

I-35 at US 79 (southbound) CONSTRUCTION INFORMATION

Project Overview

The I-35 at US 79 (southbound) project will address congestion on one of the top 100 [most congested roadways in Texas](#). Population growth in Williamson County has increased congestion along the I-35 corridor, which serves as the backbone of the local, regional and national transportation network. With more than 180,000 vehicles traveling on this segment of I-35 each day, this project will enhance safety and improve mobility in this area.

Work includes constructing an extended entrance and exit lane to eliminate merging conflicts between the US 79 entrance ramp and SH 45 North exit (#250). The project will also shift the median barrier, restripe the southbound I-35 mainlanes to accommodate the new lane and install high-mast lighting. There will be no construction on the frontage roads or changes to ramp locations.

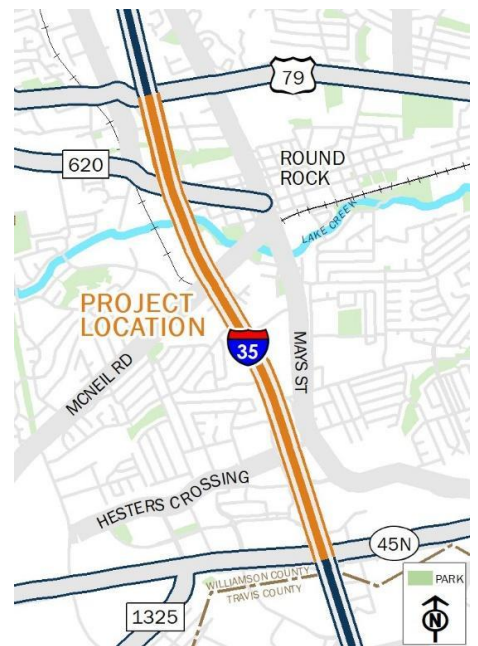
Construction Phases

Work on this improvement project will take place in four phases:

- **Phase 1:** Set up work zone
- **Phase II:** Remove existing median barrier
- **Phase III:** Install new median barrier, widen southbound I-35 mainlanes and install high-mast lighting
- **Phase IV:** Perform final signage installation, paving and striping

Details

The \$8.4 million project is funded by TxDOT's Texas Clear Lanes Congestion Relief Initiative. Construction started in February 2022 and is expected to be complete in mid-2023, weather permitting. The contractor for the project is J.D. Abrams L.P.



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