



Loy Lake Bridge Improvement Project

US Highway 75 and Loy Lake Road – Sherman, TX

Fact Sheet

Why Improvements are Needed

The bridge has met capacity and traffic often stalls across the bridge onto Loy Lake Road. The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) is planning to widen the bridge to improve safety and relieve congestion.

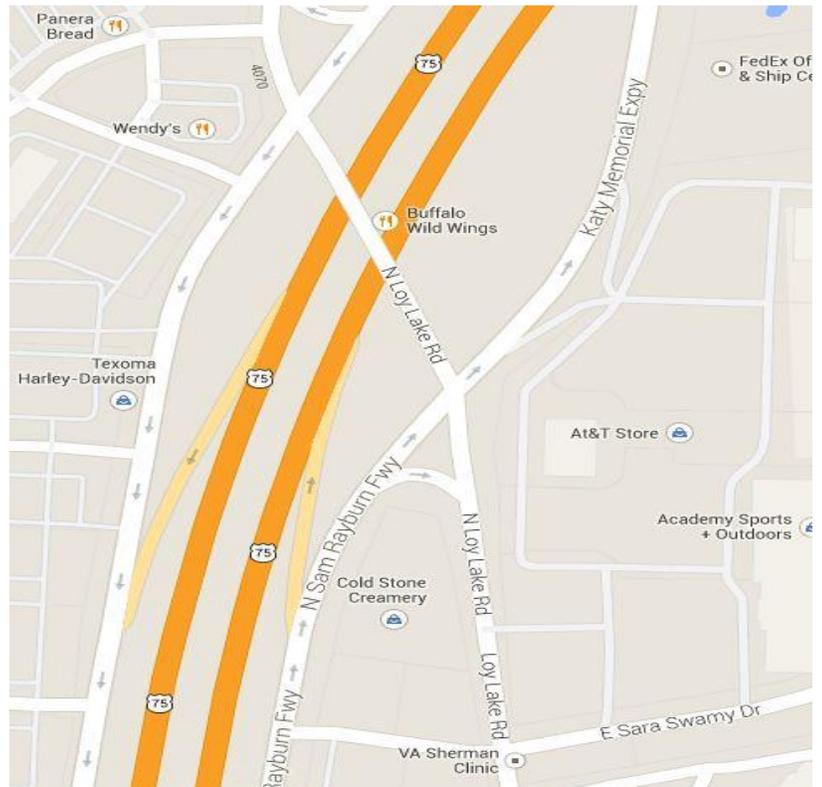
Project Includes

- Widening the existing roadway from two lanes to four through lanes with left turn lanes
- Aesthetic improvements to include colored/textured concrete in the island medians and painting of the bridge

Project Schedule & Cost

Construction is anticipated to begin in February 2014 and last about 12 months. The estimated construction cost for the improvements is \$5.6 million.

Ragle Construction, Inc. is the contractor for the project. This project is funded via a public-private partnership between the City of Sherman, United Commercial Realty and TxDOT.



Project Details

Loy Lake Bridge will be widened to have two additional through lanes and one left turn lane in each direction.

The City of Sherman will continue the construction south of the intersection to Sarah Swamy Drive, which will become a four-lane divided section of roadway. Once construction is complete, drivers can expect a right turn lane from Sarah Swamy Drive onto Loy Lake Road. A traffic light is also being installed at the intersection.

Public Information

The public will be kept informed about road closures and detours throughout construction via area media alerts. These TxDOT updates will instruct the public on how best to move through the construction zones as work progresses on this long-awaited community improvement project.

Contact Information and Construction Updates

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