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The update is a general guide to the construction operations on the I-75/SR 4 interchange modernization and the Stanley Ave. project. Any timeframes listed within are subject to change without notice due to changing weather or field conditions. This information will be updated monthly or as needed.

## July 2010

**Interstate 75** - Traffic has been shifted to the outside of I-75 northbound from the beginning of the project to Stanley Avenue. Traffic on I-75 southbound is shifted to the new pavement that has been constructed to the west of existing I-75 southbound. The new exit ramps from I-75 southbound to Main St. and Main St. to I-75 southbound are complete and open to traffic.

The I-75 southbound ramp to northbound SR 4/Webster St. exit is now open. Motorists wishing to access northbound SR 4 and Webster St. from I-75 southbound will now exit on the right side of I-75.

The widening and full reconstruction of Main St. has begun from Great Miami Blvd. to Babbitt St. Traffic has been shifted to the east side of Main St. while crews work on the west side of Main St. This configuration will remain in place through fall.

**Structures** - Work continues on the I-75 northbound and southbound mainline bridge over the Great Miami River. This bridge, located east of the existing bridge will eventually carry all through traffic on I-75 over the Great Miami River.

The new SR 4 southbound flyover bridge is now open for traffic. This bridge carries traffic to I-75 southbound and eventually will provide an exit to Main St. directly from SR 4. Work continues on the I-75 southbound bridge over Main St., as well as the second phase of the full replacement of the I-75 structure over Keowee St.

The first of two noise walls is complete.



Looking at the new bridge that will carry I-75 NB traffic to SR 4 NB.



Looking at the concrete slope protection for the new I-75 bridge over Keowee Street.

## **Ramps**

### **Permanently Closed (Currently)**

I-75 southbound off ramp to Keowee St.  
Grand Avenue to northbound I-75  
I-75 southbound to Grand Avenue  
Grand Avenue to I-75 southbound

### **Permanently Closed (Future)**

Riverside to I-75 northbound

## **Estimated Upcoming Milestones**

Shift northbound and southbound I-75 to new the new southbound pavement: December 2009  
Current Completion Date: October 2011

The Project is 81% Complete.

## **Stanley Avenue Update –November 2009**

**Interstate 75** – Traffic on I-75 is currently reduced to two lanes in each direction, with traffic shifted to the outside so work can progress on the interior portions of the bridge. Installation of the median barrier wall has been completed. Remaining roadway work includes installing the permanent signs, finishing the new median lighting and placing the final course of asphalt, followed by pavement markings. Lane closures will be needed at night this month so the contractor can remove the temporary concrete barrier wall and place the surface course of asphalt. The roadway is expected to open to traffic in its permanent position in mid-July 2010, depending on weather.

**Stanley Avenue** - There is only a minimal amount of work remaining on Stanley Ave., including the placement of the final pavement markings, installation of the new traffic signal at the southbound I-75 ramps and installation of new lighting. Most of this work is expected to be completed this month. Two lanes of traffic will typically be available on Stanley Ave.

**Structures** – Sealing the concrete median and deck grooving were completed late last month. There is only a minimal amount of work remaining on the bridge.

**Ramps** – The following ramps are affected by the project:

- Northbound I-75 to Neva Dr. (permanently closed)
- Southbound I-75 from Neva Dr. (permanently closed)
- Stanley Ave. to northbound I-75 (temporarily closed – reopens late Spring/Early Summer 2010)
  - The following detour is posted: West on Stanley Ave., north on Keowee St., east on Wagner Ford Rd. to I-75.
- Windham St. to northbound I-75 (permanently closed)
- Access between southbound I-75 and Stanley Ave. is being maintained on the newly reconstructed ramps.
- The ramp from northbound I-75 to Stanley Ave. will not be affected by the project.

### **Upcoming Milestone Dates**

Install new signals and lighting on Stanley Ave.: Early Summer 2010

Place surface course of asphalt and final striping: July 2010

Current completion date: July 28, 2010

The project is 91% complete.