



Township Road 99 Bridge Replacement/Union County

Project Name: (5879) Township Road 99 Bridge Replacement

Community : Union County

Project Description: The project will replace the 1913 bridge with a modern covered bridge bringing tourism to the country which will be highlighted at the County's Annual Covered Bridge Festival.

Project Sponsor: Union County Engineer

Community Economic Distress Factors: Union County jobless rate is 7.6% and the yearly median income is \$51,743.

Economic Development Potential: The Union County Engineer's office says replacing this bridge with a covered bridge bring tourism to the region.

Multi-modal Connectivity/Innovation Factor: Because this project will replace the existing bridge with a covered bridge, more wood products will be utilized. This will also be an attraction for tourists and highlighted yearly at the county's Covered Bridge Festival.

Work to Begin: 91 -180 days

Estimated Completion: 2010

Stimulus Investment: \$377,000

Total Project Cost: \$1,704,454