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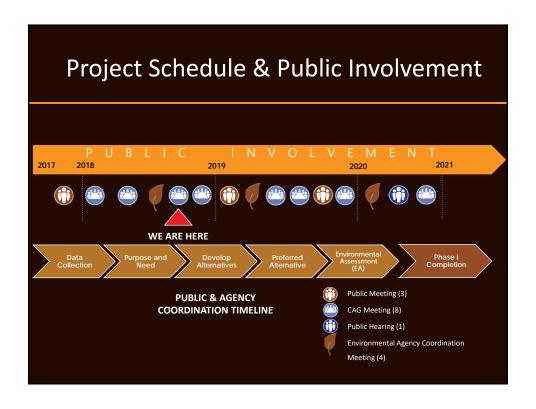


CAG Ground Rules

- Input from all participants is valued and considered.
- All participants must come to the process with an open mind and participate openly and honestly.
- All participants must treat each other with respect and dignity.
- All participants understand that topics will **not** be revisited once the issues have been addressed and general understanding is reached.

CAG Ground Rules cont'd

- The project must progress at a reasonable pace, based on the original project schedule.
- All decisions made by IDOT must be arrived at in a clear and transparent manner and the stakeholders should agree their input has been considered.
- Members of the media are welcome to attend the meetings as observers, not participants in the process.
- The participants and list of stakeholders are subject to change as the project warrants.





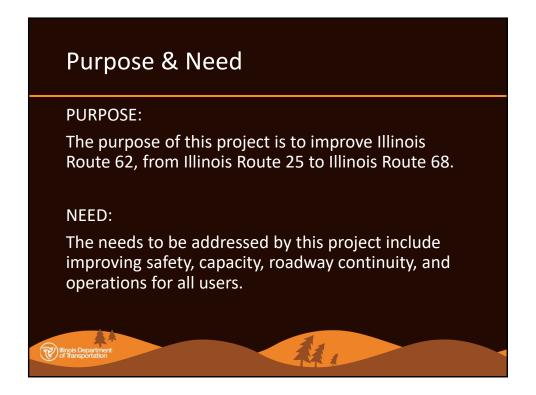
Problem Statement

The high volume of vehicles in combination with multiple uncontrolled access points on Illinois Route 62 impedes vehicle mobility, while increasing the potential for crashes within the project area.

The improvement should consider <u>and respect</u> the natural areas and community character while ultimately working to improve overall safety, reduce congestion, and increase multi-modal access along and across Illinois Route 62.









Alternatives to be Considered

As part of the Environmental Assessment we will evaluate:

- No-Build Alternative regular maintenance of existing facilities only
- Transit Alternatives
- Transportation System Management Alternative
- Alternative Routes
- Build Alternatives









Potential Build Alternatives Shared-Use Path Potential Typical Sections 3-lane 4-lane 6-lane Intersection Alternatives Grade Separation at Old Sutton Road

Illinois Department of Transportation

Existing IL 62 Medians

Illinois Route 62 – west of Illinois Route 25

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Illinois Route 62 – east of Illinois Route 68





Why Medians?

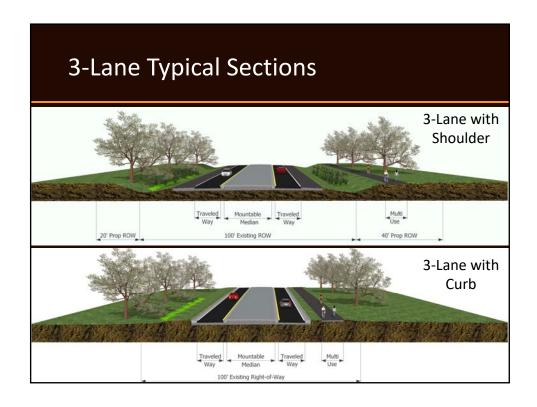
- IDOT Design Criteria
- Safety
 - Separation of opposing traffic
 - Protection for left-turning and crossing vehicles
- Traffic Calming
 - Potentially lowered vehicle speeds
- Access Management
 - Controlled access on and off IL 62
- Pedestrian/Equestrian/Bicyclist Refuge
- Potential for landscaping & snow storage



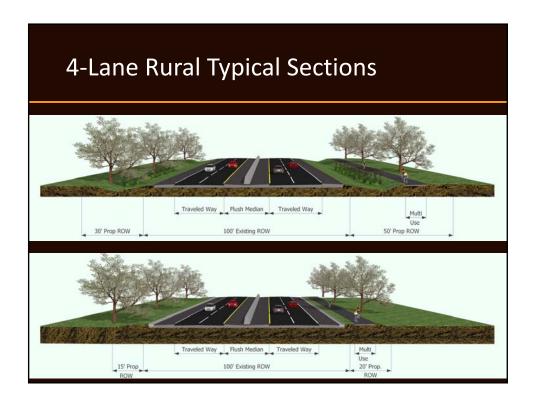


3-Lane Typical Sections

- Benefits
 - Safety
 - Pedestrian/Horse/Bicyclist Refuge
- Disadvantages
 - Limited Access Management
 - Capacity



4-Lane Rural Typical Sections Benefits Safety Access Management Pedestrian/Bicycle/Horse Refuge Landscaping & snow storage Wider Footprint Increased Impacts Roadway Continuity Capacity Capacity



4-Lane Suburban Typical Sections

- Benefits
 - Traffic calming effect
 - Safety
 - Access management
 - Pedestrian/Bicyclist/Horse Refuge
 - Landscaping & snow storage
- Disadvantages
 - Capacity



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Intersection Alternatives

- Traffic Signals (Helm Rd, Bateman Rd, Old Sutton Rd.) – based on signal warrant analysis
- Roundabouts
- Two-Way Stop Controlled (TWSC)



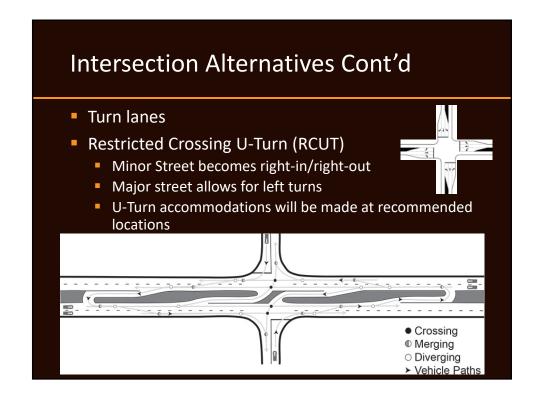




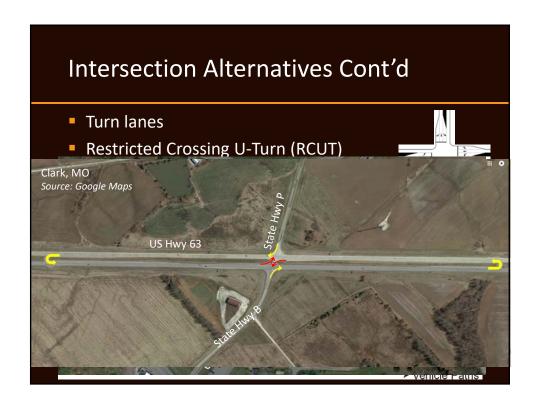


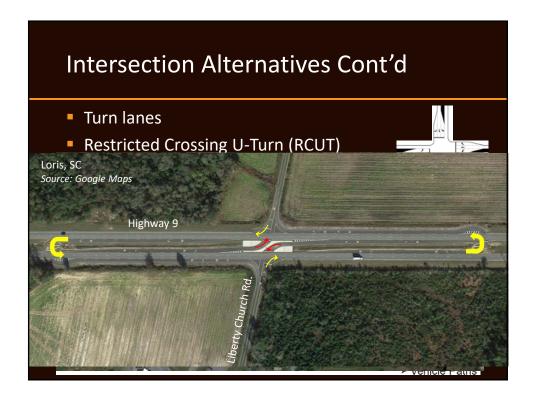
Intersection Alternatives Cont'd

- Turn lanes
- Restricted Crossing U-Turn (RCUT)
 - Minor Street becomes right-in/right-out
 - Major street allows for left turns
 - U-Turn accommodations will be made at recommended locations

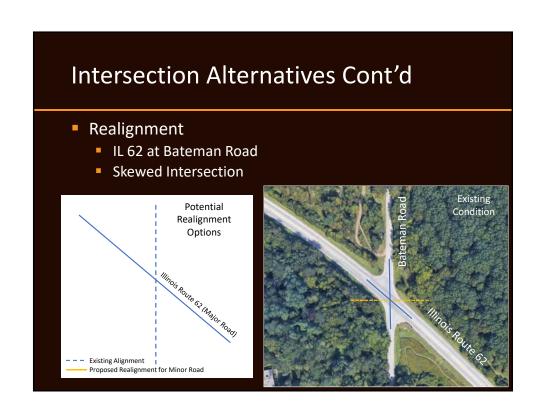








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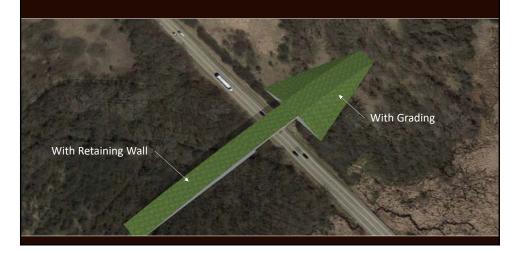
Grade Separation at Old Sutton Based on public input Bridge at Old Sutton Shared-Use Vehicles Change in traffic patterns Large footprint = Large Impacts

Vehicle/Shared-Use Bridge Alternative Old Sutton Road Bridge over Widened IL 62



Wildlife/Shared-Use Overpass

Shared-Use + Wildlife Overpass at Existing Crossing



Non-Motorized Travel Underpass Underpass Culvert or Bridge Underpass w/ Shared-use Path and Chicago River, IL Culvert



Next Steps Developing & Evaluating Alternatives CAG #4 – Fall/Winter 2018 Discuss screening & evaluation process Review Alternatives to be Carried Forward Public Meeting #2 – Early 2019 Present the Alternatives to be Carried Forward

