESPECIALLY AT THE NORTHBOUND EXIT RAMP.

1 I LIVE RIGHT AT THE RAMP AND THE EXISTING NOISE COMING DOWN FROM THE HACKWAY POINT UP THE RAMP IS UNBEARABLE. I WANT TO BE SURE THAT THIS PORTION WILL HAVE THE HIGHEST (25 FT) BARRIER. AT THIS POINT MY YARD IS APPROX. 100 FT. FROM THE RAMP. I WOULD REALLY LIKE TO SIT OUT ON MY PATIO & HAVE COFFEE IN THE A.M. WITHOUT THE CONSTANT NOISE.

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: PATRICK J. CUSACK
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ELK GROVE IL. 60007
Phone: Home 847-640-6876
WORK 847-699 5233
EMAIL PCUSACK@PARKER.COM

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August 31, 2012

Mr. Patrick Cusack
1006 Martha Street
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re:
Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Cusack:

Thank you for the comment you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

In your comment, you indicated support for a noise wall in your area and had questions regarding noise wall parameters and the construction schedule. The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) is currently evaluating all input received from the public and developing recommendations regarding noise wall locations, lengths, and heights. Material type and aesthetic features of the walls will be determined during final design with input from the Illinois Tollway's Local Advisory Committee, which will begin meeting later this fall.

1

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The project is being constructed by the Illinois Tollway as part of the 15-year capital program, Move Illinois: The Illinois Tollway Driving the Future (Move Illinois Program.) As indicated in the Move Illinois Program, construction near the I-290 interchange is scheduled to occur between 2013 and 2017.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705- 4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

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Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

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Con-way Freight at 401 W. Touhy Ave Des Plaines, IL objects to the temporary easement scope. The proposed temp. easement would substantially interfere with daily operations at this location. We request input on size/scope/duration of easement. As well as continous access to the property during construction from both Touhy Ave and Old Higgins Rd.
We request contact with Con-way Freight at headquarters address:

2211 Old Earhart Rd
Suite 100
Ann Arbor MI 48105
Attn: Legal / Real Estate

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: Jeanette Darnell
Address: 2211 Old Earhart Rd
Suite 100
Ann Arbor MI 48105
Phone: 734-757-1273

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October 5, 2012

Ms. Jeannette Darnell
Con-way Freight
Attn: Legal/Real Estate
2211 Old Earhart Road, Suite 100
Ann Arbor, MI 48105

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Ms. Darnell:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 Your comment expressed concern regarding maintaining operations at Con-way Freight on Touhy Avenue in Des Plaines during construction. Construction staging plans have not yet been developed. During the final design process, the Illinois Tollway will prepare maintenance of traffic plans for each section of construction to maintain traffic through the construction zone and access to adjacent properties. The maintenance of traffic plan will be coordinated with the City of Des Plaines and details of the plan will be shared with property owners. Ample notification will occur prior to construction, and any concerns can be discussed further with the Illinois Tollway at that time.

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Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Timothy Oakley, Director of Public Works and Engineering, City of Des Plaines

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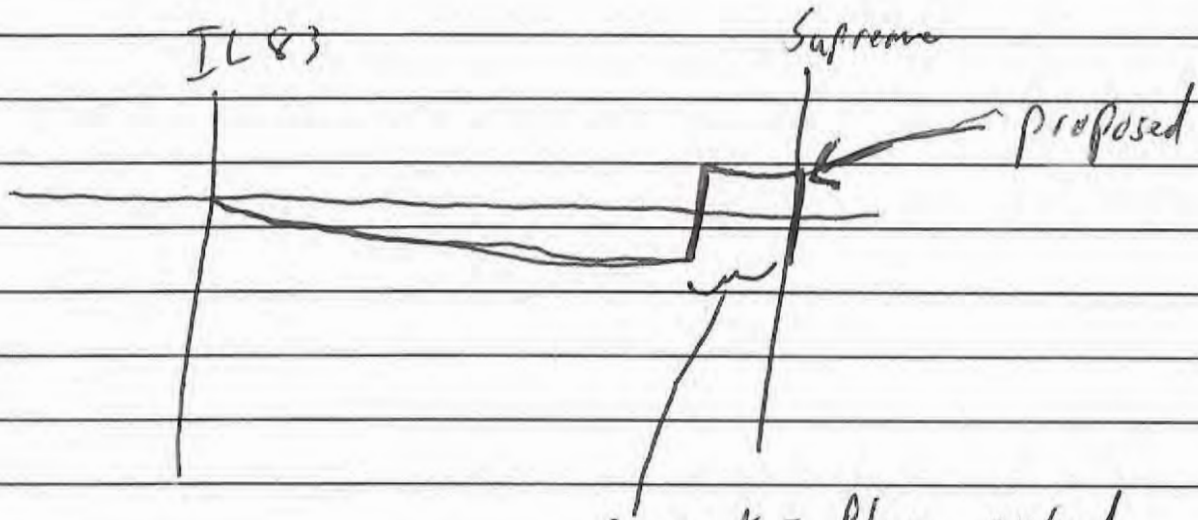
Heading Eastbound on the tollway, Please provide direct access between IL-83 and Supreme opposed to going back under the express way North, over the tracks to Supreme.




I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: Jason DeFilippis
Address: 2 N. LaSalle 9th Floor
Chicago, IL 60602
Phone: 312 324 5922

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Mr. Jason DeFilipps
2 N. LaSalle, 9th Floor
Chicago, IL 60602

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. DeFilipps:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 Your comments expressed concern regarding the proposed design of the frontage road between Illinois Route 83 and Supreme Drive. This section of the frontage road has been redesigned as a continuous frontage road between Illinois Route 83 and York Road, where the section between Illinois Route 83 and Supreme Drive is one-way eastbound, and the remaining section to the east accomodates two-way travel. The revised design is contingent upon Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC) approval of an at-grade railroad crossing on the proposed frontage road east of Illinois Route 83, (see the attached exhibit).

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by email at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

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Attachment




**CENTRAL SECTION – PART B**

# COMMENT FORM

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THIS PROJECT FILLS A MUCH-NEEDED GAP IN TRANSIT FROM THE WEST SUBURBS TOWARDS O'HARE. THE PARTICIPATION OF IDOT WILL HELP MOVE THIS FORWARD QUICKLY.

BUILD IT NOW!

I (do ☐ do not ☒) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: DARREN T FRANZEN
Address: 235 HOME AVE
ITASCA IL 60143
Phone: 630 668 0724

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October 5, 2012

Mr. Darren T. Franzen
235 Home Avenue
Itasca, IL 60143

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Franzen:

1 We are writing to acknowledge and thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing, which stated general support for the project.

The Tier Two Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) is expected to be distributed later this year and will incorporate public and agency comments received on the Tier Two Draft EIS and from the Public Hearing. As the project advances, IDOT and the Illinois Tollway will continue to coordinate with those affected by the project.

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By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Evan Teich, Village Administrator, Village of Itasca

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My family lives at the north end of Lincoln. Our property runs up against the existing IDOT right of way. There are 2 things that concern me:

1

(1) Noise - We absolutely need the noise wall. We cannot sit in our backyard today & have a conversation. Additional traffic will have me closing my windows even more in an attempt to shut out the noise.

2

(2) Water - Any decent amount of rain results in runoff from the EOE to the low-lying area north of our property & eventually standing water at the end of our drive way where I cannot get my cars in & out & water running down our block for hours. Please resolve the grading problem with the noise wall installation. Our basement has flooded multiple times because of the water runoff

Thank you for your consideration. I look forward to a response.

I (do ☒ do not ☐) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: Daniel George
Address: 1720 Lincoln St
Roselle, IL 60172
Phone: 224-217-0410

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October 5, 2012

Mr. Daniel George
1720 Lincoln Street
Roselle, IL 60172

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. George:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 Your comments indicated support for the noise wall in your area. IDOT is currently evaluating all input received from the public and developing recommendations regarding noise wall locations, lengths, and heights. IDOT's final recommendations will be presented in the Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). Material type and aesthetic features of the walls will be determined during final design with input from the Illinois Tollway's Local Advisory Committee, which will begin meeting later this fall.

2 Your comments also indicated concern regarding flooding in your area. A review of the plans for the original construction of the Elgin O'Hare Expressway indicates that approximately 40 percent of the land within the highway right-of-way originally draining to a pipe culvert and a well-defined channel near Lincoln Street. This drainage has been rerouted easterly since that time. The construction of the existing Elgin O'Hare Expressway reduced stormwater runoff volume and peak discharge to the concerned area. The future construction of the "Full Build" expressway would further reduce the highway runoff tributary area to this location. Therefore, the proposed improvements will not worsen the drainage conditions.

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John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Jeffrey O'Dell, Village Administrator, Village of Roselle

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I'm disappointed that a road I currently use (E0 from Meacham to I 290) will now be toll. Also with no information as to how the city will handle access to the eastern (term 1,2,3+5) terminals I see no advantage to building this road!

2

This ~~road~~ project will only cost me more money (toll) each morning & doesn't make getting to O'Hare easier.

My vote is don't build this road!

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: Cathy Gucci
Address: 901 Cross Creek Dr. No.
Roselle IL 60172
Phone: 312-371-5087

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October 5, 2012

Ms. Cathy Gucci
961 Cross Creek Drive
Roselle, IL 60172

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Ms. Gucci:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 In your comment, you expressed opposition to tolling the Elgin O'Hare Expressway between Meacham Road and I-290. An extensive analysis was conducted to determine the most viable way to fund the proposed improvements. In addition, an Advisory Council was also formed to develop a strategy for funding the project. Many alternatives were examined, including traditional federal and state funding sources, tolling all or portions of the improvements, local funding sources, and federal loans. The result of the analysis concluded that tolling would fulfill the Advisory Council's objective of identifying a viable funding mechanism.

2 An analysis was also conducted to determine if all or a portion of the proposed improvements should be tolled. Several variations were examined, but the conclusions were always similar. Excluding sections of the project from tolling would result in lower total revenue, causing a major shortfall in funding. As such, the full extent of the proposed project would be tolled. Please see our November, 2010 Corridor Planning Group Presentation at:

http://www.elginohare-westbypass.org/TierTwo_StakeholderWorkingGroups/101116_CPG_PDF_VERSION.pdf

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cc: Jeff O'Dell, Village Administrator, Village of Roselle

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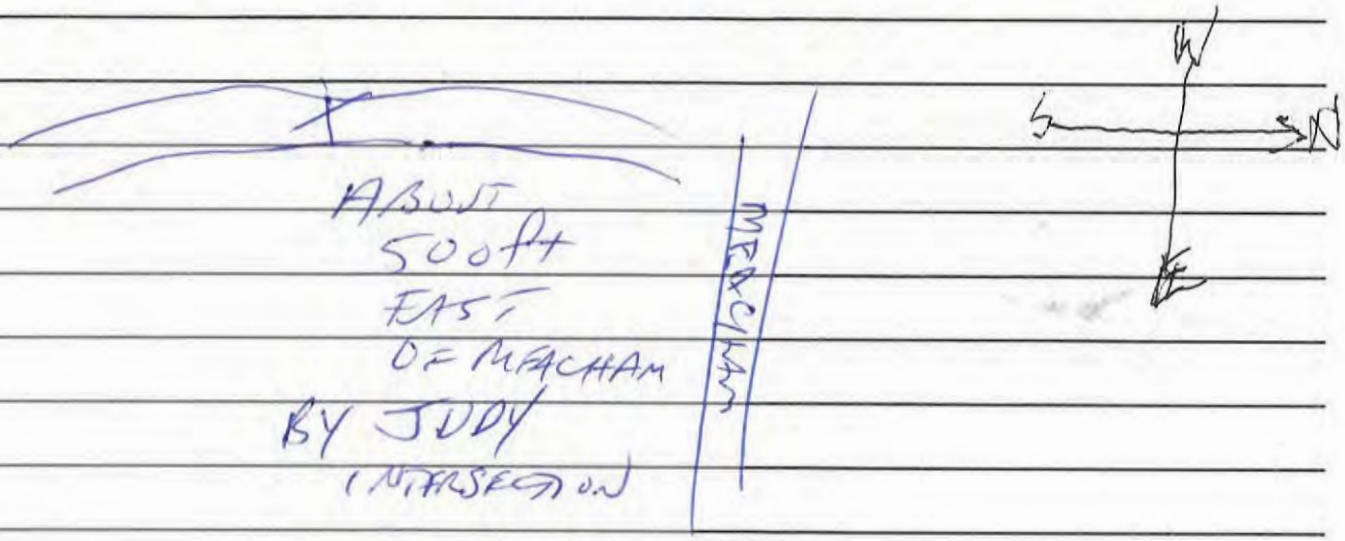
PLEASE CHECK OUT BUMP ON PAVEMENT ON WEST BOUND EAST RAMP FOR MEACHAM ROAD. IT SHAKES OUR HOUSE WHEN TRUCKS HIT IT. SHAKES PICTURES / MIRRORS IN OUR HOME !!!




PLEASE REPAIR A.S.A.P. BEFORE PROJECT STARTS.

I (do ☑ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: GREGG JACKSON

Address: 1715 ROOSA LANE
ELK GROVE, IL 60007

Phone: 708 372-2556

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October 5, 2012

Mr. Gregg Jackson
1715 Roosa Lane
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Jackson:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 Your comment noted that truck movements on the westbound exit ramp to Meacham Road causes your house to shake, and you indicated that the road may be in need of repair. In response to your concern, this section of roadway was patched in May of this year.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by email at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

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By:
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cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

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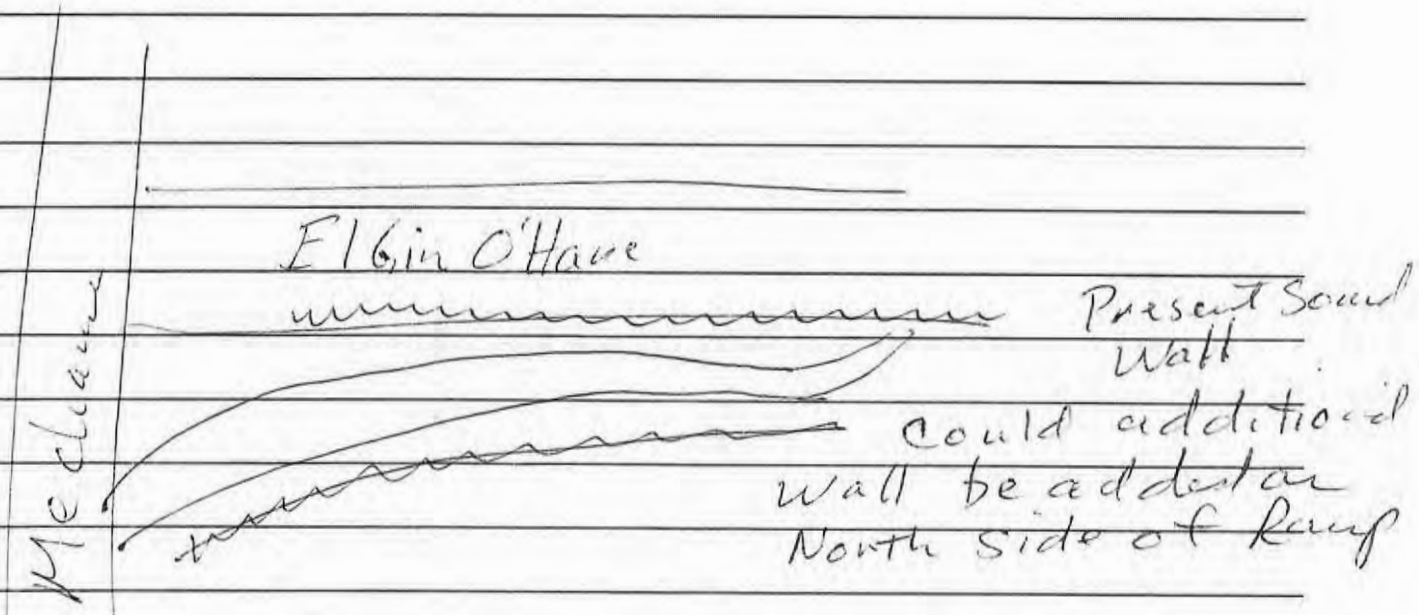
Noise Concern

Median Ramp (west bound)
ie Noise created by
Vehicle truck going west
onto Elgin O'Hare




I (do ☒ do not ☐) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: Bob Kast
Address: 1034 Tennessee Ln
Elk Grove Ic
Phone: 847-895-8195

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October 5, 2012

Mr. Bob Kast
1034 Tennessee Lane
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Kast:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 In your comment, you indicated a preference for the location of the proposed noise wall on the north side of the Elgin O'Hare Expressway, west of Meacham Road. The proposed location of this noise wall has been moved south of the pond so that it is adjacent to the westbound entrance ramp from Meacham Road (see attached exhibit). Further evaluation with regards to the noise wall's length and height will be conducted during final design as will the material type and aesthetic features of the walls.

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Attachment

cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

ELGIN O'HARE WEST BYPASS
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## LEGEND

- Receptors
- Impacted Receptors
- Representative Worst Case Receptors
- Noise Barrier to be Implemented
- Common Noise Environment
- Project Corridor

Note:
- Barrier locations are approximate.

Source:
- Aerial photography: City of Chicago, 2009

NORTH

0 125 250 500
Feet

Noise Receptors
Section C

# COMMENT FORM

ELGIN O'HARE WEST BYPASS

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1 I manage the property at 1100 Arlington Heights Rd in Itasca. We would like to begin discussions regarding a second egress/ingress route from our parking lot out onto Ketter Dr. This would be directly across from the light that is already scheduled as Ramp L1.

I (do ☒ do not ☐) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☒

Name: Adam Keldermans

Address: 8755 Higgins Rd, Suite 100 Chicago, IL 60631

Jones Lang LaSalle

Phone: * 630-561-3751

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September 24, 2012

Mr. Adam Keldermans
8755 W. Higgins Road, Suite 100
Chicago, IL 60631

Re: Elgin O'Hare West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Keldermans:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 Your comment indicated you would like to discuss additional access from your parking lot onto Ketter Drive. The proposed Elgin O'Hare West Bypass improvements do not affect current access. We suggest that you contact the Village of Itasca to discuss additional access points onto this Village roadway.

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By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Nicole Aranas, Director of Community Development, Village of Itasca

# COMMENT FORM

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1 WILL THE NOISE WALL BE CONSTRUCTED FIRST BEFORE CONSTRUCTION BEGINS TO WIDEN THE EXISTING ELGIN-OHARE ?

I (do ☐ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: TONY LANE
Address: 320 KENNEDY LN
ROSELLE, IL
Phone: 630 529 5990

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Project and Environmental Studies
Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass
Cook and DuPage Counties

October 3, 2012

Mr. Tony Lane
320 Kennedy Lane
Roselle, IL 60172

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Lane:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

In your comment, you asked if the noise walls will be constructed before the roadway improvements. The sequence for constructing the noise walls and roadway improvements is still being analyzed and has not been finalized. Construction is expected to begin as early as 2013 along the existing Elgin O'Hare Expressway.

1 The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) is currently evaluating all input received from the public and developing recommendations regarding noise wall locations, lengths and heights. IDOT's final recommendations will be presented in the Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). Material type and aesthetic features of the walls will be determined during final design with input from the Illinois Tollway's Local Advisory Committee, which will begin meeting in the Fall of 2012.

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Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Jeff O'Dell, Village Administrator, Village of Roselle

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I live next to the proposed sound barrier in Elkgrove village. My neighbors and I are for it. My concern is that a lot of cards went to renters and not the actual owners of our properties. Please keep in mind that if you don't receive enough cards, it is not because of a lack of interest.

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Name: Vito La Susa

Address: 1092 Savoy Ct
EGV

Phone: 847-640-6650

I (do ☐ do not ☐) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

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Project and Environmental Studies
Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass
Cook and DuPage Counties

August 31, 2012

Mr. Vito LaSusa
1092 Savoy Court
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. LaSusa:

Thank you for the comment you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 In your comment, you indicated support for a noise wall in your area and expressed concern that we may not have contacted all stakeholders regarding this issue. Please note that for properties that are rented, mailers were sent to both the property owner and the renter.

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cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

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To whom it May Concern:

The noise we hear from the Elgin O'hare already is so loud for us here that we can't leave our bedroom windows open at night as it stands right now. Turning the EOE into a toll way will add alot of "faster" traffic like 80mph traffic.

We would like to know what material will be used for the new wall because the thin wood that is in place right now does little to abate the noise.

We'd like a solid wall, no split for stream - ~~or~~ and the tallest walls possible so that we can be on our deck and hear each other talking. What will be done to preserve the value of our house - we don't want value to go down.

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I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: Linda Long
Address: 491 Shadow Lake Bay
Roselle, IL 60172
Phone: 630-307-9545

Thank You
Linda Long (Pinkus)

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Cook and DuPage Counties

October 5, 2012

Ms. Linda Long
491 Shadow Lake Bay
Roselle, IL 60172

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Ms. Long:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 In your comment, you requested the proposed noise wall have no breaks and be as tall as possible. IDOT is currently evaluating all input received from the public and developing recommendations regarding noise wall locations, lengths, and heights. IDOT's final recommendations will be presented in the Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). Material type and aesthetic features of the walls will be determined during final design with input from the Illinois Tollway's Local Advisory Committee, which will begin meeting later this fall.

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cc: Jeff O'Dell, Village Administrator, Village of Roselle

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OUR HOUSE is LOCATED AT 1745 ROOSA LANE ELK GROVE Village. OUR BACKYARD FACES THE WESTBOUND RAMP EXISTING WESTBOUND ELGIN-O'HARE EXPRESSWAY. REFER TO SHEET NO 5 OF 22 " WEST SECTION AND CENTRAL SECTION - PART A.

THE PROPOSED NOISE WALL IS NORTH OF EXPRESSWAY AND EAST OF MEACHAM RD. IT IS DESIGNATED AS C2 ON EXHIBIT 3-11E IN DEIS. WE NEED THIS NOISE BARRIER.

OUR BACKYARDS BECOMES USELESS AS THE NOISE LEVEL EXCEEDS FAR ENOUGH TO CONDUCT CONVERSATION. THE EXISTING BARRIER IS NOT EFFECTIVE AND BROKEN AT FEW PLACES.

WE NEED BARRIERS THAT ARE AT LEAST 20 FT HIGH AND WILL REDUCE NOISE LEVEL HIGHER THAN 5-10DBA AS PROPOSED IN CURRENT DESIGN.

AN EFFECTIVE BARRIER WILL MAKE SUBSTANTIAL DIFFERENCE IN OUR LIFESTYLE AND NEIGHBOURS.

THANK YOU.

1

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: SHIRISH MANIAR
Address: 1745 ROOSA Lane
ELK GROVE VILLAGE IL 60007
Phone: 847 891 1173

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August 31, 2012

Mr. Shirish Maniar
1745 Roosa Lane
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Maniar:

Thank you for the comment you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 In your comment, you indicated support for a noise wall in your area. The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) is currently evaluating all input received from the public and developing recommendations regarding noise wall locations, lengths, and heights. Material type and aesthetic features of the walls will be determined during final design with input from the Illinois Tollway's Local Advisory Committee, which will be formed this fall.

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cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

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SEE ATTACHED -
2 pages

Parcel ID 08361000 11

2801 Touhy
Elk Grove, Ill.

I (do ☐ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: McLennan Company
Agent and Manager
~~Address:~~ James A. McLennan
25. N. Northwest Hwy
~~Phone:~~ Park Ridge, ILL, 60068
847-655-3370

On April 18, 2012 we attended the IDOT Public Hearing and witnessed all four intersection alternatives for IL 72 (Touhy Avenue) and Elmhurst Road. We have a major concern that the impact of these proposals will have a catastrophic effect on the property known as, 2801 Touhy, Elk Grove Village, IL, by reducing access and eliminating parking along IL 72.

The Panel marked "Continuous Flow Alternate" proposes the taking of approximately 21' across the entire front of the site (for a total take of 0.12 acres). This frontage contains the prime 20 car parking spaces for tenants, Fastenal, Subway and (coming) Honda Equipment. There is no doable alternative on site to replace these spaces. Such taking and loss would constitute grounds for lease terminations as well as a change to "non-conforming" under the current zoning in Elk Grove. This action would generate severe economic loss and render these and adjoining leasable space unusable as currently occupied. The "Continuous Flow Alternate" appears to be the most detrimental to our property.

1 The two alternates that appear to have the least impact on our prime parking spaces are the "Quadrant Bypass (Old Higgins Road) Alternate" and the "Quadrant Bypass (Greenleaf Avenue) Alternate".

It also appears, and is highly desirable, that the left-in and left-out movements at the existing driveway entrance could remain under these alternates. This is very strategic for our tenant's survival.

When the property was first developed in 1986 it was subdivided into four (4) lots and access was reduced to two (2) driveways with both having full access on IL 72 (Touhy Avenue). Businesses were attracted and have remained in operation requiring the full accesses. Any reduction in access would severely impact and cripple the viability of the tenants. Therefore the functional, commercial, and economic value of the whole property would be damaged.

1 **In particular, the left-in and left-out movements for 2801 Touhy are made possible by IDOT's installation of a mountable median at the end of the taper for the left turn lanes on IL 72 at the intersection with Elmhurst Road. This condition can be maintained with both "Quadrant Bypass Alternates" and is critical. This condition is not unique or problematic and is seen throughout the Chicago Metropolitan area. One such example is along IL 53, north of North Avenue.**

**We ask that you give full and appropriate consideration to the facts reported in this comment sheet. The future economic viability of 2801 Touhy rests on these determinations.**

**Submitted this 7th day of May, 2012**

**By Building Manager and Agent for Ownership,**

**James D. McLennan**
**25 N. Northwest Highway**
**Park Ridge, IL 60068**
**847-655-3370**

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October 19, 2012

Mr. James D. McLennan
25 N. Northwest Highway
Park Ridge, IL 60068

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided during the public comment period

Dear Mr. McLennan:

Thank you for the comment that you provided on May 7, 2012 regarding the Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass project.

1 In your comment, you expressed concern regarding the impact the Continuous Flow Intersection Alternate at Elmhurst Road and IL 72 would have on your property. The Continuous Flow Intersection design is not being pursued as the preferred alternate. Rather, the Quadrant Bypass (Old Higgins Road) Intersection Alternate is being carried forward as the preferred alternate (see attached exhibit).

The preferred alternate would not impact building parking along the frontage of your property. Under the proposed improvement, traffic movement from Touhy Avenue at your property will allow for left in, right-in and right-out only. Along Old Higgins Road, preliminary design currently indicates the need to close access at the western driveway because of the realignment of Old Higgins Road in this location. The eastern driveway will remain open and unchanged.

As final design advances in this location, additional input will be requested from affected property owners. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

Attachment

cc: Shawn Hamilton, City Manager, City of Park Ridge

TOUHY AVE (IL 72)

BP AMOCO

ALEX MATSAS

THE KORNER HOUSE

MIXED USE COMMERCIAL

BAYMONT INN AND SUITES

PUBLIC STORAGE

SUPER 8 O'HARE ELK GROVE VILLAGE

WEST SHORE PIPELINE

CON WAY FREIGHT INC

CHICAGO TITLE

OLD HIGGINS RD

ACCESS CLOSED

ACCESS CLOSED

ACCESS CLOSED

250' R

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Jay Patel
7N245 Parkside Ave, Itasca IL 60143
JHNS247@YAHOO.COM 847-456-5419.

1 I see that the noise wall stops at Arlington Hts Road and does go east of that. There are only 2 rows of home east and would be nice if the noise wall be extended further. Will this be in future consideration? We are concerned because of ~~that~~ future traffic and rail proposals you have.

Thanks
Jay Patel.

I (do ☐ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: _____

Address: _____

_____

Phone: _____

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September 27, 2012

Mr. Jay Patel
7N245 Parkside Avenue
Itasca, IL 60143

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Patel:

Thank you for the comment you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

In your comment, you asked if extending the noise wall east along the existing Thorndale Avenue corridor (future eastern extension of Elgin O'Hare) would be considered. The results of the noise analysis indicate that the proposed improvements would not cause sensitive receptors east of the noise wall to be impacted by traffic noise. IDOT's policy is to evaluate the use of noise barriers only where impacts caused by the project are predicted. There are no predicted impacted receivers east of the proposed wall location.

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Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Evan Teich, Village Administrator, Village of Itasca

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THE CONCEPT IS GOOD AND IS NEEDED, BUT IT SHOULD BE AS IT BEGAN - AN EXPRESSWAY - NOT A TOLLWAY!!!

THE TOLLWAY BONDS HAVE BEEN, OR SHOULD HAVE BEEN PAID FOR, YEARS AGO. INSTEAD WE HAVE HAD NOTHING BUT INCREASES IN THE COST AT EVERY TOLL PLAZA THIS IS RIDICULOUS AND NEVER ENDING.

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EXPRESSWAY ONLY! NO TOLLWAY!

WITH HOME VALUES GOING DOWN OUR PROPERTY TAXES CONTINUE TO RISE. WHERE IS ALL THIS MONEY GOING!

IT'S A RIPOFF IF YOU ASK ME!

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: TOM PIGNOTTI
Address: 421 N. ELM ST.
ITASCA, IL. 60143-1719
Phone: (630) 773-0996

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I feel we do not need all these interchanges and toll ways. The Originally the toll ways were to be paid off & then not to be a rip off because of "Expenses / Mayor / etc People hiring Relatives - friends & filling their Pockets with money.

1 The People here You hired can not even answer my Question they go and get some one else; More Wasted Money - in Our I. Dod - City - Govt. top to bottom; No Improvements needed Roads first & straighten out Your departments

I (do ☒ do not ☐) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: Eileen Pignatto
Address: 481 W. Elm
Itasca, Il.
Phone:

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October 3, 2012

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pegnotti
421 N. Elm
Itasca, IL 60143

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Pegnotti:

Thank you for the comments you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 Please note that an extensive analysis was conducted to determine the most viable way to fund the proposed improvements. An Advisory Council was also formed to develop a strategy for funding the project, and was asked to look at a variety of funding sources and financing mechanisms. Alternatives included traditional federal and state funding sources, tolling all or portions of the project, local funding sources, and federal loans. The result of the analysis concluded that tolling would fulfill the Advisory Council's objective of identifying a viable funding mechanism.

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cc: Evan Teich, Village Administrator, Village of Itasca

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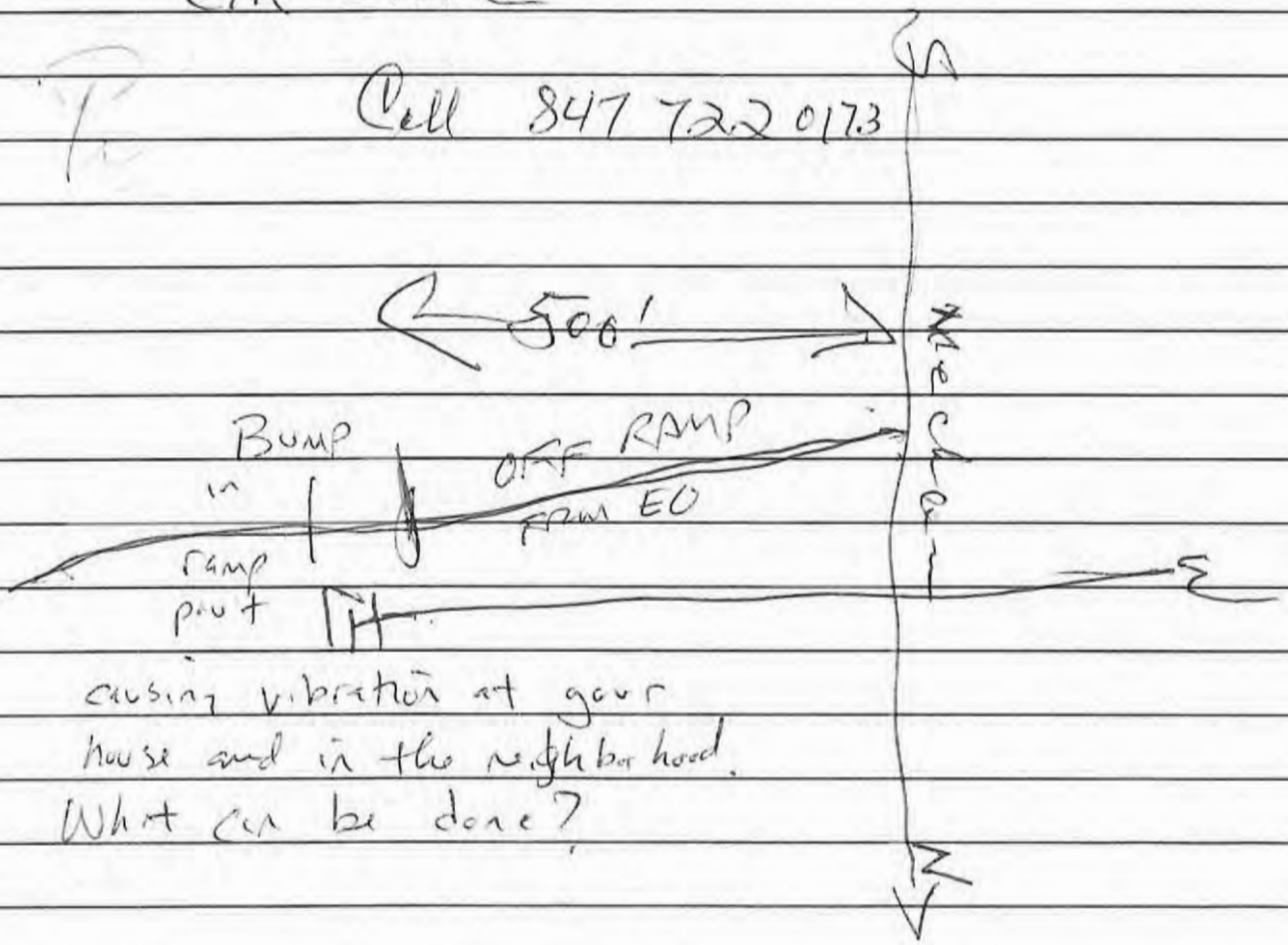
Ted Rekawik
1719 Roosa Ln.
Elk Grove

Cell 847 722 0173

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causing vibration at your house and in the neighborhood.
What can be done?

Name: Ted Rekawik
Address: 1719 Roosa Ln.
Elk Grove
Phone: 847 722 0173

I (do ☐ do not ☑) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☑ No ☐

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October 5, 2012

Mr. Ted Rekawik
1719 Roosa Lane
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Rekawik:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 Your comment noted that truck movements on the westbound exit ramp to Meacham Road causes your house to shake, and you indicated that the road may be in need of repair. In response to your concern, this section of roadway was patched in May of this year.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by email at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

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I AM REFRENCING THE SOUTH SECTION SHEET 12
TRI STATE TOLLWAY I-294 AT LAKE ST (US 20) AND NORTH AVE RT 64

My concerns are related to proposed - Exit from South Bound I 294 on to County Line Rd for access to North Ave.

- The Incursion of the Ramp into the Maywood Sportsmens Club will cause the Lake there to be become polluted with salt killing all the wildlife in the lake and the adjcent wet lands.
- The Proposed Ramp Location will create a serious Safety Hazard to those Entering and Exiting both McMaster-Carr and Maywood Sportsmens Club.
- It would seem more logical to move this exit to the South.
- The Noise will drive out the nesting Blue Herons
- Major Safty concers about lights from club blinding drivers on Ramp and shotgun fallout,

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I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: JEFF RICE
Address: 15W233 LEXINGTON ST.
ELMHURST, IL 60126
Phone: 630 834 3063

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Mr. Jeff Rice
15W233 Lexington Street
Elmhurst, IL 60126

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Rice:

Thank you for the comment you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

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The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) and the Illinois Tollway have been coordinating with the Maywood Sportsmen's Club regarding the concerns the Club and its members have expressed. Please find enclosed a copy of the letter sent to the Club that responds to those concerns.

IDOT is currently evaluating all input received from the public and is making any feasible adjustments to the design. These adjustments will be presented in the Final Environmental Impact Statement that is expected to be distributed later this year.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

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Enclosure

cc: James Grabowski, City Manager, City of Elmhurst

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October 3, 2012

Mr. Michelangelo Scafidi
President, Maywood Sportsmen's Club
P.O. Box 522
Elmhurst, IL 60126

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided during the public comment period

Dear Mr. Scafidi:

Thank you for the comments that you provided during the public comment period. The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) and Illinois Tollway have considered each of the issues stated in your May 10, 2012 comment letter.

In your comment, concerns were cited regarding the proposed improvements along the Maywood Sportsmens Club (MSC) property. In response, several alternative locations have been examined, including moving the ramp either further north or south to address those concerns. Additional analysis and discussions with the MSC, the City of Elmhurst, the City of Northlake, and McMaster-Carr Supply Company has lead to a decision by IDOT and the Illinois Tollway to adjust the location of the ramp. In a joint meeting of the stakeholders on June 6, 2012, the re-evaluation of the ramp location was discussed and the preferred alternates presented. At that meeting, consensus was reached by the agencies and the stakeholders that the preferred location of the ramps would be shifted to option B, as shown in the attached exhibit.

The MSC also indicated concerns regarding what the potential impacts would have on the chloride levels in the lakes and wetlands on the MSC's property and the subsequent effect on breeding habitat for fish and wildlife. The Tier Two Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) contains a detailed analysis of chloride runoff and related stream or water body contamination. It is important to note that planned roadway improvements in the vicinity of the MSC would be served by a closed drainage system. Stormwater piping would capture and convey roadway runoff to infield areas and/or to nearby stream channels, and the system would extend across the full length of the MSC property bordering County Line Road. Therefore, no fugitive runoff would reach the MSC's lake. Further, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACOE) has directed the project to use Best Management Practices (BMP) for enhancement of water quality.

The project team has developed a concept plan for the implementation of BMP for this purpose. The use of infiltration beds, bioswales, and dry basins are part of the family of techniques available for water quality enhancement.

All sections of the project will require the use these BMP to address the requirements of the USACOE.

MSC also noted that the tree line along County Line Road would be removed, and requested a screen or visual barrier along the roadway to reduce headlight glare into their property. The roadway imrpovements at this location will include a visual barrier approximately 1,100 feet in length and about eight feet high, and will likely be constructed as post and panel. The final details will be determined in final design, and will include further coordination with the MSC and other stakeholders.

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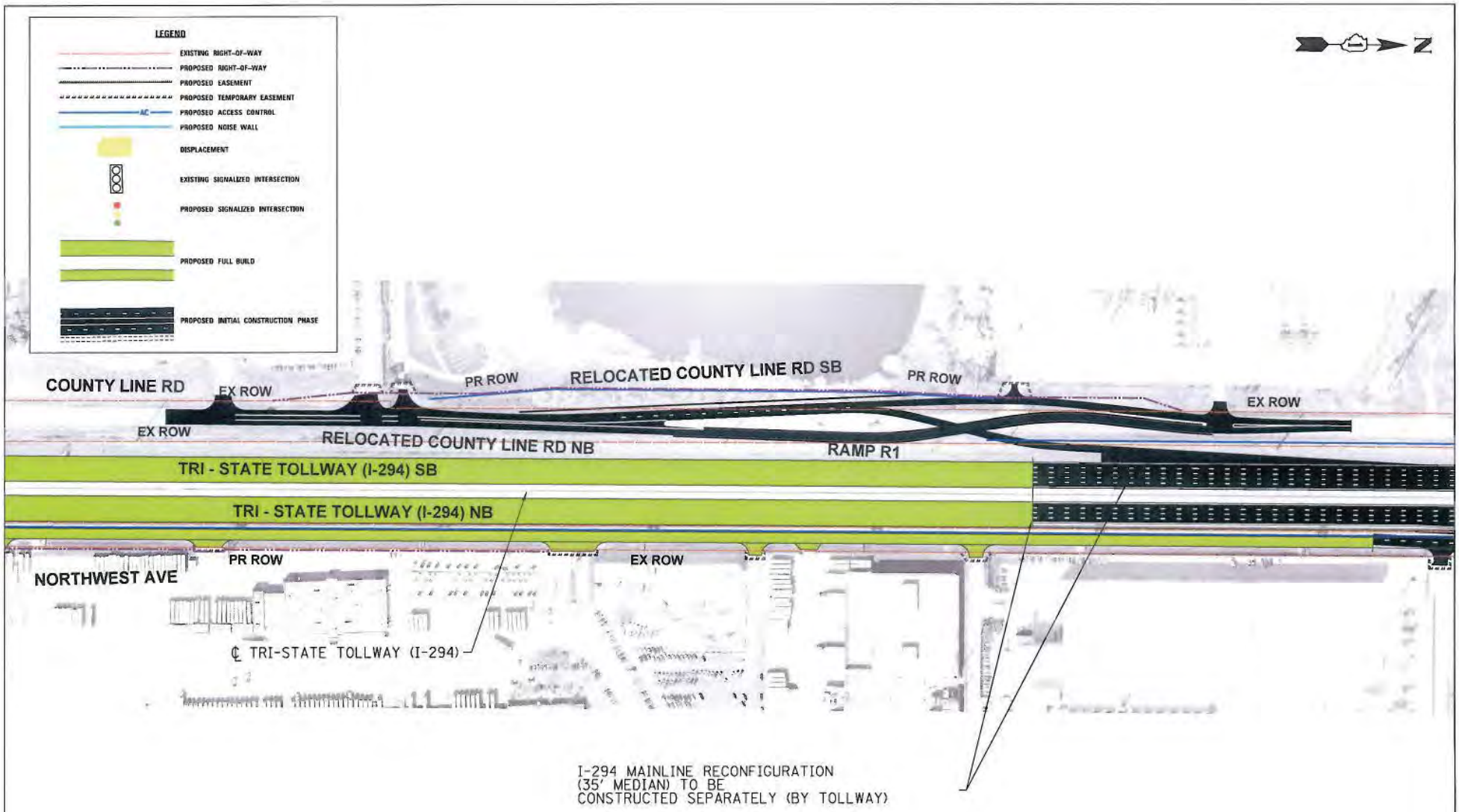
Attachment

cc: James Grabowski, City Manager, City of Elmhurst




**SOUTH SECTION**

# COMMENT FORM

ELGIN O'HARE WEST BYPASS
communities opportunities solutions

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1 Why are there no noise barriers proposed for the South end near County line Road & Green street in Bensenville?

2 When will the construction start in above mentioned area?

I (do ☐ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: Kim Schoppe

Address: 314 E Jefferson
Bensenville IL 60106

Phone:

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Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass
Cook and DuPage Counties

October 5, 2012

Ms. Kim Schoppe
314 E. Jefferson
Bensenville, IL 60106

Re: Elgin O'Hare West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Ms. Schoppe:

Thank you for the comments that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 As part of your comments, you asked why noise barriers are not proposed near County Line Road and Green Street in Bensenville. The properties adjacent to Green Street and within this general area are industrial in nature and are not considered sensitive receptors that would be analyzed for noise impacts. In addition, if your property were a sensitive noise receptor, your location is beyond the 500 foot effectiveness distance for a noise wall.

2 The project is being constructed by the Illinois Tollway as part of the Illinois Tollway's 15-year capital program, *Move Illinois: The Illinois Tollway Driving the Future.* As indicated in the *Move Illinois* program, construction of the south leg of the West Bypass is scheduled to occur between the 2018 and 2022 timeframe.

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Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Michael Cassady, Village Manager, Village of Bensenville

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ELGIN O'HARE WEST BYPASS

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First, thank you for having this session + holding it at a central location + convenient time!

1 We're most interested in the 1) location of the noise wall North of Elgin O'Hare West / Meacham / Medina Rd. The proposal we saw saw a new wall moved North to the North side of the wetland ponds. We are strongly opposed to this idea - it would cost much more for so much more wall + be unsightly for us + neighbors. We are glad the decision was made to use the existing wall location. Great!

2 2) Noise from the expressway is high. A noise wall does not help much. I believe that converting from concrete to ashfault (sp?) is the way to go. Compare the noise at our location to a similar distance from the 53 in Palatine @ Twin Lakes - VERY much more quiet! Why? Ashfault used on that section of 53. We are in favor of a conversion to ashfault

Thanks
Doug Schreiber

I (do ☑ do not ☐) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: Doug Schreiber
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Elk Grove Village
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October 5, 2012

Mr. Doug Schreiber
1058 Tennessee Lane
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Schreiber:

Thank you for the comments that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 Your comments indicate a preference for the location of the proposed noise wall on the north side of the Elgin O'Hare Expressway, west of Meacham Road. The proposed location of this noise wall has been moved south of the pond so that it is adjacent to the westbound entrance ramp from Meacham Road (see attached exhibit).

2 The Illinois Tollway uses both concrete and asphalt as paving materials for its roadways. For this project, the decision on which material to use will be dependent upon future traffic mix and volumes (trucks versus cars). The final determination of the preferred material type will be made during final design.

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Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
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Attachment

cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

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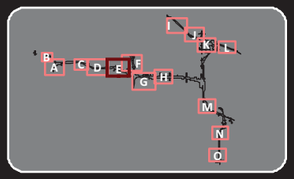


## LEGEND

- Receptors
- Impacted Receptors
- Representative Worst Case Receptors
- Noise Barrier to be Implemented
- Common Noise Environment
- Project Corridor

Note:
- Barrier locations are approximate.

Source:
- Aerial photography: City of Chicago, 2009

NORTH

0 125 250 500
Feet

Noise Receptors
Section C

# COMMENT FORM

ELGIN O'HARE WEST BYPASS

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I BELONG TO MAYWOOD SPORTSMAN CLUB
I HAVE GRAVE CONCERNS REGARDING SAFETY &
ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES. I AM REFERRING TO THE
294 SOUTH EXIT RAMP ON COUNTY LINE RD. THE EXIT
RAMP IS EXTREMELY CLOSE TO OUR LAKE THAT HAS PREMIER
FISHING QUALITY. THE ROAD SALT FROM THE WINTER ALONE
WILL POISON OUR WATERWAY WHICH FLOWS TO A SECOND
SMALL LAKE WHICH FLOWS EVENTUALLY TO A WETLAND AREA
AND INTO SALT CREEK. THE TRAFFIC FROM THE EXIT RAMP
COMING DOWN THE RAMP POSES A HUGE RISK TO OUR MEMBERS,
ESPECIALLY THOSE WITH TRAILERS, TRYING TO ENTER/EXIT
THE CLUB. BECAUSE WE DO TRAP SHOOTING, WHICH GENERATES
REVENUE FOR THE CLUB OPERATIONS, WE WILL PROBABLY LOOSE
20,000-30,000 ANNUALLY BECAUSE 2-3 TRAP FIELDS WILL
HAVE TO BE CLOSED SINCE THE ROADWAY WILL NOW BE
CLOSER. DURING CONSTRUCTION THERE IS THE MATTER OF
SECURING OUR PROPERTY, DAMAGE TO THE WATERWAY, REPLACEMENT
OF OUR FENCING, RELOCATING OUR GATED ENTRANCE. ALSO A
CONCERN IS THE LIGHTS FROM OUR TRAP FIELDS SHINING
INTO THE EYES OF DRIVERS EXITING AND CAR LIGHTS SHINING
INTO A SHOOTERS EYES WHILE SHOOTING. WE HAVE EVENING TRAP SHOOTS
PLUS MORE.!!!!

1

I (do ☒ do not ☐) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: GERRY SEIWERT
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ELMWOOD PARK IL 60707
Phone: 708-268-5504

MOVE THE RAMPS 1500 FEET NORTH OR SOUTH. IT WILL STILL WORK.

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Cook and DuPage Counties

October 5, 2012

Mr. Gerry Seiwert
1635 N. 77th Avenue
Elmwood Park, IL 60707

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Seiwert:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1

The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) and the Illinois Tollway have been coordinating with the Maywood Sportsmen's Club regarding the concerns the Club and its members have expressed. Enclosed, please find a copy of the letter sent to the Club that responds to those concerns.

IDOT is currently evaluating all input received from the public and is making any feasible adjustments to the design. These adjustments will be presented in the Final Environmental Impact Statement that is expected to be distributed later this year.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
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Enclosure

cc: Paul Volpe, Village Manager, Village of Elmwood Park

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October 3, 2012

Mr. Michelangelo Scafidi
President, Maywood Sportsmen's Club
P.O. Box 522
Elmhurst, IL 60126

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided during the public comment period

Dear Mr. Scafidi:

Thank you for the comments that you provided during the public comment period. The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) and Illinois Tollway have considered each of the issues stated in your May 10, 2012 comment letter.

In your comment, concerns were cited regarding the proposed improvements along the Maywood Sportsmens Club (MSC) property. In response, several alternative locations have been examined, including moving the ramp either further north or south to address those concerns. Additional analysis and discussions with the MSC, the City of Elmhurst, the City of Northlake, and McMaster-Carr Supply Company has lead to a decision by IDOT and the Illinois Tollway to adjust the location of the ramp. In a joint meeting of the stakeholders on June 6, 2012, the re-evaluation of the ramp location was discussed and the preferred alternates presented. At that meeting, consensus was reached by the agencies and the stakeholders that the preferred location of the ramps would be shifted to option B, as shown in the attached exhibit.

The MSC also indicated concerns regarding what the potential impacts would have on the chloride levels in the lakes and wetlands on the MSC's property and the subsequent effect on breeding habitat for fish and wildlife. The Tier Two Draft Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) contains a detailed analysis of chloride runoff and related stream or water body contamination. It is important to note that planned roadway improvements in the vicinity of the MSC would be served by a closed drainage system. Stormwater piping would capture and convey roadway runoff to infield areas and/or to nearby stream channels, and the system would extend across the full length of the MSC property bordering County Line Road. Therefore, no fugitive runoff would reach the MSC's lake. Further, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACOE) has directed the project to use Best Management Practices (BMP) for enhancement of water quality.

The project team has developed a concept plan for the implementation of BMP for this purpose. The use of infiltration beds, bioswales, and dry basins are part of the family of techniques available for water quality enhancement.

All sections of the project will require the use these BMP to address the requirements of the USACOE.

MSC also noted that the tree line along County Line Road would be removed, and requested a screen or visual barrier along the roadway to reduce headlight glare into their property. The roadway imrpovements at this location will include a visual barrier approximately 1,100 feet in length and about eight feet high, and will likely be constructed as post and panel. The final details will be determined in final design, and will include further coordination with the MSC and other stakeholders.

The Tier Two Final EIS is expected to be distributed later this year, and will incorporate public and agency comments received on the Tier Two Draft EIS. As the project advances, IDOT and the Illinois Tollway will continue to coordinate with those affected by the project.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

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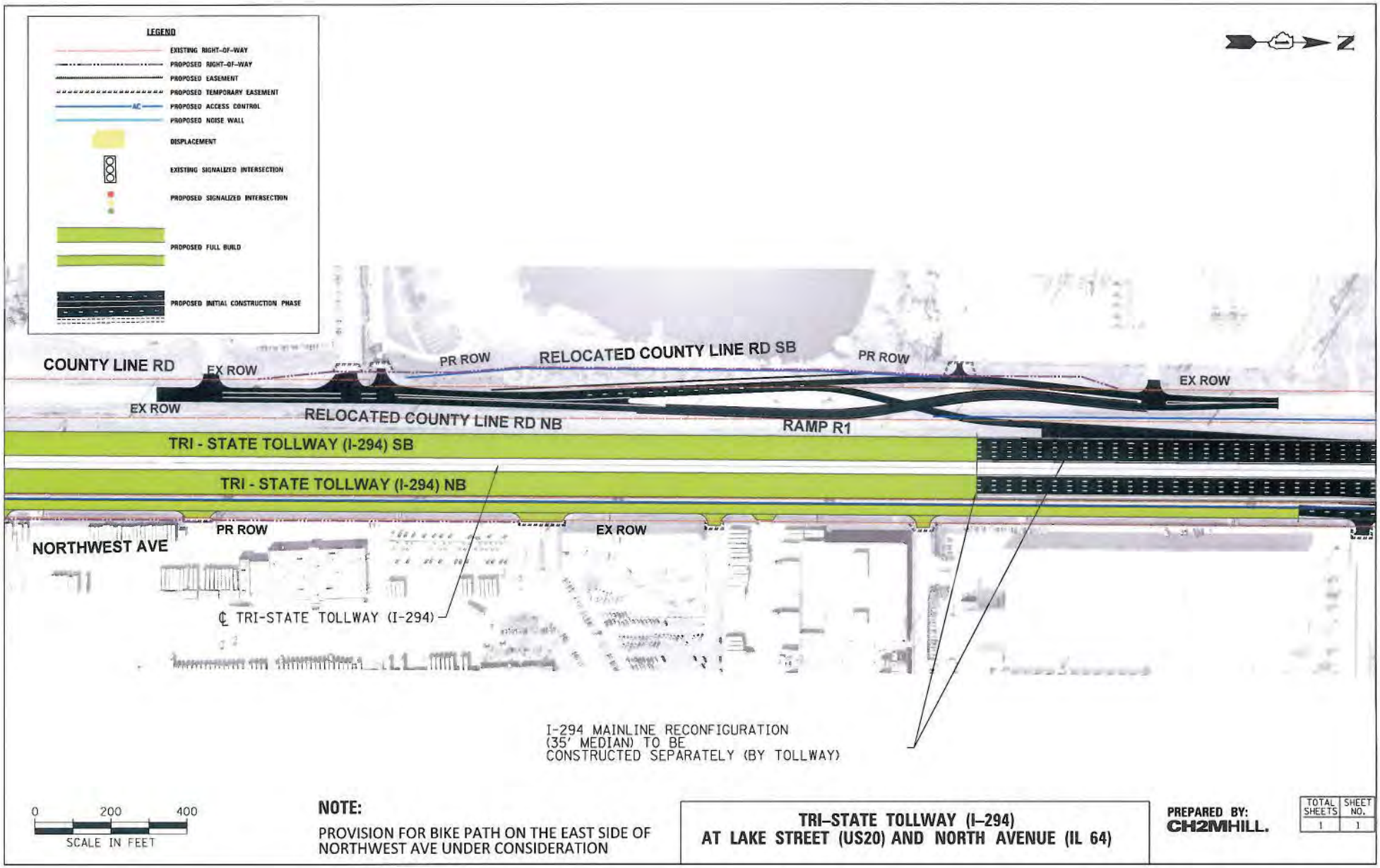
cc: James Grabowski, City Manager, City of Elmhurst




**SOUTH SECTION**

# COMMENT FORM

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1 OVERALL I FULLY AND COMPLETELY SUPPORT THE ENTIRE PROJECT. HOWEVER THE LONG TIME TABLE IS UNACCEPTABLE TO ME. A 3-5 YEAR FULL (NOT INITIAL) BUILD OUT SHOULD BE DONE. THIS WILL ULTIMATELY SAVE TIME AND MONEY. ADDITIONALLY I DO NOT SUPPORT THE

2 INTERIM WEST O'HARE ACCESS AS PROPOSED. IT SHOULD BE FULLY CONSTRUCTED AS SHOWN IN PREVIOUS PLANS.

3 ALSO THE LOSS OF THE DES PLAINES OASIS IS PROBLEMATIC BUT I'M NOT SURE WHERE TO RELOCATE IT TO. THE PROPOSED INTERCHANGE AT ELMHURST ROAD IS A GOOD "NEW" DESIGN THE CONVERSION OF THE EXISTING ELGIN O'HARE SHOULD BE RECONSTRUCTED NOT REFURBISHED WITH ADDITIONAL LANES

4 ALL CONSTRUCTION SHOULD BE CONCRETE NOT ASPHALT. B/W DESIGN WITH NO S/B 294 TO NEW SOUTH LEG AND NEW SOUTH LEG TO N/B 294. VERY BAD DESIGN. ALSO THE INTERCHANGE AT NORTH AVENUE AND 294 APPEARS TO BE PROBLEMATIC AND "CLUNKY" IN DESIGN AND DRIVEABILITY. BUT SOMETHING NEEDS TO BE DONE AT THAT LOCATION ALL UTILITY LINE MUST BE BURIED NOT JUST MOVED. BUILD IT, BUILD IT NOW AND THEN 53 NORTH.

I (do ☐ do not ☐) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: SAM L SEMRAU

Address: 1054 HOLLY CIRCLE
LAKE ZURICH

Phone: 847 646 6265

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Project and Environmental Studies
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October 5, 2012

Mr. Sam L. Semrow
1074 Holly Circle
Lake Zurich, IL 60047

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012, Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Semrow:

Thank you for the comments that you provided at the April 18, 2012, Public Hearing.

1 Your comments indicated concerns regarding staging the proposed improvements rather than building the entire project at one time. The Elgin O'Hare West Bypass project is a large and complex project and one that requires a substantial investment. In fact, the project represents the largest portion of the Illinois Tollway's 15-year capital program, *Move Illinois: The Illinois Tollway Driving the Future*. The project will require relocation of utilities, land acquisition, residential and commercial relocations, complex and lengthy construction near O'Hare International Airport as well as construction of three complex interchanges at Illinois Route 53/I-290, I-90 and I-294. The Illinois Tollway will construct the project in phases with consideration given to project and right-of-way readiness and funding availability. The *Move Illinois* Program is funded by bonds and toll revenue generated through a toll rate increase for passenger vehicles effective in 2012 and a previously approved increase for commercial vehicles beginning in 2015.

2 You also noted concerns with the proposed interim O'Hare West access and the loss of the Des Plaines Oasis. Given that the timeframe for construction of the west terminal is unknown, an initial access design is proposed which will serve any initial uses at that site. A high capacity interchange has also been designed as part of this study to accommodate the full build out of the western terminal. With regard to the displacement of the Des Plaines Oasis, there were very limited opportunities for connecting the Bypass to I-90. The preferred alternative, at the location of the existing Des Plaines Oasis, had the fewest impacts. The Des Plaines Oasis is not plannned to be replaced at another location.

3 Your comments further included a recommendation for reconstruction of the existing Elgin O'Hare Expressway rather than resurfacing of the roadway. The pavement condition does not warrant reconstructing the existing facility. The proposed improvements consist of adding one lane in each direction to the inside (median) of the existing mainline lanes.

4 Lastly, you noted concerns regarding the configurations of the I-294/West Bypass interchange as well as the I-294/North Avenue (IL Rte 64) interchange. With regards to the I-294/West Bypass interchange, traffic projections did not warrant ramps providing access to and from I-294 to the north. Motorists making these movements would utilize the existing interchange at Irving Park Road/I-294 or the proposed future interchange at Irving Park Road/West Bypass. With regards to the I-294/North Avenue interchange, the objective is to provide a more direct southbound I-294 to eastbound North Avenue (IL Rte 64) movement. The many design constraints at this location limited the options for configuring the interchange, but traffic simulations demonstrate the ability of the proposed design to efficiently move traffic in the desired manner.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Jason Slowinski, Village Administrator, Village of Lake Zurich

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communities opportunities solutions

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Property Information:

2700 Touhy Ave
Elk grove village, IL.

Property Owner:
Electronic Interconnect

PIN: Impact Type:
08264 11003 TE (0.02 ac)
08264 11003 Partial Take (0.02 ac)
08264 11005 TE (0.02 ac)
08264 11005 Partial Take (0.02 ac)

Question: 1

1 (1) When (date?) ~~of~~ work will start ~~to~~ ~~te~~ TE & Partial take
(2) when work will finish so that we can start using TE
(3) Total Partial Take is 0.02 + 0.02 AC.
Final — ? → No change?

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

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September 17, 2012

Mr. Sanjay Shah
2700 Touhy Avenue
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Shah:

Thank you for the comment you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 In your comment, you asked when the partial acquisition and temporary easement affecting your property might be required. The project is being constructed by the Illinois Tollway as part of the 15-year capital program, *Move Illinois: The Illinois Tollway Driving the Future* (Move Illinois Program). As indicated in the Move Illinois Program, construction in this area is scheduled to occur between 2015 and 2017. You will be contacted approximately 18-24 months prior to construction.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705- 4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

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Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
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cc: Matthew Roan, Deputy Village Manager, Elk Grove Village

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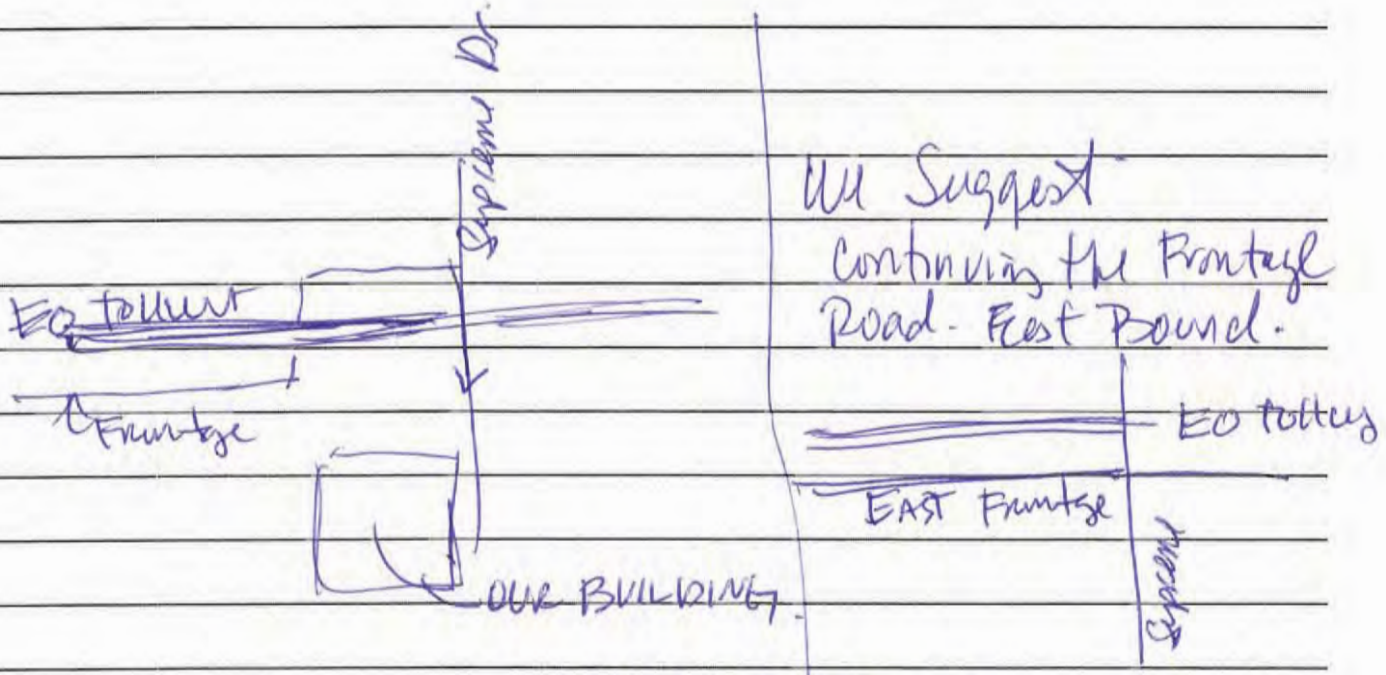
RE: Intersection of Supreme Dr & Thorndale in Bensenville.

1 Proposed East Frontage road to access our property will create an access night more for trucks and vehicles. by requiring traffic to head North under the EO tollway turn right on N Frontage Road to access Supreme Dr.




I (do ☐ do not ☐) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: SHARI SMAGATZ. (AS AGENT FOR SUPREME LEE.)
Address: 20 N. MARTINGALE SUITE 100 SCHAUMBURG IL 60173
Phone:

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October 5, 2012

Ms. Shari Smagatz
20 N. Martingale, Suite 100
Schaumburg, IL 60173

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Ms. Smagatz:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 In your comment, you expressed concern regarding the proposed design of the frontage road between Illinois Route 83 and Supreme Drive. This section of frontage road has been redesigned as a continuous frontage road between Illinois Route 83 and York Road, where the section between Illinois Route 83 and Supreme Drive is one-way eastbound and the remaining section to the east accommodates two-way travel. The revised design is contingent upon Illinois Commerce Commission (ICC) approval of an at-grade railroad crossing on the proposed frontage road east of Illinois Route 83 (see the attached exhibit).

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by email at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

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Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
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By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

Attachment

cc: June Johnson, Director of Transportation, Village of Schaumburg




**CENTRAL SECTION – PART B**

# COMMENT FORM

ELGIN O'HARE WEST BYPASS

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OUR BIGGEST CONCERN IS THE SOUND ISSUE AND SOUND WALL. THE NEW SYSTEM OF RAMPS COMMING OFF OF I 290 / THORNDALE INTO PARK BLVD DIRECTLY WILL IMPACT OUR TOWNHOME. WE DONT THINK THE WALL WILL BE ENOUGH, WE NEED SOUND PROOF WINDOWS

RECOMMENDATION:

SOUND PROOF WINDOWS IN UNITS DIRECTLY IMPACTED BY THE NEW RAMPS & EXPRESSWAYS

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

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Phone: (773) 879-4209

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October 5, 2012

Mr. and Mrs. Michal Sniadala
972 Willow Street
Itasca, IL 60143

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Sniadala:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1

In your comment, you recommended sound insulating windows in addition to the proposed noise barrier. Based on the traffic noise model analysis, your residence did not incur noise levels above the threshold for abatement (66 dBA). However, a noise barrier is planned near your residence (I-290/Thorndale Ave) and will have some ancillary sound reducing benefit for your home.

IDOT is currently evaluating all input received from the public and developing recommendations regarding noise wall locations, lengths, and heights. IDOT's final recommendations will be presented in the Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). Material type and aesthetic features of the walls will be determined during final design with input from the Illinois Tollway's Local Advisory Committee, which will begin meeting in later this fall.

The Tier Two Final EIS is expected to be distributed later this year and will incorporate public and agency comments received on the Tier Two Draft EIS and from the Public Hearing. As the project advances, IDOT and the Illinois Tollway will continue to coordinate with those affected by the project.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Evan Teich, Village Administrator, Village of Itasca

# COMMENT FORM

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Do you have comments?
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1 WHEN AQUIRING ROW IS IT CHEAPER TO PUT AFFECTED ROAD OVER AS A OVERPASS OR UNDER AS A UNDERPASS (ie ROWLING) AS IN THE PROPOSED BRIDGES (NB & SB)

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

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August 31, 2012

Mr. William L. Strawn
300 S. Hickory Avenue
Bartlett, IL 60103

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Strawn:

Thank you for the comment you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 In your comment you asked whether it is less expensive to carry Rohlwing Road (IL 53) over the Elgin O'Hare Expressway. In this situation the project team determined that IL 53 should pass over the Elgin O'Hare Expressway in order to accommodate the ramps at the nearby I-290 interchange. This also resulted in significant cost savings, as the proposed mainline tollway will be maintained generally at natural ground elevations, which avoids expensive earthwork.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Valerie Salmons, Village Administrator, Village of Bartlett

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GEORGE & GLORIA TAYLOR PROPERTY MANAGERS
AGENT FOR THE OWNER.

PARCEL # 08253010005

1 CONCERNS: WATER MAINS IN FRONT OF OUR WATER TOWER - NEAR THE ~~WE~~ EASEMENT - (WELL WATER)

2 WE ALLOW THE SCHOOL BUSES TO COME UP ONTO THE PROPERTY FOR PICK UP AND DROP OFF THIS IS THRU OUT THE DAY - TO HAVE THE KIDS OUT ON TO TOUHY AVENUE - IS SOMEWHAT OF A CONCERN

1 WE WERE ORIGINALLY TOLD THAT THEY WERE GOING TO TAKE THE WATER TOWER - OFFICE BUILDING AND 8 OF OUR MOBILE HOMES - W/O THE WATER TOWER WE COULD NO LONGER OPERATE TODAY WE MEET W/ LIDIA A. PILECKY, PE VICE PRESIDENT TRANPORTATION BUSINESS GROUP SHE INFORMED US THAT THIS IS NOT THE CASE - STILL CONCERNED

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I (do ☐ do not ☑) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☑ No ☐

GLORIA TAYLOR, DBA
Name: DESPLAINES MOBILE HOME PARK
Address: 500 W TOUHY AVE
DESPLAINES IL 60018
Phone: 847-827-6162
gloriakaye2000@yahoo.com

**Illinois Department of Transportation**
Division of Highways/Region One / District One
201 West Center Court/Schaumburg, Illinois 60196-1096

Project and Environmental Studies
Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass
Cook and DuPage Counties

October 19, 2012

Ms. Gloria Taylor, DBA
Des Plaines Mobile Home Park
500 West Touhy Avenue
Des Plaines, IL 60018

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Ms. Taylor:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 In your comment, you indicated concern regarding the Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass project's potential impacts to the Des Plaines Mobile Home Park. The Old Higgins Road Quadrant Bypass intersection alternate is being carried forward as the preferred alternate for the IL 72/Elmhurst Road intersection improvements (see attached exhibit). Amongst other benefits, the preferred Old Higgins Quadrant Bypass will establish a new four-legged intersection that includes the mobile home's IL 72 access point. This new four-legged intersection will be channelized with left turn lanes and controlled by a new traffic signal.

With regards to the water tower, preliminary plans indicate the water tower will not need to be removed to accommodate the proposed improvements. You also noted concern regarding the watermains. Potential impacts to the watermain will be evaluated further during detailed design development and if possible we will work to avoid or minimize impacts to the watermains, if it is determined there are impacts. Avoidance of the water tower and watermains will be a priority.

2 In your comment you also indicate you allow school buses to utilize the property to pick up and drop off school children. Preliminary design indicates the need for a strip approximately 15 feet wide along the south side of the property to accommodate the proposed improvements. Touhy Avenue, in this location, will be widened to accommodate a new center median from which an eastbound left-turn lane for accessing the Des Plaines Mobile Home Park will be added. Additionally, a new 10 foot wide multi-use trail will be placed along the north side of Touhy Avenue as well. Even with this proposed widening, school bus pick-ups/drop-offs will still be accommodated on the mobile home park property.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Tim Oakley, Dir. Of Trans/Public Works, City of Des Plaines

TOUHY AVE (IL 72)

BP AMOCO

ALEX MATSAS

THE KORNER HOUSE

MIXED USE COMMERCIAL

BAYMONT INN AND SUITES

PUBLIC STORAGE

SUPER 8 O'HARE ELK GROVE VILLAGE

WEST SHORE PIPELINE

ACCESS CLOSED

CHICAGO TITLE

OLD HIGGINS RD

ACCESS CLOSED

ACCESS CLOSED

250' R

CON WAY FREIGHT INC

# COMMENT FORM

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1 When Construction begins on Acorn Lane in Franklin Park, the demolition equipment will severely impact our ability to do business. We are currently street loading off Acorn An will have no other way to ship product if the street is unavailable.

Thule Group
3737 N. Acorn Lane

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: Robert Ward
Address: 3737 N. Acorn Lane
Franklin Park
Phone: 847-455-2420 xt 117

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Project and Environmental Studies
Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass
Cook and DuPage Counties

October 5, 2012

Mr. Robert Ward
Thule Group
3737 N. Acorn Lane
Franklin Park, IL 60131

Re: Elgin O'Hare West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Ward:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

1 Your comment expressed concern about project-related impacts to Acorn Lane and efforts being made throughout the construction period to minimize property impacts. Both construction staging plans and maintenance of traffic plans will serve to manage construction, the flow of traffic, and property access. During the process of developing construction staging plans and maintenance of traffic plans, there will be opportunities for your input. Advanced notification of these opportunities will be provided to local property owners.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by email at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: John Schneider, Community Development Director, Franklin Park

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First of all, thank you for asking. It would probably help you to understand where I reside. I am in a townhome @ 976 Willow Street in Itasca on the northern most limits of our complex, literally the end unit bumped up against Park Blvd West. I have concerns, some of which probably sound dumb, so I apologize in advance, but I've never been through this, so everything is completely new to me. The first has to do with the proposed noise barrier. The preliminary maps indicate that this barrier will be hugging up against Park Blvd West. As Park sits right now, there are trees and other shrubbery about 10-20 feet north of Park. I have talked with other tenants of our complex, and we beg of you, if at all possible, PLEASE PLEASE put the barrier on the north side of the trees and shrubbery, so we see the trees first, then the barrier. Please don't remove that landscaping, as that's all we will have left. Another issue has to do with the noise itself. As your research has indicated, the convenience of the end product will draw increased traffic to the area, so the noise will be much more significant than it is today. Since I'm in the end unit, and right up against the roadway, which will be moved further south (and a lot closer to my unit via Ramp G6, G5 and G1) than it is today, am I going to be eligible for soundproofing via noise reducing windows? I'm concerned that that's the only way to alleviate what's sure to be a big change from what I hear today. Finally, with where I am located, with roadways G6, G5 and G1 being moved so close to the residence from where the current off ramp (and Thorndale) is located today, are there any "eminent domain" issues that I should be aware of in advance? I would assume that doesn't apply, but these ramps are coming very close in your projections, and I'd want to know as soon as possible. Thank you for your consideration.

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I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: David M. Welch
Address: 976 Willow St.
Itasca, IL 60143
Phone: (630) 234-8320

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Project and Environmental Studies
Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass
Cook and DuPage Counties

October 5, 2012

Mr. David Welch
976 Willow Street
Itasca, IL 60143

Re: Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass Project
Response to comment provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing

Dear Mr. Welch:

Thank you for the comment that you provided at the April 18, 2012 Public Hearing.

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In your comment, you recommended sound insulating windows in addition to the proposed noise barrier. Based on the traffic noise model analysis, your residence did not incur traffic noise levels above the threshold for abatement (66 dBA). However, a noise barrier is planned near your residence (I-290/Thorndale Ave.) and will have some ancillary sound reducing benefit for your home.

IDOT is currently evaluating all input received from the public and developing recommendations regarding noise wall locations, lengths, and heights. IDOT's final recommendations will be presented in the Final Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). Material type and aesthetic features of the walls will be determined during final design with input from the Illinois Tollway's Local Advisory Committee, which will begin meeting later this fall.

The Tier Two Final EIS is expected to be distributed later this year and will incorporate public and agency comments received on the Tier Two Draft EIS and from the Public Hearing. As the project advances, IDOT and the Illinois Tollway will continue to coordinate with those affected by the project.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.

Very truly yours,

John Fortmann, P.E.
Acting Deputy Director of Highways,
Region One Engineer

By:
Peter E. Harmet, P.E.
Bureau Chief of Programming

cc: Evan Teich, Village Administrator, Village of Itasca

**From:** Elgin O'Hare [noreply@critigen.com]
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 24, 2012 1:01 PM
**To:** Braband, Libby/CHI
**Subject:** Comments - Comment entered Tuesday, April 2...

Elgin O'Hare

## ***Comment entered Tuesday, April 2...*** has been added

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| **Title:** | Comment entered Tuesday, April 24, 2012 10:59:12 AM |
| **FullName:** | patricia |
| **Subject:** | west bypass |
| **Address:** | |
| **AddToList:** | No |
| **Email:** | pattjc1948@gmail.com |
| **Message:** | Will the mobile home park in the area of Elmhurst Rd & Higgins Rd be affected in any way? |

Last Modified 4/24/2012 1:59 PM by System Account

**From:** Krall, Ronald D [Ronald.Krall@illinois.gov]
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 24, 2012 5:03 PM
**To:** 'pattjc1948@gmail.com'
**Subject:** Reply to Patricia, e-mail response, for EO-WB Public Hearing comment
**Attachments:** patricia reply attachment.pdf

Patricia, you submitted a question relating to the Elgin O'Hare – West Bypass project Public Hearing, that asked:

"Will the mobile home park in the area of Elmhurst Road and Higgins Road be affected in any way?"

In response, we offer the following reply:

Preliminary design indicates the need for a strip of land approximately 15 feet wide along the south side of the Des Plaines Mobile Home Park property to accommodate the proposed improvements. Touhy Avenue, in this location, will be widened to accommodate a new center median from which an eastbound left-turn lane for accessing the Des Plaines Mobile Home Park will be added. Additionally, a new 10 foot wide multi-use trail will be placed along the north side of Touhy Avenue as well.

The Old Higgins Road Quadrant Bypass intersection alternate is being carried forward as the preferred alternate for the IL 72 (Higgins/Touhy)/Elmhurst Road intersection improvements (see attached exhibit). The widening noted above will allow for a continuous center median separating the east and west bound traffic. The preferred Old Higgins Quadrant Bypass will establish a new four-legged intersection that includes the mobile home's IL 72 (Touhy) access point. This new four-legged intersection will be channelized with left turn lanes and controlled by a new traffic signal.

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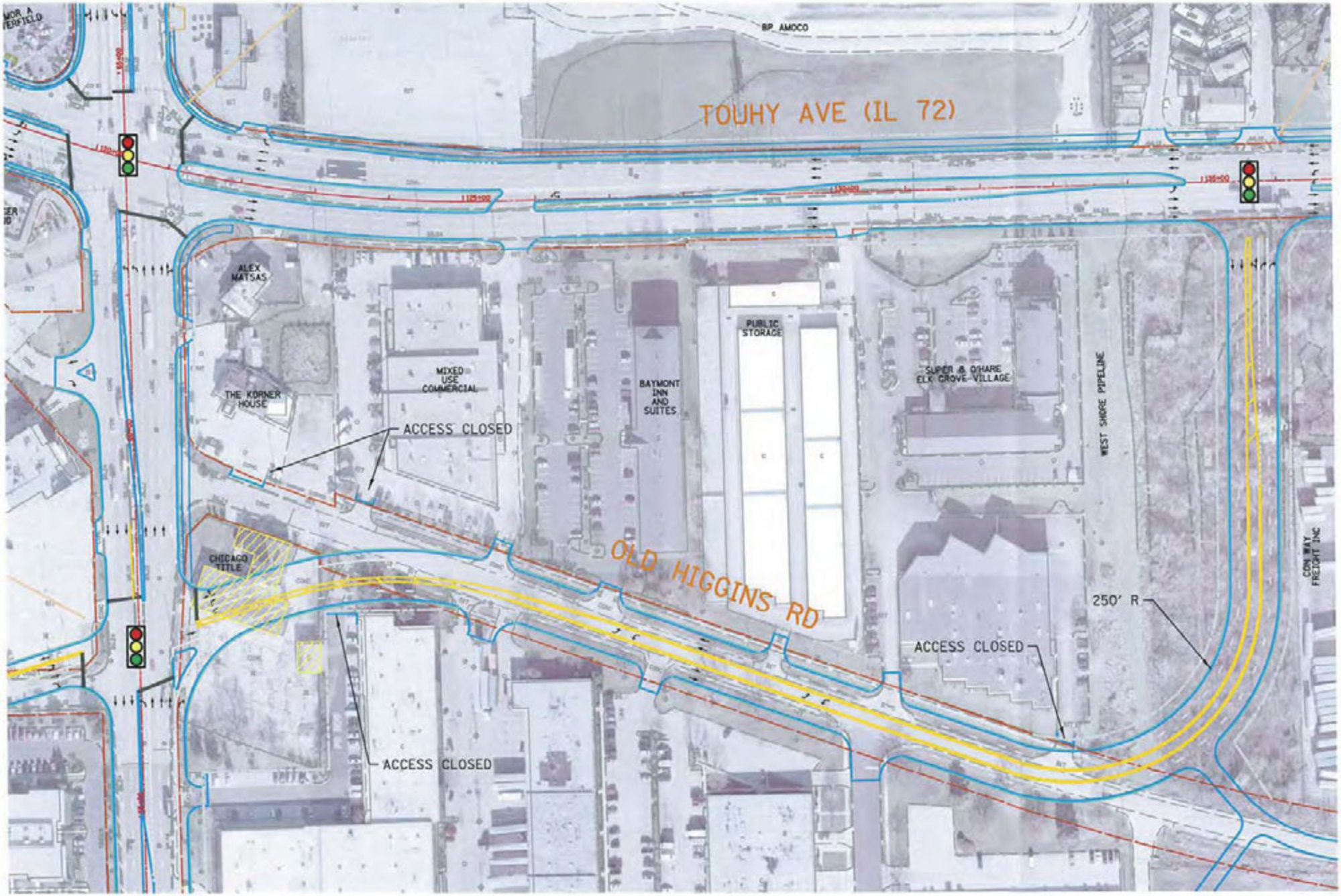
Due to the minor widening, some right-of-way (ROW) impacts are anticipated (15 feet, as noted above). Preliminary plans indicate that the minor widening will not require the water tower be removed to accommodate the proposed improvements. In addition to the water tower, there are watermains in the area. Potential impacts to the watermain will be evaluated further during detailed design development. At this time, impacts to the watermain are not expected. If it is determined that the watermains cannot be avoided, we will work to minimize any impacts. Avoidance of the water tower and watermains will be a priority.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Ron Krall, Project Manager, at (847) 705-4103 or by e-mail at ronald.krall@illinois.gov.


TOUHY AVE (IL 72)
BP AMOCO
ALEX MATSAS
THE KORNER HOUSE
MIXED USE COMMERCIAL
ACCESS CLOSED
BAYMONT INN AND SUITES
PUBLIC STORAGE
SUPER 8 O'HARE ELK GROVE VILLAGE
WEST SHORE PIPELINE
CHICAGO TITLE
OLD HIGGINS RD
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ACCESS CLOSED
CSX WAY FREIGHT INC

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I WOULD LIKE A COPY OF THE PROPOSED DRAINAGE PLANS SALT CREEK WATERSHED I-290 ~~PROJECT~~ SHEET # 183

THANK YOU

GARY BERTHOLD
1023 MARTHA ST
ELK GROVE VILLAGE IL
60007
847-652-4614
grberthold@gmail.com

I (do ☐ do not ☑) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☑ No ☐

Name: _____

Address: _____

_____

Phone: _____

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Michael Bram - CD of Sheet 12 + 13

700 N. Van Auken St
Elmhurst 60126

I (do ☐ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: _____

Address: _____

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West Bypass plan sheets 1/2 size

JIM.estus@COLLIERS.com

Name: JIM Estus - Colliers Intl

Address: 6250 N River Rd 11-100
Rosemont, IL 60018

Phone: 847 698-8235

I (do ☐ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

**From:** Elgin O'Hare [noreply@critigen.com]
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 24, 2012 5:41 PM
**To:** Braband, Libby/CHI
**Subject:** Comments - Comment entered Tuesday, April 2...

Elgin O'Hare

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|---|---|
| **Title:** | Comment entered Tuesday, April 24, 2012 3:38:56 PM |
| **FullName:** | Jame Honses |
| **Subject:** | |
| **Address:** | 701 Poydras, Suite 1046, New Orleans, LA 70139 |
| **AddToList:** | No |
| **Email:** | jamie.honses |
| **Message:** | I would like to get a copy of the plans for this project to determine if Shell's pipeline will be impacted by the project.<br>Thanks |

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South Section
Sheet #13

Steven E Johnson
11697 W. Grand Ave
Northlake IL 60164

May I have a copy of stated grants.
Thank You

**Steven Johnson**
Director of Compliance and Assets
CTL Global, Inc.

t 708-223-1181 · c 708-243-2888
sjohnson@ctlglobalsolutions.com
11697 W Grand Ave · Northlake IL 60164
ctlglobalsolutions.com

I (do ☐ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: _____

Address: _____

_____

Phone: _____

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please send me the following map from the meeting held on Thurs. April 18, 2012 @ the Belvidere

Sheet No 21 North Section

NORTHWEST QUADRANT NEAR

ELMHURST & Touhy INTERSECTION

NEAR the property at 1100 ELMHURST Rd ELK GROVE VILLAGE ; PIN 08-26-411-006

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: MARK KUPIEC

Address: 77 N. WASHINGTON - 1801
CHICAGO IL 60602

Phone: (312) 541-1878

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PLEASE PROVIDE THE DRAWING BELOW

ROADWAY PLAN SHEET LAYOUT

# SHEETS 21 + 20

STEVEN MAGNUS
104 SANDY HOLLOW ROAD
NORTHPORT, NY
11768

SMAGNUS@KLDLABS.COM

# (516) 318-5982

I (do ☐ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: _____

Address: _____

_____

Phone: _____

# COMMENT FORM

ELGIN O'HARE WEST BYPASS
communities opportunities solutions

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I would like to have additional information regarding the Full Build option.

dmumm@wagnerequities.com

I (do ☐ do not ☐) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: Dennis Mumm
Address: 1840 Industrial Dr #310
Libertyville, IL 60048
Phone: 847-816-2620

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We are requesting a copy of South Section sheet no. 16 West By Pass at Irving Park Road (IL 19)

We are opposed to this project in making Thorndale Road a tollway

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: Jim + Judy Pichla

Address: 16 W. Irving Park Rd
Bensenville, IL. 60106

Phone: _____

# COMMENT FORM

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I AM REQUESTING A COPY OF THE PROJECT TIMELINE (PROJECT PLAN TIMELINE (I.E. CONSTRUCTION TIMELINE). I AM ALSO REQUESTING A COPY OF THE CENTRAL POSITION PLANS, SPECIFICALLY SHEET 22 #6, WHERE PARK AVE & THORNDALE ARE LOCATED, ALONG WITH THE SECTION WHERE ARLINGTON HEIGHTS ROAD IS LOCATED. A FULL SIZE SHEET IS PREFERRED. THANK YOU IN ADVANCE.

I (do ☑ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☑ No ☐

Name: JEFF ROMANO

Address: 346 W. PRAIRIE CIRCLE
ITASCA, IL 60143

Phone: 630-254-0923

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I would like to request a copy of the Map.

→ Sheet 15, South Section.

Also, please put me on your mailing list.

ANUP RUIA
10909 FRANKLIN AVENUE
FRANKLIN PARK, IL 60131
email: ANUP.RUIA@VALMONT.COM

I (do ☒ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: ANUP RUIA
Address: 10909 FRANKLIN AVENUE
FRANKLIN PARK, IL 60131
Phone: (847) 455-0884

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communities. opportunities. solutions.

Do you have comments?
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Illinois Tollway
Illinois Department of Transportation

Requesting copy of Franklin Park Drainage Study electronically or by mail.

Lsenn@rptrust.com

8430 W Bryn Mawr Ave
Suite 400
Chicago IL 60622

Thank you,
Lindsey

I (do ☐ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: Lindsey Senn
Address: 8430 W. Bryn Mawr Ave
Suite 400, Chicago IL 60622
Phone: (o) 773-695-1278

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Please send me the
TRI STATE Tollway AT West
Bypass sheet - South section

SHEET # 13

Allied Waste
605 Northwest Ave
Northlake, IL

REPUBLIC SERVICES

**Stephen Vogrin**
General Manager
5050 West Lake Street
Melrose Park, IL 60160
708.316.2179 • Fax 708.345.3862 • Cell 708.516.7050
svogrin@republicservices.com
www.disposal.com

I (do ☐ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: Steve Vogrin
Address: Allied Waste
5050 W Lake Street
Melrose Park, IL 60516
Phone: (708)- 345-7050

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Illinois Department of Transportation

KENWISA
11524 W. ADDISON ST
FRANKLIN PARK IL
NEXEO SOLUTIONS
847-489-2786

SHEET 13 (SOUTH)

I (do ☐ do not ☐ ) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Name: _____

Address: _____

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Phone: _____

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Great project. This will become a vital transportation link for DuPage County residents. Please implement this as soon as possible.

I (do ☐ do not ☒) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Name: John P. ONeill
Address: 3191 Andover Ct.
Aurora, IL 60504
Phone: 630 978 7675

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I liked the short video that gave a little information about the EOWB. I wish I would of gotten more information since I am not from the area. I came because I am taking a class @ NIU called citizen participation. We came and could have used more information. It was nice to see spanish translation was offered. It was a nice space and set up. It could have been a little more space between spaces and the stands with the pictures.

I (do ☐ do not ☑) desire a response.

Would you like your name added to our project mailing list?
Yes ☐ No ☑

Name: Grecia Ortega
Address: 101 Thicket Lane
South Beloit IL 61080
Phone: _____