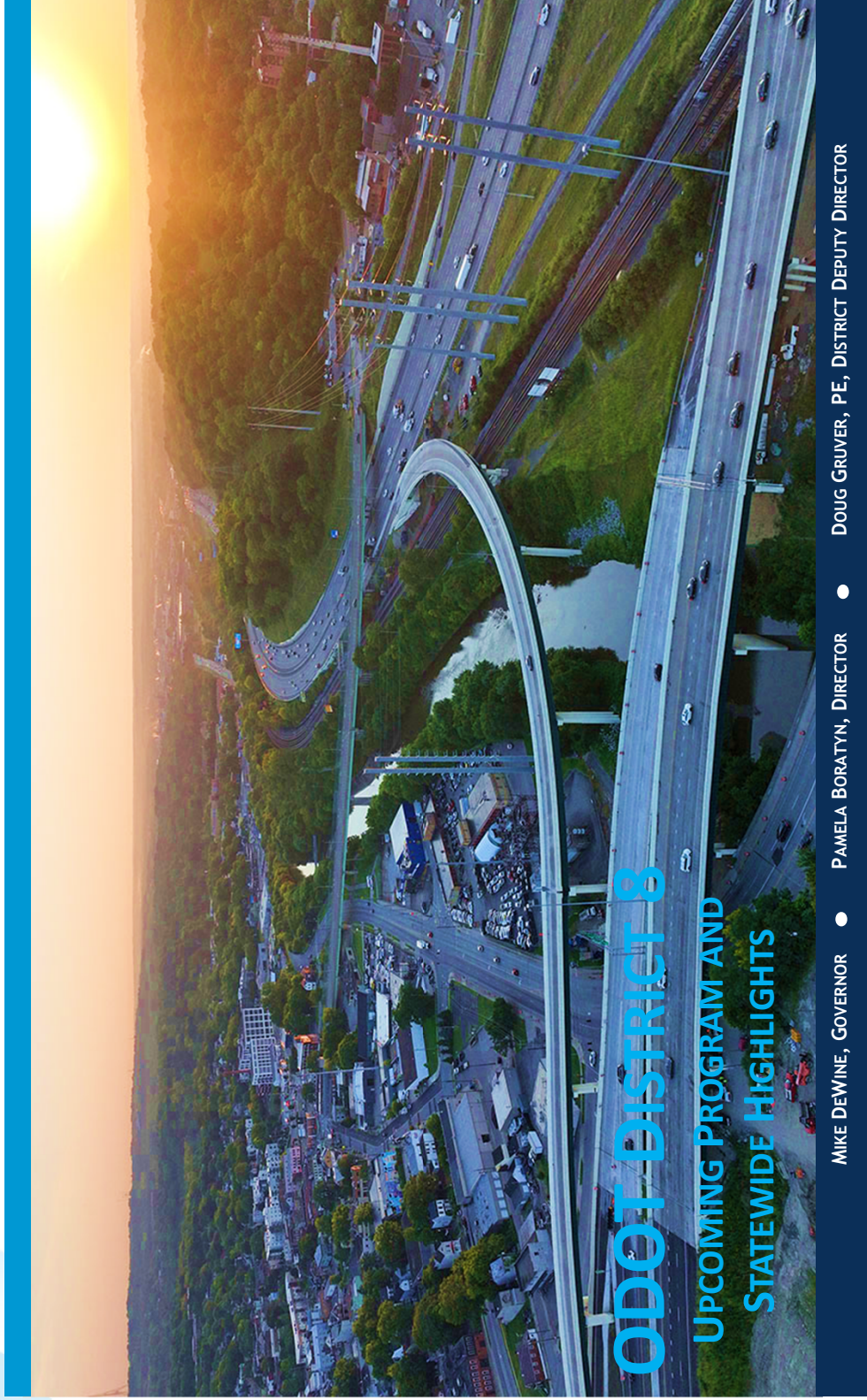




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# ODOT DISTRICT 8

UPCOMING PROGRAM AND  
STATEWIDE HIGHLIGHTS

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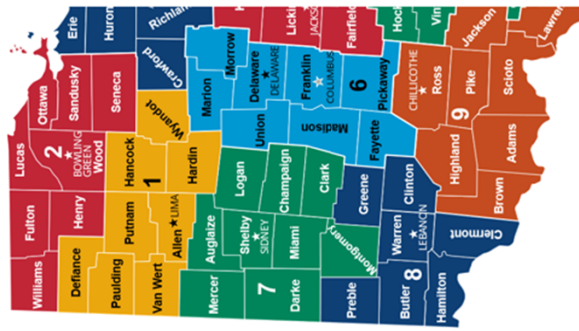
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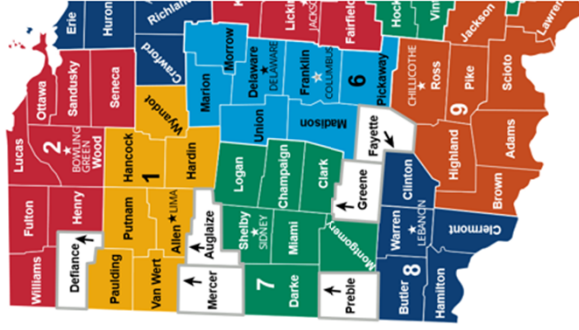
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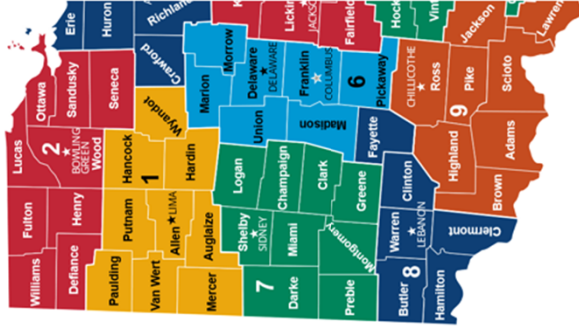
# DISTRICT REALIGNMENT



Before



Transition



After

Six counties will move to new districts:

- **Defiance County:** District 1 → District 2
- **Mercer & Auglaize Counties:** District 7 → District 1
- **Greene & Preble Counties:** District 8 → District 7
- **Fayette County:** District 6 → District 8







## TRUCK PARKING

- Why are we building truck parking in Ohio?
- How did we get to where we are today?
- What can contractors and ODOT districts expect to see with upcoming truck parking projects?

**BY THE NUMBERS...**

- 4 Regional Design Teams
- 12 Districts
- 2 Years
- \$150 Million
- 33 Sites Across Ohio
- 1400+ Truck Parking Spaces



**OHIO**

**TRUCK PARKING**

**MEGA PROJECT**

**WHY?**

## **Truck Parking Matters to Drivers:**

*Looking for Truck Parking Costs  
Truck Drivers ~\$6,000 per Year*

*# 1 Issue Identified by Truck  
Drivers - higher than  
compensation, economy, & fuel  
prices*

Rank	Truck Drivers
1	Truck Parking
2	Driver Compensation
3	Economy
4	Detention/Delay at Customer Facilities
5	Speed Limiters
6	Broker Issues
7	ELD Mandate
8	Fuel Prices
9	Autonomous Trucks
10	Driver Training Standards

Source: 2024 Critical Issues in the Trucking Industry from ATRI.

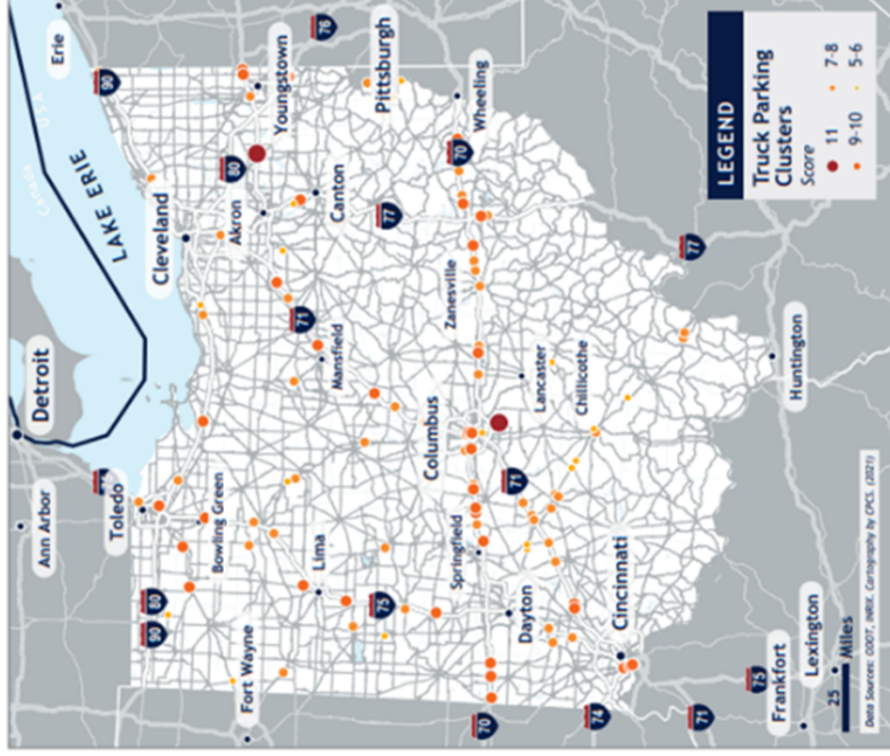
## WHY?

- The average over-the-road truck driver spends 56 minutes a day looking for safe, authorized parking.
- In Ohio, there is currently 1 truck parking space for every 11 trucks on the road.
- In the last 4 years, truck drivers reporting difficulty finding parking has increased from 75% to 98%.

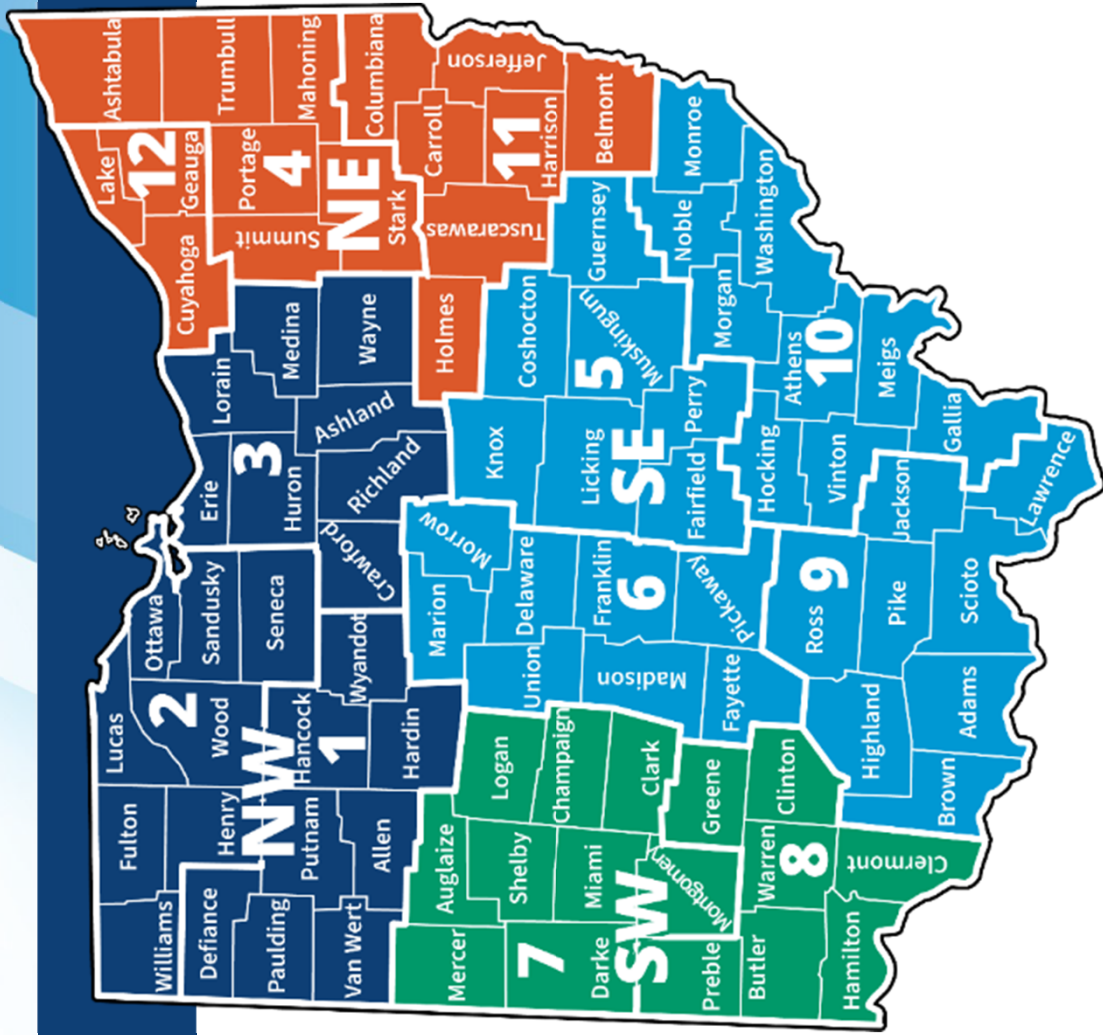


## THE SEARCH FOR TRUCK PARKING BUILDING SITES

- 83 “viable” sites were reduced to 21 sites carried forward to preliminary layouts
- Favored large sites
- Proximity to undesignated parking clusters/routes
- Spread across all of Ohio



NW Region –  
ODOT Districts  
1, 2 & 3



NE Region –  
ODOT Districts 4,  
11 & 12

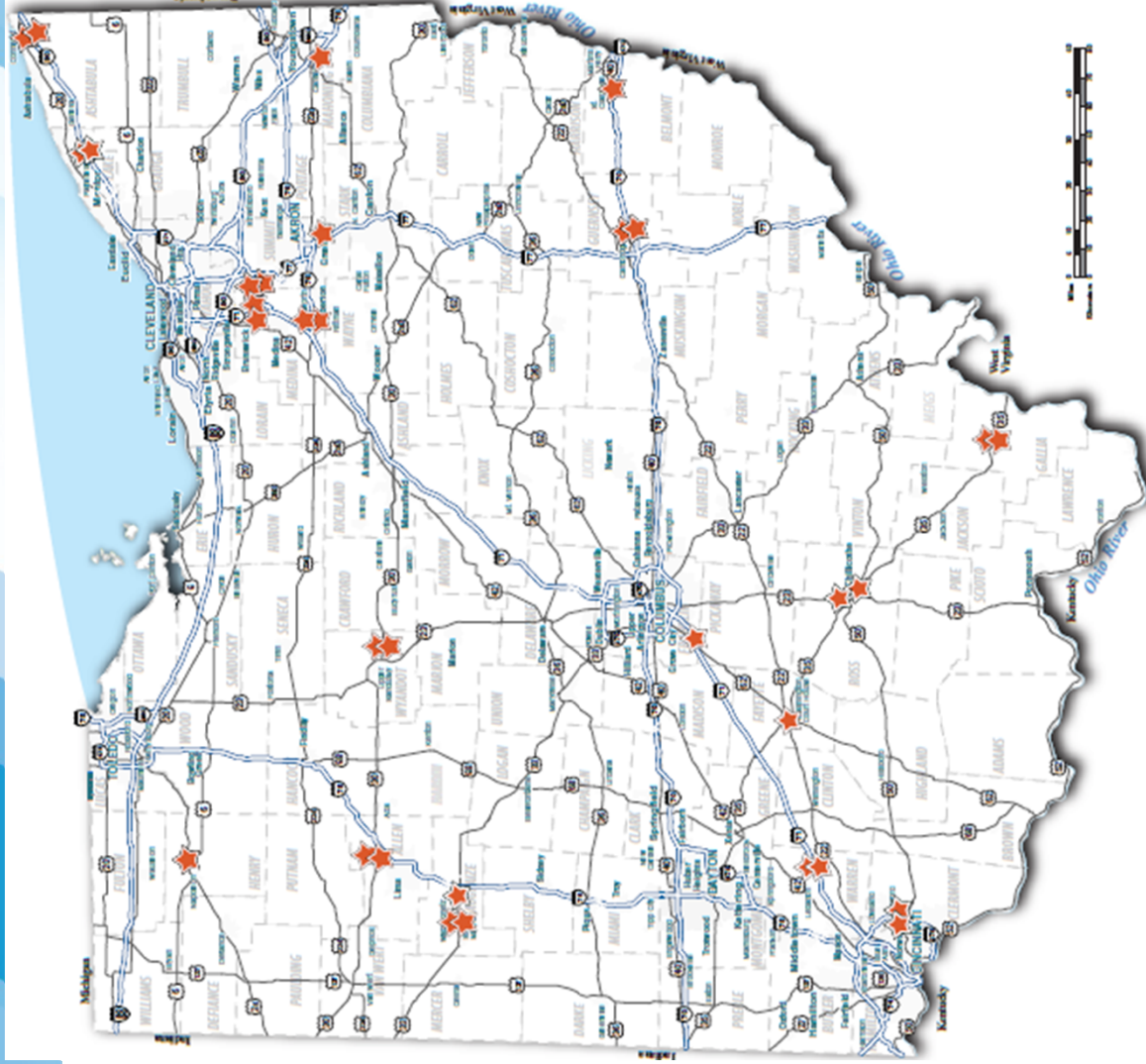
SW Region –  
ODOT Districts  
7 & 8

SE Region – ODOT  
Districts 5, 6, 9 &  
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## Goal:

- at least 1000 new truck parking spaces
- some open for use in 2026
- most open for use in 2027





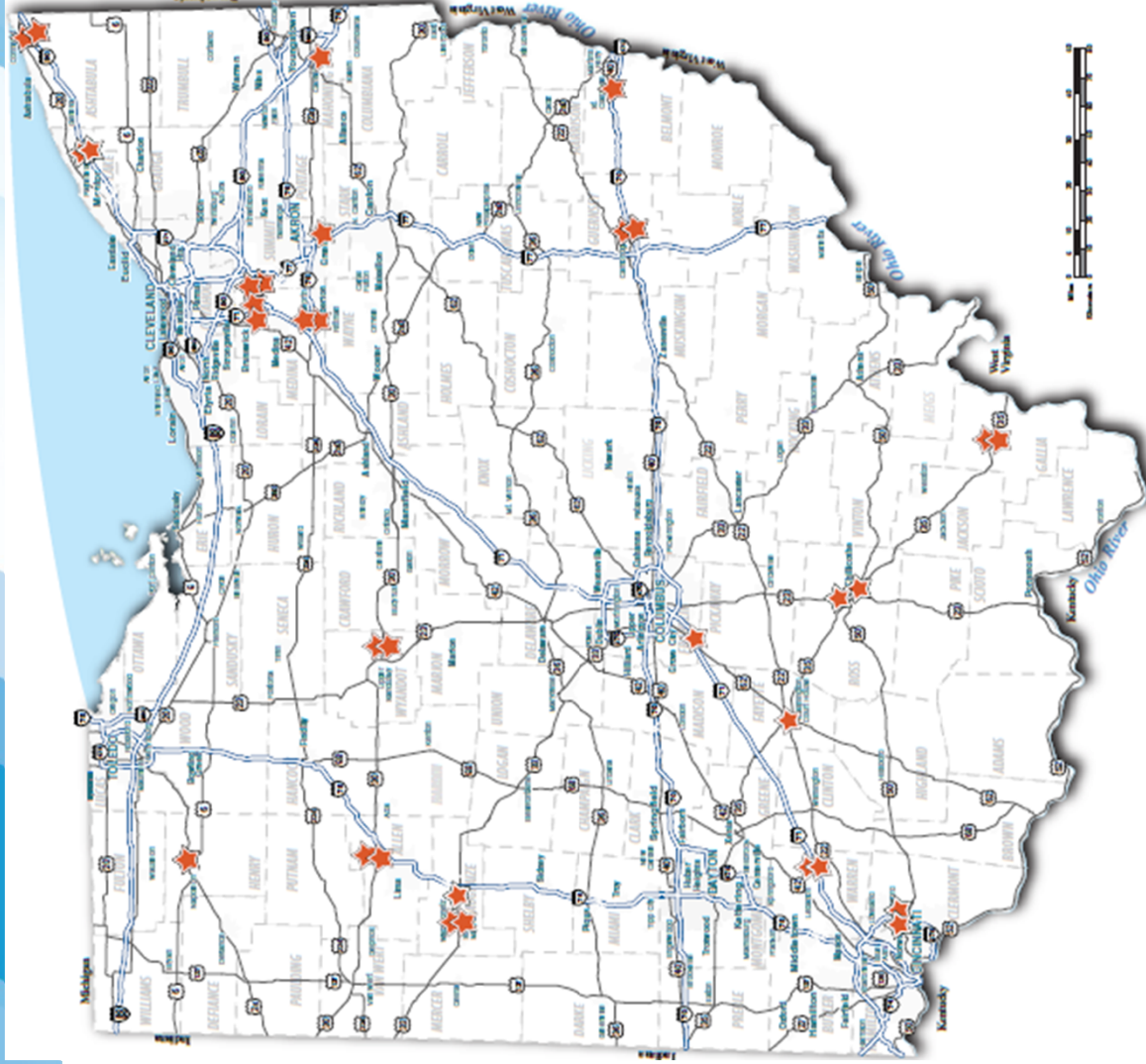
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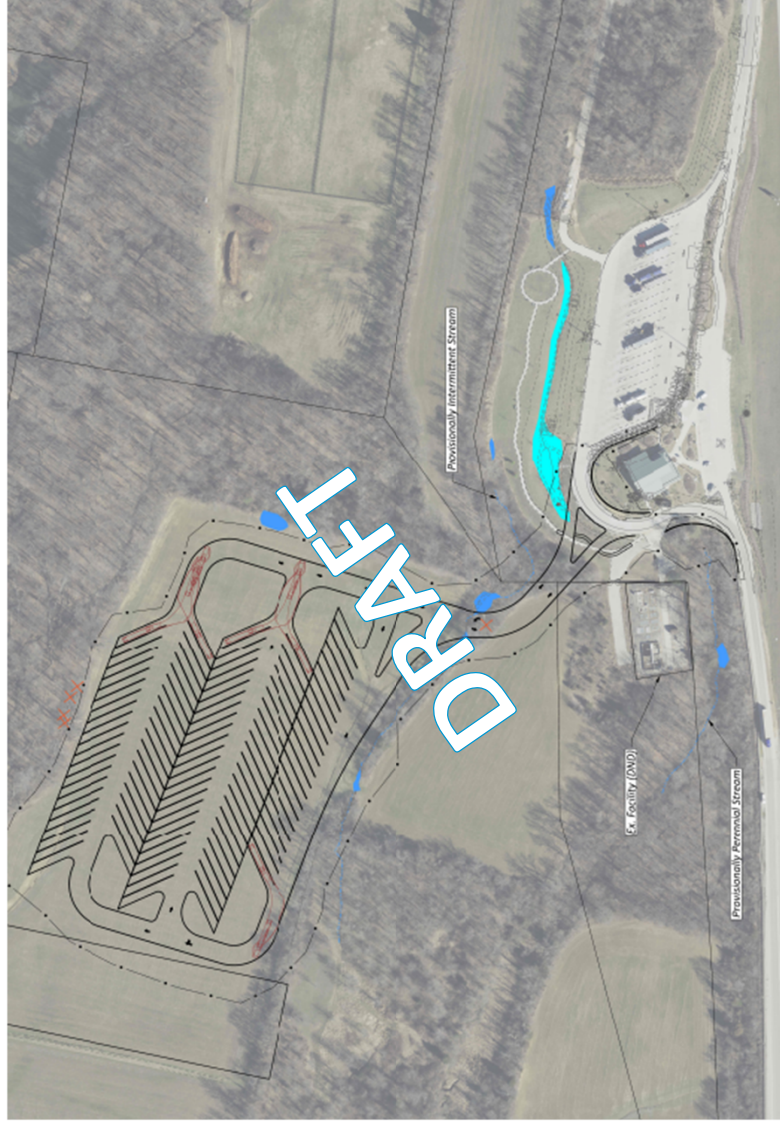
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# A SAMPLING OF SITES

**I-71 Rest Area SB  
Warren County  
+110 spaces**



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I-71 NB Rest Area – Warren County  
108 proposed parking spaces



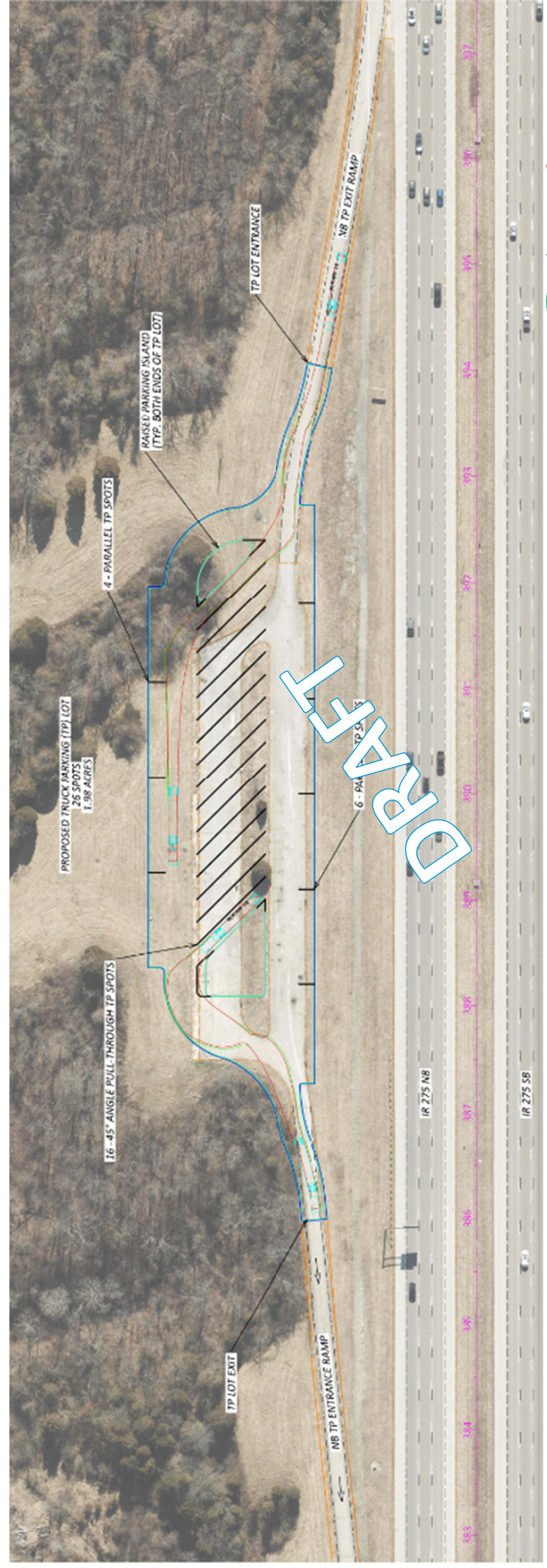
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I-275 NB Rest Area – Clermont County

34 proposed parking spaces

Final will be back-in parking



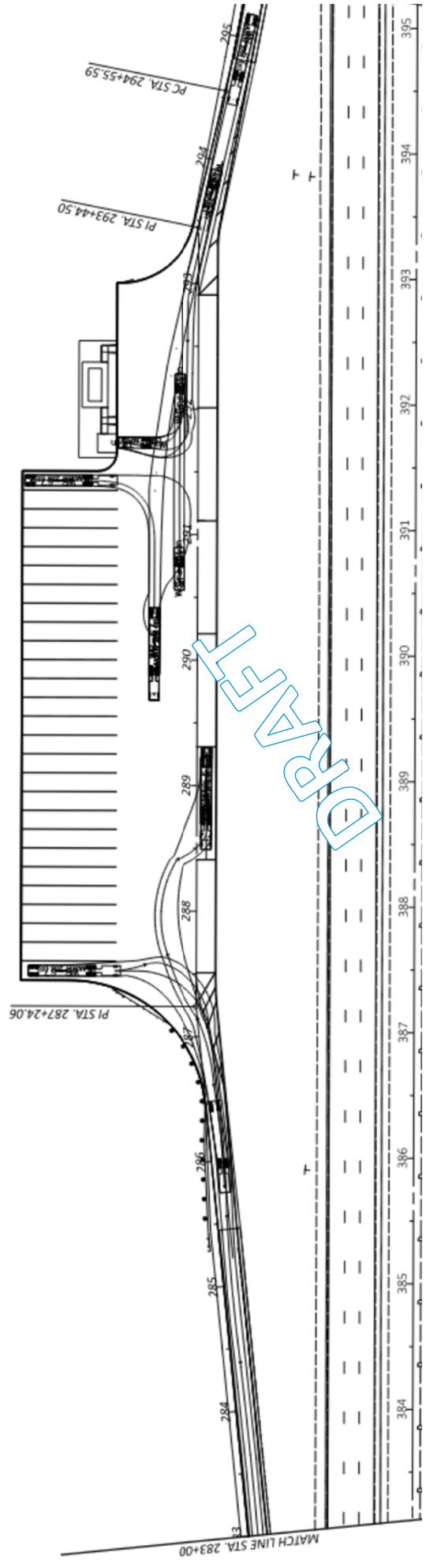
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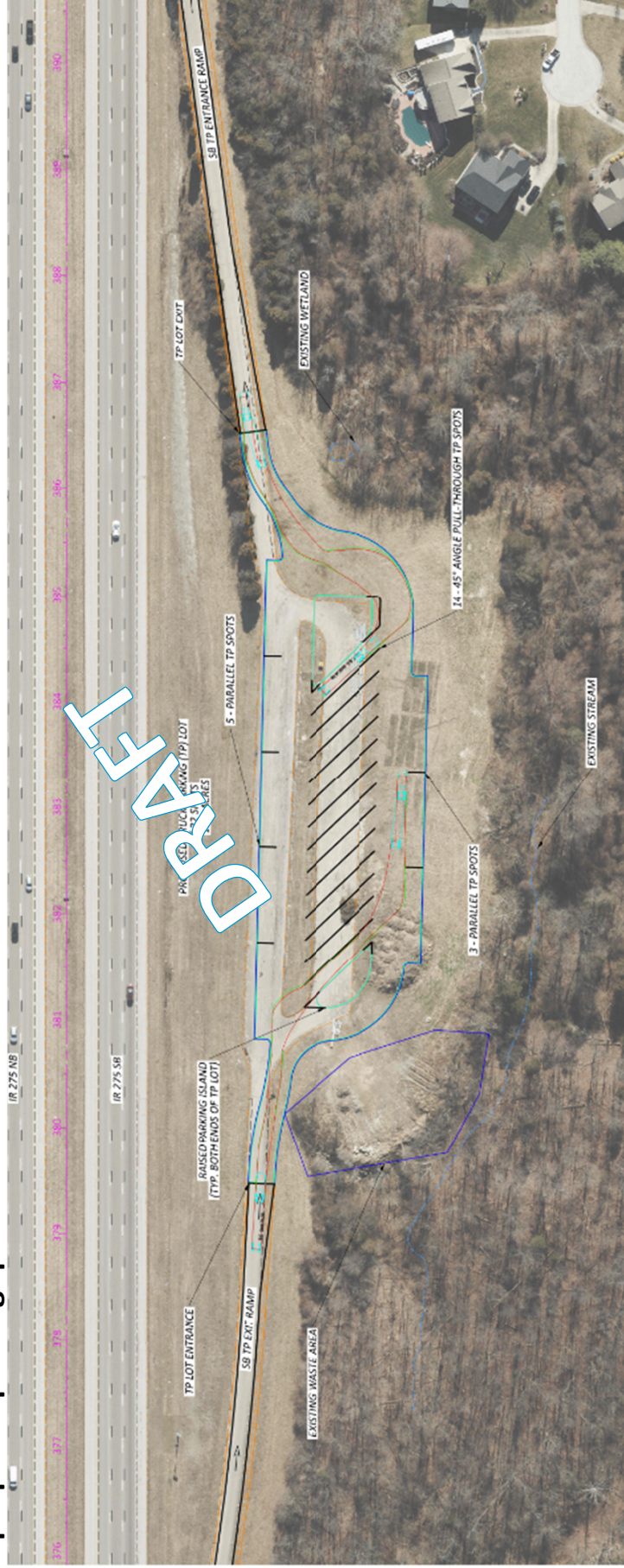
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# A SAMPLING OF SITES

## I-275 SB Rest Area – Clermont County 37 proposed parking spaces



## KEYS TO SUCCESS

Stay focused on the goal

- needs –vs– wants
- avoiding scope creep
- biggest impact for the money





## KEYS TO SUCCESS

### Innovative Amenities

Exercise Walking Paths

Security Cameras

Parking Occupancy  
Reporting Systems

Advanced  
Pavement  
Designs

Heated  
Sidewalks

Restroom Facility Odor  
Control Systems

Solar Powered  
Noise Walls

EV Charging

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## SCOPE OF WORK

What is included:

- ingress/egress (drives/ramps/etc.)
- parking lots
- drainage
- lighting
- restroom facilities (pit latrines – separate contract)
- signing/striping/traffic control

Pavement will be option bid on most sites (Concrete/Asphalt)



## WHAT'S NEXT?

- Sale dates for the 2026 sites (8 contracts/12 sites)
  - March 12, 2026
  - March 26, 2026
- 2027 sites are scheduled for a summer 2026 plan delivery and fall/winter 2026/2027 sale.



## WHAT'S NEXT?

3/12 Letting:

AUG-33/Willipie St.

LAK-90 (2 sites)

ROS-35/50

WYA-30 (2 sites)

3/26 Letting:

SUM-77

CLE-275 (2 sites)

MED-71 (2 sites)

ROS-23/159



## DISTRICT 8 PROJECTS AND PROGRAM...

- Is responsible for **4,665** lane miles of interstate, federal and state highways within the district's seven-county region that includes Butler, Clermont, Clinton, Greene, Hamilton, Preble & Warren counties.
- Maintains nearly **1,400** bridges across the seven counties.
- Has **17** garages and outposts used for maintenance operations.
- Has approximately **400** staff members; the majority of whom work in the county maintenance facilities.



## 2026 CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

Ohio's highways are essential for the easy movement of people and goods from place to place, and the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) is responsible for maintaining one of the largest transportation networks in the nation. Guided by ethical principles and accountability, ODOT works to improve safety, enhance travel and advance economic development.

With an estimated funding commitment of more than **\$549 million\*** in construction costs, District 8's construction program will consist of **118 new and ongoing** preservation, maintenance and safety improvement projects to be sold and/or constructed through CY2026.\*\*

The following projects represent a few highlights of construction activities across District 8 during the 2026 season. For a complete list of projects to be undertaking this year, refer to the construction guide or visit our web site at [www.transportation.ohio.gov](http://www.transportation.ohio.gov).

*\*The estimated total reflects both new construction projects and carry-over projects.*

*\*\*Due to production and planning variables, not all projects may be sold as proposed, and projects are subject to funding availability. Any cost estimates, sale dates or schedules cited in this document are subject to change, and estimated costs are the construction cost estimates established by District 8's Planning & Design staff prior to bid letting.*



## BUTLER COUNTY

### STATE ROUTE 73 RESURFACING

*Resurfacing between the city of Trenton and US 127, north of Seven Mile.*

**Overall Schedule:** June 2026 - November 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$2.77 million

### STATE ROUTE 503 RESURFACING

*Resurfacing between SR 73 at Seven Mile and the Preble County line.*

**Overall Schedule:** June 2026 - November 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$2.64 million

### STATE ROUTE 747 RESURFACING

*Resurfacing between Crescentville Road and Brate Drive, north of Union Centre Boulevard.*

**Overall Schedule:** June 2026 - September 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$3.67 million

## CLERMONT COUNTY

### STATE ROUTE 32 OVERPASS/THRU LANE CONSTRUCTION

*Construction of the Glen Este-Withamsville overpass and approaches; the Glen Este-Withamsville ramps; and the local connector distributor road construction on SR 32.*

**Overall Schedule:** January 2024 - August 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$30.79 million

### STATE ROUTE 125 RESURFACING

*Resurfacing between SR 222 and the village of Bethel.*

**Overall Schedule:** June 2026 - November 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$2.69 million

### INTERSTATE 275 REST AREA TRUCK PARKING

*Construction of truck parking at the vacant rest areas on I-275 North and South, south of the US 50/Milford Parkway interchange.*

**Overall Schedule:** June 2026 - October 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$6.57 million



## CLINTON COUNTY

### STATE ROUTE 350 RESURFACING

*Resurfacing between US 68 and SR 73.*

**Overall Schedule:** May 2026 - October 2026

**Construction Cost:** \$5.98 million

### US ROUTE 22 RESURFACING

*Resurfacing between the city of Wilmington and the Warren County line.*

**Overall Schedule:** June 2026 - November 2026

**Construction Cost:** \$1.98 million

### INTERSTATE 71 RESURFACING

*Resurfacing between the SR 380 overpass and US 68 interchange.*

**Overall Schedule:** May 2026 - November 2026

**Construction Cost:** \$3.29 million

## GREENE COUNTY

### US ROUTE 35 REHABILITATION

*Pavement and bridge rehabilitation, from the Montgomery County line to just east of N. Fairfield Road.*

**Overall Schedule:** July 2025 - October 2026

**Construction Cost:** \$6.59 million

### US ROUTE 35 INTERCHANGE EXPANSION

*Construction of an interchange at the intersection of US 35 and Valley/Trebein Road, west of Xenia.*

**Overall Schedule:** April 2023 - June 2026

**Construction Cost:** \$41 million

### US ROUTE 68 PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE

*Construction of a pedestrian bridge over US 68, connecting the Great Council State Park to the Little Miami Scenic Trail.*

**Overall Schedule:** May 2025 - June 2027

**Construction Cost:** \$8.9 million



# HAMILTON COUNTY

## **INTERSTATE 75 MILL CREEK EXPRESSWAY – PHASE 8**

*Phase 8 includes replacement of three railroad bridges located over Prosser Avenue, I-75, and SR 562, as well as reconstruction of railroad tracks and minor realignment of I-75.*

**Overall Schedule:** September 2024 - July 2027  
**Construction Cost:** \$46 million

## **INTERSTATE 75 MILL CREEK EXPRESSWAY – PHASE 8B**

*Phase 8B includes construction of a new pump station and a Combined Sewer Overflow (CSO) adjacent to Mill Creek, just south of the SR 126/Galbraith Road interchange.*

**Overall Schedule:** May 4 - December 2028  
**Construction Cost:** \$20 million

## **INTERSTATE 75 MILL CREEK EXPRESSWAY – PHASE 8C**

*Phase 8C includes widening I-75 to four lanes between Regina Graeter Way and the SR 126/Galbraith Road interchange.*

**Overall Schedule:** August 2025 - September 2027  
**Construction Cost:** \$76 million

## **INTERSTATE 74 RESURFACING**

*Resurfacing and bridge repair, from the Harrison Avenue interchange to just west of the SR 128 interchange.*

**Overall Schedule:** June 2026 – November 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$7.89 million

## **INTERSTATE 75 BRIDGE REPAIR & RESURFACING**

*On I-75 North over Mill Creek, NS Railroad, Benson Street and Sheperd Avenue, as well as resurfacing through the Lockland split.*

**Overall Schedule:** March 2026 - November 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$12.67 million

## **INTERSTATE 75/LINN STREET BRIDGE REPLACEMENT**

*Bridge replacement and reconstruction of Linn Street over I-75, between Gest Street and Court Street/Winchell Avenue.*

**Overall Schedule:** March 2026 - May 2029  
**Construction Cost:** \$46.77 million



## PREBLE COUNTY

### INTERSTATE 70 REST AREA TRUCK PARKING

Construction of truck parking at the vacant I-70 West rest area.

**Overall Schedule:** October 2026 – June 2027  
**Construction Cost:** \$14 million

### STATE ROUTE 726 BRIDGE REPLACEMENT

Bridge replacement of the structure over Bantas Fork, between the intersections of Winnerline Road.

**Overall Schedule:** July 2026 – June 2027  
**Construction Cost:** \$2.04 million

### N. MAPLE STREET RECONSTRUCTION

Reconstruction of N. Maple Street, between High and Mechanic streets, in the city of Eaton.

**Overall Schedule:** June 2026 – November 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$2.44 million

## WARREN COUNTY

### STATE ROUTE 73 RESURFACING

Resurfacing from Red Lion 5 Points Road to just east of Harveysburg Road, as well as left-turn lane addition at Old SR 73 near Waynesville.

**Overall Schedule:** June 2026 - November 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$4.72 million

### STATE ROUTE 73 RESURFACING

Urban paving project in the city of Springboro, between the intersections of Main Street and Red Lion 5 Points Road.

**Overall Schedule:** June 2026 - November 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$1.06 million

### US ROUTE 42 SIGNALIZATION

Installation of a new signal at US 42 and Corwin Avenue in Waynesville, as well as realignment of left-turn lanes on US 42.

**Overall Schedule:** April 2026 - July 2026  
**Construction Cost:** \$1.29 million



## UPCOMING PROGRAMMATIC CONSULTANT SELECTION

	5/4/2026 Group	9/8/2026 Group	1/11/2027 Group	5/3/2027 Group	9/7/2027 Group	1/10/2028 Group
Official Notification on the Website	5/4/2026	9/8/2026	1/11/2027	5/3/2027	9/7/2027	1/10/2028
Letters of Interest Response Due Date	5/26/2026	9/28/2026	2/1/2027	5/24/2027	9/27/2027	1/31/2028
Selection Announcement	6/26/2026	11/6/2026	3/5/2027	6/25/2027	11/5/2027	3/3/2028

*updated 3/9/2026*



## UPCOMING PROGRAMMATIC CONSULTANT SELECTION

Date	PID	Amount	Name	Description	Consultant Request
5/4/2026	105502	4,500,000	HAM LG FY 2028	Lighting replacements on Interstates inside the City of Cincinnati on IR-71 from the Ohio River to MLK.	Prepare construction plans thru the final engineering PDP phase. Project to include lighting replacements on Interstates inside the City of Cincinnati on IR-71 from the Ohio River to MLK
5/4/2026	116645		HAM Mt. Adams Inspection FY27-29	Inspection, monitoring, and maintenance of the Mt. Adams Slope Stability System.	Inspection and maintenance of the Mt. Adams slope stability system for a period of 3 years. Consultant may be required to complete maintenance construction contract plans to repair items identified.
5/4/2026	121447		HAM IR 75 7.85	Phase 8D of the Mill Creek Expressway. Reconstruction and widening of I-75 from SR 562 to Regina Greater Way. Reconstruction of SR 562 from I 75 to the Paddock Avenue interchange.	Provide Construction Engineering and Inspection Services, Project Specific for PID 121447 ... Prequal Categories: CONS INSP, CONS ADMIN



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Date	PID	Name	Description	Consultant Request
9/8/2026	109975	D08 TSINSP FY2026/FY2027	Y2026/FY2027 Electrical Devices Inspection Contract. Inspection of highway lighting installations, traffic signals, ITS devices, and other electrical devices. Services will include new construction and annual preventative maintenance inspections.	Construction traffic signal inspection contract. Inspection of various construction traffic signals, lighting and electrical items in District 8. Services also includes ITS efforts for Central Office. District services also include asset data collection, traffic count collection at intersections, traffic control plan review, traffic signal timing analysis, and/or programming traffic signal controllers. Agreement is for 24 months.
9/8/2026	114438	D08 BI FY2027/2028 (A)	D8 Consultant Bridge Inspection Contract for various truss bridges in the District for calendar year 2027 and 2028	D8 Consultant Bridge Inspection Contract for truss and complex bridges in District 8 for calendar year 2027 and 2028.
9/8/2026	114439	D08 BI FY2027/2028 (B)	D8 Consultant Bridge Inspection Contract for calendar year 2027 and 2028. Includes various fracture critical steel pier caps	District 8 consultant inspection contract of various fracture critical steel pier caps in the District for calendar year 2027 and 2028
9/8/2026	116289	D08/D07 GES Task Order FY26/27	District 8 and District 7 Design Task Order for FY2026-2027	This task order will provide general engineering services on a variety of projects in Districts 7 & 8. The contract limit will be \$1.5 million with a 24- month duration.





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## QUESTIONS