

FACTSHEET

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Project Name: SR 142 from I-20 to Alcovy Road in Covington

Project Number: STP00-1418-00(003)
PI Number: 242230-

Brief project description: The Georgia Department of Transportation is in the preconstruction stages of a project to widen SR 142 from I-20 to Alcovy Road in Newton County.

Project Location: The project is located entirely in Newton County with the limits as follows:

- Along SR 142: begins just north of Hazelbrand Road and ends north of Nisshinbo Drive.
- Along Alcovy Road: begins at Harland Drive and ends just east of Avenue of Champions.

Proposed Project Description: The proposed project to widen SR 142 from north of I-20 at Hazelbrand Road to north of Alcovy Road and includes widening Alcovy Road from Harland Drive to just east of Avenue of Champions. SR 142 will be four 12-foot lanes with a 20-foot raised median and 10-foot rural shoulders, and 6.5 feet of shoulders paved for bike lane. Alcovy Road will be four 12-foot lanes with a 20-foot raised median and 12-foot urban shoulders with 5-foot sidewalk from I-20 to SR 142, and 10-foot rural shoulders from SR 142 north to limits of construction on Alcovy Rd. The project includes replacing the highway bridge over CSX Railroad on SR 142.

Preconstruction Info: The project is currently under final design with right-of-way acquisition in progress.

Project Schedule:

Public Involvement Phase: PIOH held August 1999.
Let Date: Currently February 2014; construction funding approved in FY 2016.
Construction Start Date: January 2017 (*assumed* based on FY 2016 funding).
Construction Duration: 24 months (estimated)

Background:

- The revised concept for this project was approved in September 2001.
- Environmental approval was obtained in November 2000.
- Environmental reevaluation was approved in June 2007.
- Right-of-way plans were approved in June 2007.

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