



KENT COUNTY



PROJECT: US 301, Blue Star Memorial Highway

DESCRIPTION: Replacement of Bridge No. 1701401 on US 301 Northbound over the Chester River.

PURPOSE & NEED SUMMARY STATEMENT: The purpose of this project is to replace a poor rated bridge to keep the roadway safe and open to traffic.

STATE GOALS : Maryland Transportation Plan (MTP) Goals/Selection Criteria:

- Enhance Safety and Security
- Deliver System Quality
- Serve Communities and Support the Economy
- Promote Environmental Stewardship

EXPLANATION: The existing bridge, built in 1955, is nearing the end of its useful service life and was rated poor based on the bridge deck condition.

SMART GROWTH STATUS: Project Not Location Specific Not Subject to PFA Law

- Project Inside PFA
- Project Outside PFA
- PFA Status Yet to Be Determined
- Grandfathered
- Exception Will Be Required
- Exception Granted

STATUS: Construction underway.

SIGNIFICANT CHANGE FROM FY 2023 - 28 CTP: None.

POTENTIAL FUNDING SOURCE:

- SPECIAL
- FEDERAL
- GENERAL
- OTHER

PHASE	TOTAL		EXPENDED IN 2023	CURRENT YEAR 2024	BUDGET YEAR 2025	PROJECTED CASH REQUIREMENTS FOR PLANNING PURPOSES ONLY				SIX YEAR TOTAL	BALANCE TO COMPLETE
	ESTIMATED COST (\$000)	EXPENDED THRU 2023				...2026...	...2027...	...2028...	...2029...		
Planning	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Engineering	2,178	2,151	58	27	0	0	0	0	0	27	0
Right-of-way	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Utilities	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Construction	10,263	4,310	4,304	5,953	0	0	0	0	0	5,953	0
Total	12,441	6,461	4,362	5,980	0	0	0	0	0	5,980	0
Federal-Aid	11,004	5,044	4,344	5,960	0	0	0	0	0	5,960	0
Special	1,437	1,417	18	20	0	0	0	0	0	20	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Classification:

STATE - Principal Arterial
 FEDERAL - Freeway/Expressway
 STATE SYSTEM: Primary

Estimated Annual Average Daily Traffic (vehicles per day)

CURRENT 13,500 (2023)

PROJECTED 17,600 (2043)

MINOR PROJECTS PROGRAM
(Dollars in Thousands)

STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION - Kent County - LINE 2

PROJECT ID	ROUTE NUMBER	PROJECT NAME	TOTAL PROGRAMMED COST	STATUS
<u>Resurface/Rehabilitate</u>				
XY9141	-	MILL AND RESURFACING AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS IN KENT COUNTY	\$ 3,902	Completed
XY9142	-	MILL AND RESURFACING AT VARIOUS LOCATIONS IN KENT COUNTY	\$ 7,344	Under Construction
<u>Sidewalks</u>				
KE3831	MD514	FLATLAND ROAD - SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS FROM CHESTERTOWN ROAD TO SUTTON WAY	\$ 3,688	FY 2025
<u>Transportation Alternatives Program</u>				
KENEW1	-	TOWN OF ROCK HALL - SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL	\$ 1	Completed