



# **Cost & Funding**

Estimated \$1.2 Billion for entire project

Federal and state monies, with communities funding local enhancements

# Construction



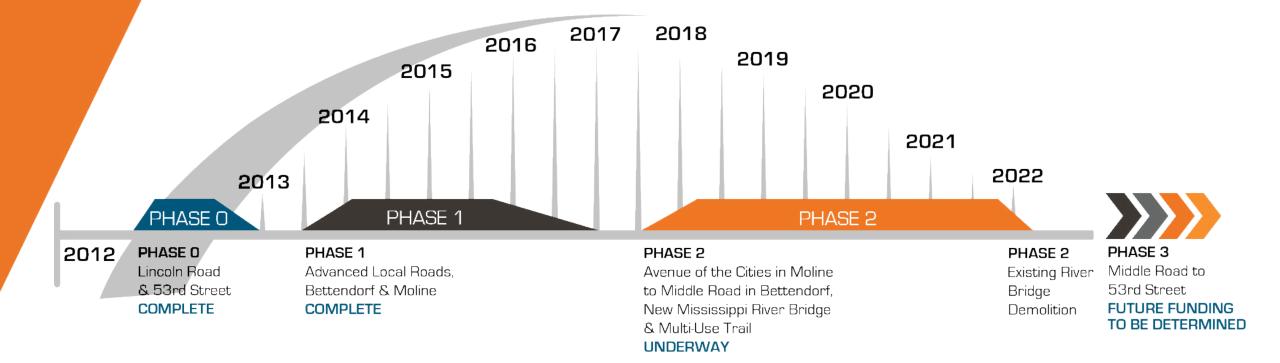
## **Oversight**

- Iowa DOT
- Illinois DOT
- FHWA
- General Engineering Consultant Team
  - Entire corridor oversight
  - Scheduling
  - Financial oversight
  - Traffic control
  - Environment
  - Utility coordination
  - Communications/outreach
- CE&I

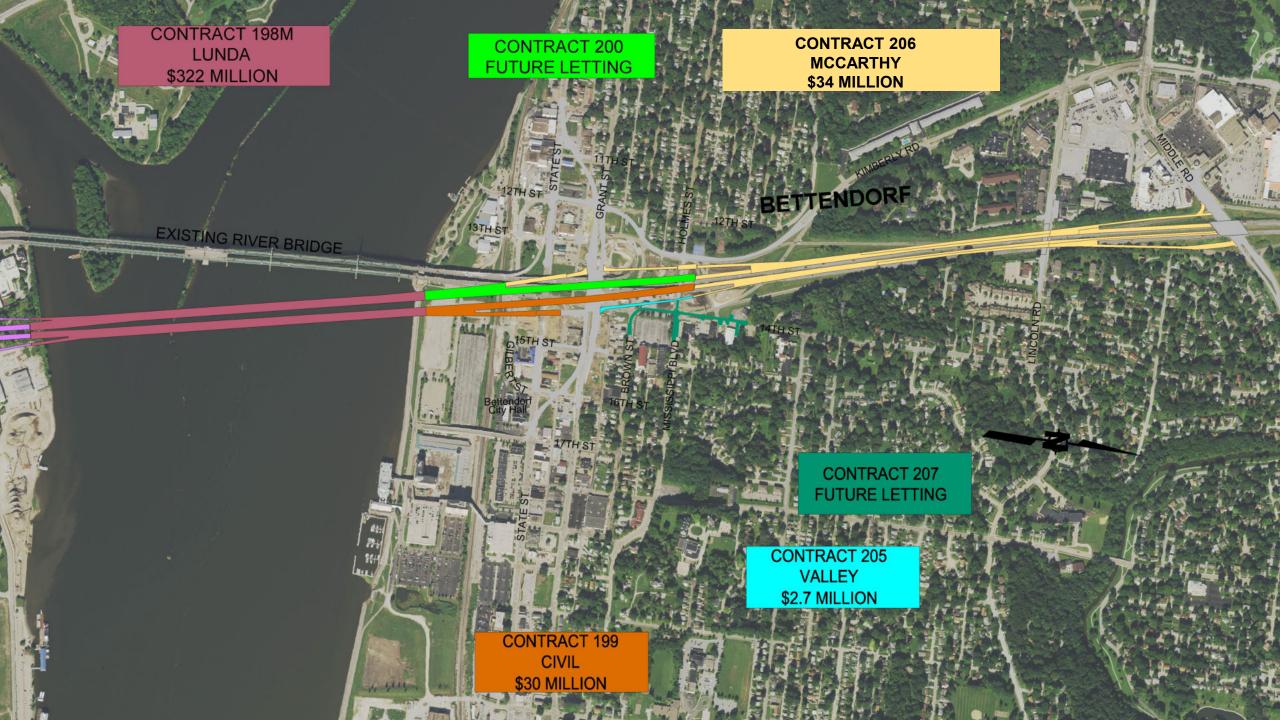








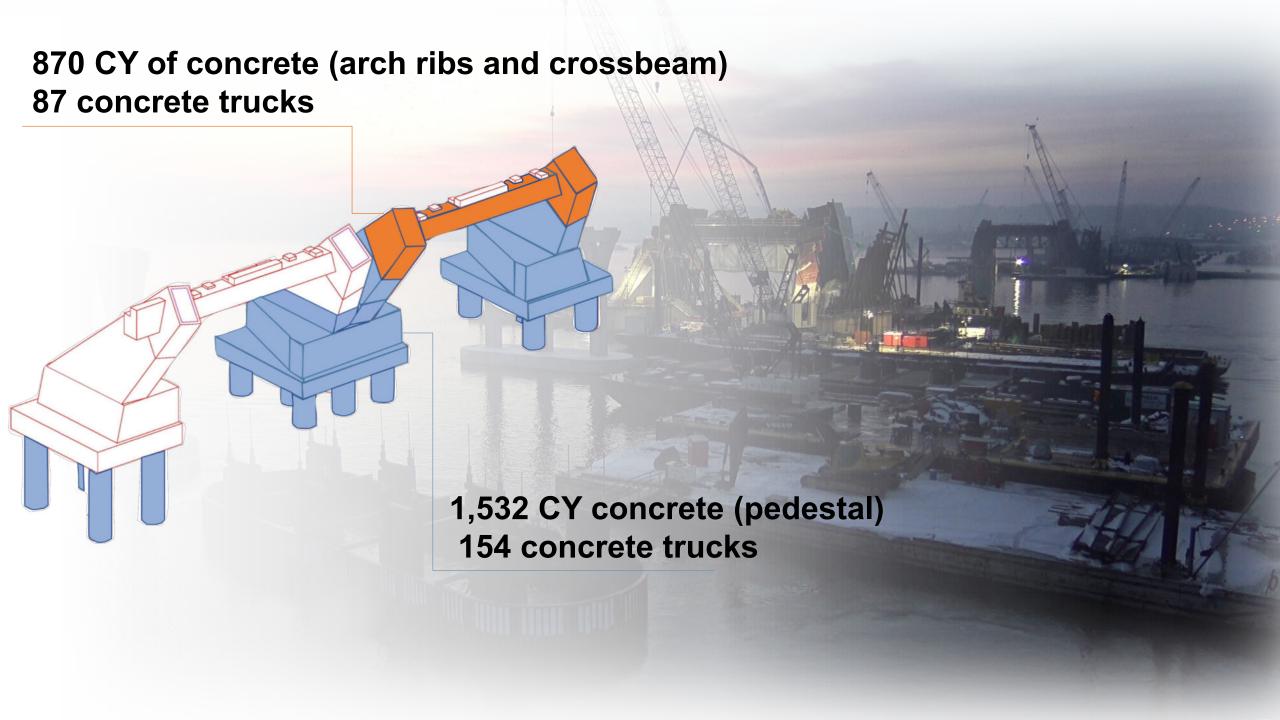


































# **Project Highlights**

- Over 88 subcontractors (50+ from the region)
- Over 300 workers on average per day
- Over 200,000 cubic yards of concrete
- Over 30M lbs of rebar
- Over 70M lbs of structural steel
- Over 75 miles of electrical wire
- 14 miles of fiber optic cable
- 1,300 luminaires

# Challenges & Solutions





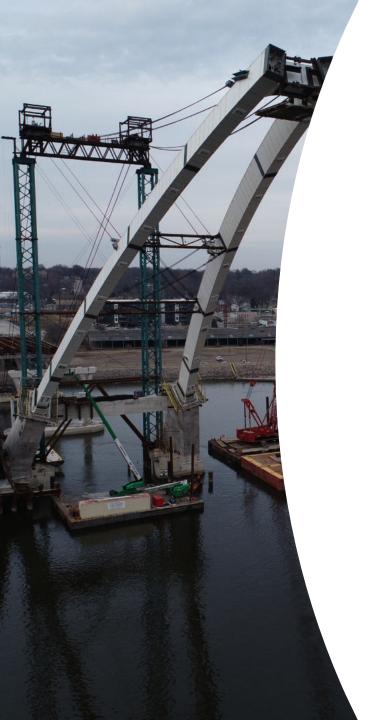
## Construction

#### Challenges:

- Abutments (Moline)
- Settlement (Bettendorf)

#### Solutions:

- Rigid inclusion
- Steps to minimize settlement time



### Construction

- Challenges:
  - Arch erection
- Solutions:
  - Developed task force
  - Floor system pre-assembly
  - Deck pours
  - Complete non-essential tasks and finishing items after the bridge is open



## **Traffic**

#### Challenges:

- Maintain bridges for local traffic
- Maintain two lanes of local traffic
- Reduce congestion on local route
- Train delays in Illinois
- Changing motorist behavior
- Construction delays

## **Traffic**

#### Solutions:

- Detour interstate thru-traffic
- Local traffic detoured to local roads
- Continue to improve signage, traffic signals, pavement markings
- U-turn on completed structure to avoid train delays

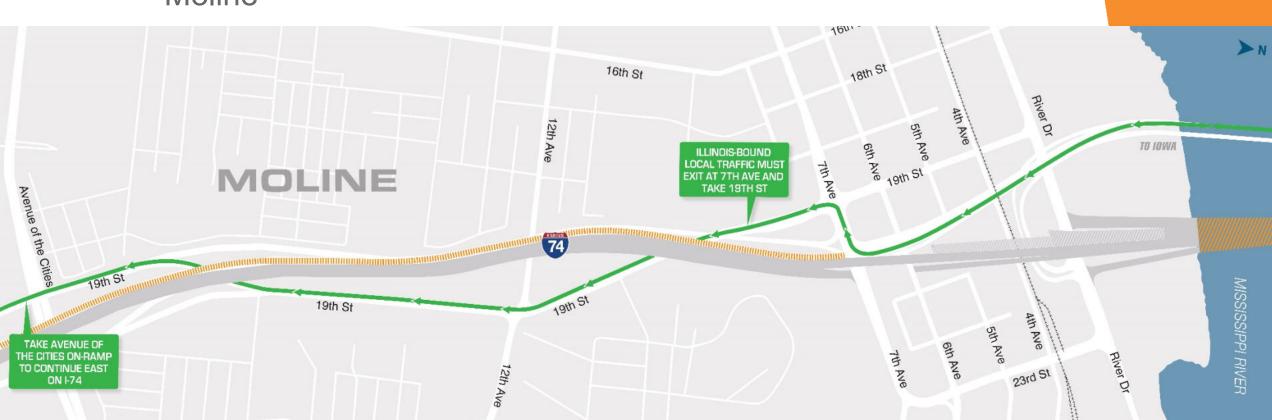




## **Traffic**

#### Solutions:

 Propose eastbound route to allow work to continue in Moline











# **Extensive Public Outreach**







## **Next Steps**

- Complete arches for westbound bridge
- Complete westbound approaches and main span
- Continue working on eastbound bridge
- Continue working on eastbound mainline
- Continue to keep public informed of changing traffic patterns and progress







