

## SOUTHWEST REGION

The Southwest Region covers nine counties in the southwestern part of the state: Allegan, Barry, Berrien, Branch, Calhoun, Cass, Kalamazoo, St. Joseph, and Van Buren counties. Major state highways include I-69, I-94, I-196, US-12, US-31, and US-131.

The region is traversed by I-94, an important international trade corridor linking Port Huron and Detroit to Chicago and Toronto. This makes the Southwest Region an ideal location for many industries, particularly those supporting the automobile manufacturing industry. The region also is home to a significant portion of the agricultural industry, encompassing over 9,500 farms that annually produce agricultural products with a market value of over \$900 million. To bolster industries and commerce that are important to the region and the state, project selection emphasizes freeway improvements and modernization.

To find contact information for the Southwest Region office or any of the Southwest Region TSCs, go to:

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To find information on a major project in the Southwest Region, go to:

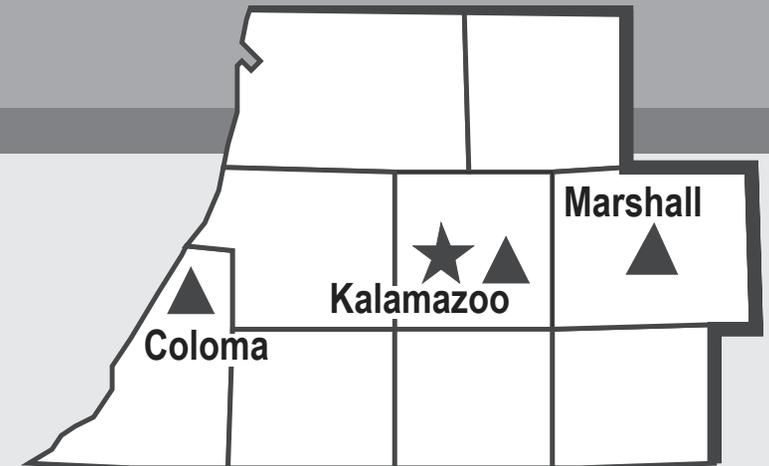
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### Capacity Improvements and New Roads Program

**I-94, US-131 to Sprinkle Road in Kalamazoo County.** This project will widen I-94 from two to three lanes in each direction between the US-131 interchange and Sprinkle Road. Construction for the first segment between US-131 and Oakland Drive is complete and open to traffic. Construction of the next segment from Oakland Drive east to east of Lover's Lane is under way and will be completed in 2011.

**US-131, Constantine Bypass in St. Joseph County.** This project includes a new two-lane bypass of the village of Constantine from just north of Dickinson Road to south of Garber Road. Design and right-of-way acquisition is under way and construction will begin in 2012.

**US-31, Napier Avenue to I-94 in Berrien County.** This project will complete the last section of US-31 as a four-lane freeway between Napier Avenue and I-94 east of Benton Harbor. The design is complete and right-of-way acquisition will continue in 2011.



# 2011-2015 ROAD & BRIDGE PROGRAM

## REPAIR AND REBUILD - ROADS AND BRIDGES

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### BRIDGE - REPLACEMENT AND REHABILITATION

COUNTY	ROUTE (COMMON NAME)	DIR.	LOCATION	TYPE OF WORK	LENGTH	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
ALLEGAN	M-89		M-89 (ALLEGAN ST) OVER KALAMAZOO RIVER MILL RACE	BRIDGE REPLACEMENT	0.196		CON			
ALLEGAN	US-131		M-89 OVER US-131	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.390		CON			
ALLEGAN	US-131		M-89 OVER US-131	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.390		CON			
ALLEGAN	US-131		106TH AVENUE OVER US-131	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.436	CON				
ALLEGAN	US-131		US-131 NB OVER RABBIT RIVER	OVERLAY - DEEP	3.327	CON				
ALLEGAN	US-131		US-131 SB OVER RABBIT RIVER	OVERLAY - DEEP	3.327	CON				
ALLEGAN	US-131		US-131 NB OVER 120TH AVENUE	OVERLAY - DEEP	3.327	CON				
ALLEGAN	US-131		US-131 SB OVER 120TH AVENUE	OVERLAY - DEEP	3.327	CON				
ALLEGAN	US-131		144TH AVENUE OVER US-131	SUPERSTRUCTURE REPAIR	3.327	CON				
ALLEGAN	US-131		146TH AVENUE OVER US-131	SUPERSTRUCTURE REPAIR	3.327	CON				
ALLEGAN	US-31 BR		US-31 BR (58TH) OVER N BRANCH MACATAWA RIVER	BRIDGE REPLACEMENT	0.102	CON				
ALLEGAN	US-31 BR		US-31 BR (RAMP) OVER N BRANCH MACATAWA RIVER	BRIDGE REPLACEMENT	0.102	CON				
BARRY	M-43		M-43 OVER THORNAPPLE RIVER	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.167		CON			
BERRIEN	I-196		I-196 NB OVER COLOMA ROAD	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.281	CON				
BERRIEN	I-196		I-196 SB OVER COLOMA ROAD	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.281	CON				
BERRIEN	I-196		RED ARROW HIGHWAY OVER I-196	SUPERSTRUCTURE REPAIR	0.030	CON				
BERRIEN	I-196		I-196 NB OVER CSX RAILROAD	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.394	CON				
BERRIEN	I-196		I-196 SB OVER CSX RAILROAD	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.394	CON				
BERRIEN	I-94		M-63 OVER I-94	OVERLAY - SHALLOW	0.042		CON			
BERRIEN	I-94		I-94 EB OVER HICKORY CREEK	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.510		CON			
BERRIEN	I-94		I-94 WB OVER HICKORY CREEK	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.510		CON			
BERRIEN	I-94		EMPIRE ROAD OVER I-94	OVERLAY - SHALLOW	2.643			CON		
BERRIEN	I-94		CARMODY ROAD OVER I-94	OVERLAY - SHALLOW	2.643			CON		
BERRIEN	I-94		COUNTY LINE ROAD OVER I-94	OVERLAY - SHALLOW	2.643			CON		
BERRIEN	I-94		HARBERT ROAD OVER I-94	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.664			CON		
BERRIEN	M-139		M-139 OVER DOWAGIAC RIVER	BRIDGE REPLACEMENT	0.000		CON			
BERRIEN	US-12 BR (Main St)		US-12 BR (MAIN) OVER ST JOSEPH RIVER	BRIDGE REPLACEMENT	0.140				CON	
BRANCH	I-69		JONESVILLE ROAD OVER I-69	SUPERSTRUCTURE REPAIR	0.370	CON				
BRANCH	M-86		M-86 OVER BATAVIA #1 & #7 DRAIN	CULVERT REPLACEMENT	0.987	CON				
BRANCH	US-12		US-12 OVER MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILROAD	BRIDGE REPLACEMENT	0.189			CON		
CALHOUN	I-194		I-194 OVER I-94 BL (DICKMAN ROAD)	SUPERSTRUCTURE REPAIR	0.121	CON				
CALHOUN	I-194		I-194 OVER FOUNTAIN STREET	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.121	CON				
CALHOUN	I-194		I-194 OVER GTW RAILROAD	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.110	CON				
CALHOUN	I-69		P DRIVE S OVER I-69	OVERLAY - DEEP	1.390	CON				
CALHOUN	I-94		22 1/2 MILE ROAD OVER I-94	OVERLAY - SHALLOW	0.309	CON				
CALHOUN	I-94		M-199 (26 MILE ROAD) OVER I-94	OVERLAY - SHALLOW	0.309	CON				
CALHOUN	M-66		M-66 OVER WANONDAGA CREEK	BRIDGE REPLACEMENT	0.785		CON			
CALHOUN	M-96		M-96 (COLUMBIA) OVER RAYMOND ROAD	SUPERSTRUCTURE REPLACEMENT	0.128			CON		
CASS	M-62		M-51 OVER DOWAGIAC RIVER	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.963		CON			
CASS	M-62		M-62 OVER DOWAGIAC CREEK	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.963		CON			
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**BRIDGE - REPLACEMENT AND REHABILITATION**

COUNTY	ROUTE (COMMON NAME)	DIR.	LOCATION	TYPE OF WORK	LENGTH	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
KALAMAZOO	I-94		SPRINKLE ROAD OVER I-94	BRIDGE REPLACEMENT	0.100					CON
KALAMAZOO	I-94		CORK STREET OVER I-94	BRIDGE REPLACEMENT	0.063					CON
KALAMAZOO	M-331		M-331 (PARK STREET) OVER AXTELL CREEK	BRIDGE REPLACEMENT	0.002		CON			
KALAMAZOO	US-131		I-94 BUSINESS LOOP (STADIUM DRIVE) OVER US-131	BRIDGE REPLACEMENT	0.040				CON	
KALAMAZOO	US-131		M-43 (MAIN STREET) OVER US-131	OVERLAY - DEEP	0.300			CON		
VAN BUREN	I-94		64TH ST (CR687) OVER I-94	OVERLAY - SHALLOW	1.979			CON		
VAN BUREN	I-94		62ND STREET OVER I-94	OVERLAY - SHALLOW	1.979			CON		
VAN BUREN	I-94		52ND STREET (CR 365) OVER I-94	OVERLAY - SHALLOW	1.979			CON		
VAN BUREN	I-94		50TH STREET OVER I-94	OVERLAY - SHALLOW	1.979			CON		
					17.158					

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## REPAIR AND REBUILD ROADS

COUNTY	ROUTE (COMMON NAME)	DIR.	LOCATION	TYPE OF WORK	LENGTH	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
ALLEGAN	I-196		SB ONLY 130TH AVENUE NORTH TO US-31	RESTORATION AND REHABILITATION	7.375				CON	
ALLEGAN	I-196		130TH NORTH TO US-31	MISCELLANEOUS	8.554	CON				
ALLEGAN	I-196 NB		AT THE SAUGATUCK REST AREA #727	ROADSIDE FACILITIES - IMPROVE	0.589			CON		
ALLEGAN	I-196 NB		US-31 SPLIT NORTH TO THE NORTH ALLEGAN COUNTY	RESURFACE	6.620					CON
ALLEGAN	M-222		WEST OF EASTERN AVENUE	MISCELLANEOUS	0.398	CON				
ALLEGAN	M-89		28TH STREET EAST TO THE KALAMAZOO RIVER BRIDGE	RECONSTRUCTION	6.857	CON				
ALLEGAN	M-89		WEST OF US-131 EAST TO FLORENCE ST. IN PLAINWELL	RECONSTRUCTION	1.721		CON			
ALLEGAN	I-196 NB		NORTHBOUND ONLY, 130TH AVE NORTH TO US-31 SPLIT	RESTORATION AND REHABILITATION	8.481		CON			
ALLEGAN	US-131 NB		AT THE NEW MARTIN TOWNSHIP REST AREA	ROADSIDE FACILITIES - PRESERVE	0.787		CON			
BARRY	M-37 (Broadway Street)		HANOVER STREET TO M-43 (STATE STREET)	RESURFACE	3.226		CON			
BARRY	M-43 (South Broadway Street)		M-37/M-43 (STATE STREET) TO NORTH STREET	RESTORATION AND REHABILITATION	1.334		CON			
BERRIEN	I-94		SAWYER (EXIT 12) TO RED ARROW HWY (EXIT 16)	RESURFACE	4.100			CON		
BERRIEN	I-94		NORTHERLY FROM RED ARROW HWY FOR 1.6 MILES	RESURFACE	1.600				CON	
BERRIEN	I-94 EB		PARK ROAD TO HENNESEY	RECONSTRUCTION	2.138		CON			
BERRIEN	M-140 (N Main St)		DAN SMITH ROAD TO WATERVLIET NORTH CITY LIMITS	RECONSTRUCTION	2.300	CON				
BERRIEN	M-51 (M-51)		ALONG DOWAGIAC RIVER SOUTH OF PUCKER ST	MISCELLANEOUS	0.241	CON				
BERRIEN	US-12		RED ARROW HIGHWAY TO HODER ROAD	RESTORATION AND REHABILITATION	1.636			CON		
CALHOUN	I-94		AT THE BATTLE CREEK REST AREA #703	ROADSIDE FACILITIES - PRESERVE	0.461				CON	
CALHOUN	I-94		M-311 (11 MILE ROAD) INTERCHANGE (EXIT 104)	RESTORATION AND REHABILITATION	0.678	CON				
CALHOUN	I-94		17 1/2 TO 23 MILE ROAD	RESURFACE	5.300					CON
CALHOUN	I-94 BL (E Michigan Ave)		29 MILE ROAD/CLARK STREET TO I-94	RESURFACE	1.964				CON	
CALHOUN	I-94 BL (Columbia Ave W)		I-94 TO COLUMBIA AVENUE	RESURFACE	1.599				CON	
CALHOUN	I-94 WB		23 MILE ROAD TO 29 MILE ROAD	RESURFACE	6.199	CON				
CALHOUN	M-60 (Leigh St)		WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF HOMER	RESURFACE	0.845			CON		
CASS	US-12		M-60 TO EDWARDSBURG	RESURFACE	7.258			CON		
KALAMAZOO	I-94BL (Stadium Dr)		11TH STREET TO SENECA LANE, KALAMAZOO	RECONSTRUCTION	0.695				CON	
KALAMAZOO	M-96 (East Michigan Avenue)		MICHIGAN AVENUE TO 35TH STREET	RESURFACE	3.868	CON				
ST. JOSEPH	M-60		IN THE VILLAGE OF MENDON	RECONSTRUCTION	1.086					CON
VAN BUREN	M-140		CITY OF WATERVLIET TO CR 378	RESURFACE	7.218					CON
					95.128					

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### CAPACITY IMPROVEMENT

#### I-94 IN KALAMAZOO

COUNTY	ROUTE (COMMON NAME)	DIR.	LOCATION	TYPE OF WORK	LENGTH	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
KALAMAZOO	I-94		EAST OF OAKLAND DRIVE TO WEST OF SPRINKLE ROAD	RECONSTRUCT AND ADD LANE(S) OVER 0.5 M		ROW	ROW	ROW	ROW	
KALAMAZOO	I-94		FROM EAST OF OAKLAND DRIVE TO EAST OF LOVERS LANE	RECONSTRUCT AND ADD LANE(S) OVER 0.5 M	1.895	CON	CON			
KALAMAZOO	KILGORE/ W I-94 RAMP		EAST OF LOVERS LANE TO EAST OF PORTAGE ROAD	RECONSTRUCT AND ADD LANE(S) OVER 0.5 M		ROW	ROW	ROW	ROW	ROW
KALAMAZOO	KILGORE/ W I-94 RAMP		EAST OF LOVERS LANE TO EAST OF PORTAGE ROAD	RECONSTRUCT AND ADD LANE(S) OVER 0.5 M		PE	PE	PE	PE	PE
KALAMAZOO	I-94		ROAD AND BRIDGE RECONSTRUCTION	RECONSTRUCT AND ADD LANE(S) OVER 0.5 M		ROW	ROW	ROW	ROW	ROW
KALAMAZOO	I-94		ROAD AND BRIDGE RECONSTRUCTION	RECONSTRUCT AND ADD LANE(S) OVER 0.5 M		PE	PE	PE	PE	PE
					1.895					

#### NEW ROADS

#### US-131 RELOCATED, BERRIEN COUNTY

COUNTY	ROUTE (COMMON NAME)	DIR.	LOCATION	TYPE OF WORK	LENGTH	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
BERRIEN	US-31 RELOCATION		NORTH OF NAPIER ROAD TO I-94	RELOCATION OF EXISTING ROUTE		ROW	ROW			

#### US-131, STATE LINE TO LOCKPORT TOWNSHIP LINE

COUNTY	ROUTE (COMMON NAME)	DIR.	LOCATION	TYPE OF WORK	LENGTH	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
ST. JOSEPH	US-131		ST. JOSEPH COUNTY	RELOCATION OF EXISTING ROUTE	10.294		CON	CON		
ST. JOSEPH	US-131		ST. JOSEPH COUNTY	RELOCATION OF EXISTING ROUTE		ROW	ROW			
ST. JOSEPH	US-131		ST. JOSEPH COUNTY	RELOCATION OF EXISTING ROUTE		PE	PE			
					10.294					