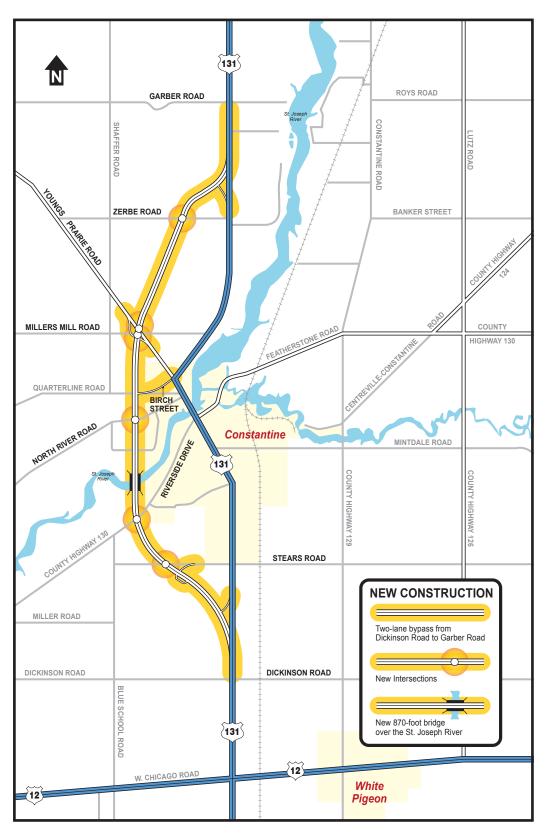


US-131 Constantine Bypass in St. Joseph County



What Is Being Done?

The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) is building a new, two-lane bypass of Constantine from Dickinson Road to Garber Road, as well as an 870-foot bridge over the St. Joseph River in St. Joseph County. The project will create new intersections with Stears Road, Riverside Drive, North River Road, Millers Mill Road, Youngs Prairie Road, and Zerbe Road. The project also will turn the following existing throughroads into cul-de-sacs: Stears Road, west of the bypass: and Birch Street and Millers Mill Road, east of the bypass.

- Construction is scheduled from February through November
- 4.85 miles of new construction, controlled access highway (at-grade intersections with other public roads, but no driveways or private access)
 - Garber Road to Dickinson Road
 - Two lanes, one in each direction
 - Includes new 870-foot bridge over the St. Joseph River
- The new bridge offers needed redundancy to the existing and aging bridge in Constantine over the St. Joseph River

For More Information

Contact MDOT's Kalamazoo Transportation Service Center at: 269-375-8900 For updates, go to www.michigan.gov/drive.

