

# Walnut Ridge - Missouri State Line (Future I-57)

Clay, Greene, Lawrence, and Randolph Counties

ARDOT Job No. 100512

## What's Next?



### Review

FHWA and ARDOT will **review all comments** and consider and respond to all substantive comments received within the comment period. The public comment period will end **January 24, 2023**.



### FEIS/ROD

After a review of comments received from citizens, public officials, and public agencies, a combined Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) and Record of Decision (ROD) document will be prepared and submitted to FHWA, **documenting the final environmental clearances and impacts associated with the Preferred Alternative**. If FHWA issues the ROD, it would identify the Selected Alternative and conclude the NEPA process.



### Schedule and Funding

There is \$32 million identified in the **2021-2024 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP)** for additional studies, design, and ROW acquisition that are necessary prior to construction of Future I-57. In the **2023-2026 Draft STIP**, additional funds are included for the first segment of Future I-57. The first segment of construction has not been identified but before any ROW is acquired additional design will be completed and a design public hearing will be offered.