



Ohio Turnpike Approves \$319 Million Budget for Construction Projects in 2025

BEREA, Ohio (Jan. 29, 2025) – The Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission has a budget of \$319 million for capital improvement projects in 2025. This includes nearly \$299 million for new projects beginning this year and completing prior year projects. About \$16.8 million remains in uncommitted funds for unforeseen expenditures in 2025.

Nearly \$229 million of the 2025 capital plan is allocated for roadway and bridge projects, which include 170 lane miles of pavement resurfacing; pavement reconstruction at a toll plaza interchange; two mainline pavement replacement projects; and an extensive amount of work on 28 bridges.

The 2025 projects include:

- **Two mainline pavement resurfacing projects in Fulton County:** All lanes and shoulders will be resurfaced from milepost 27.5 to 33.7 and milepost 43 to 46.5.
- **A mainline pavement resurfacing project stretching from Lucas to Wood counties:** All lanes and shoulders will be resurfaced from milepost 59.5 to 70, and the left lane and left shoulder will be resurfaced from milepost 70 to 74.
- **One mainline pavement resurfacing project, five bridge deck replacements, and a bridge removal project in Sandusky County:** All lanes and shoulders will be resurfaced from milepost 97.9 to 100, and the left lane and left shoulder will be resurfaced from milepost 100 to 105. The eastbound mainline bridge over Waggoner Road will be redecked, and the eastbound mainline bridge over the abandoned railroad at milepost 83.3 will be removed. The overhead bridges at Fought Road (milepost 86.6), Shannon Road (milepost 93), Carley Road (milepost 94.7), and Copp Road (milepost 104.3) will be redecked.
- **One mainline pavement resurfacing project and two bridge deck replacements in Erie County:** The pavement in the left lanes and left shoulders from milepost 118.8 to 127.9 will be resurfaced; and two bridge deck replacements, which include the overhead bridge at state Route 269 (milepost 106.8) and the eastbound mainline bridge over Skadden Road/state Route 99 (milepost 111.2).

- **Seven bridge deck replacements in Lorain County:** The projects include the mainline bridges over Baumhart Road (milepost 136.2), the Ohio Turnpike ramp at Toll Plaza 152 (milepost 152.1), and Lorain Road (milepost 152.3). Four overhead bridges at Gore-Orphanage Road (milepost 133.1), Vermilion Road (milepost 135), Pyle South Amherst Road (milepost 138.7), and West Ridge Road (milepost 142.6) will be redecked.
- **Pavement replacement and three bridge redecking projects in Cuyahoga County:** The pavement from milepost 154.1 to 159.8 will be replaced; and bridge redecking projects will be performed on Albion Road (milepost 162.2); Ohio Turnpike ramp to U.S. Route 42 (at Toll Plaza 161); and State Road/state Route 94 (milepost 167.3).
- **Work on four bridges in Summit County:** Two overhead bridges, which include the Toll Plaza 180 ramp over the Ohio Turnpike (milepost 180.3) and the Darrow Road/state Route 91 bridge (milepost 183.2) will receive new decks. Preparation work will begin to widen and replace the Prospect Road bridge deck (milepost 182.1). The bridge replacement project over Tinkers Creek (milepost 185.6) in Summit and Portage counties will continue.
- **Three bridge deck replacements, a bridge deck overlay, and a bridge replacement in Portage County:** The mainline bridges over state Route 43 (milepost 188.2), Cuyahoga River (milepost 191.4), and Bryant Road /Township Road 236 (milepost 202.8) will be redecked. The mainline bridge at N. Main St. (milepost 203.7) will have a deck overlay performed as part of its rehabilitation. The overhead bridge at state Route 88 (milepost 199.5) will be replaced.
- **A pavement replacement project in Trumbull County:** The pavement from milepost 212.76 to 216.25 will be replaced.
- **An overhead bridge project in Mahoning County.** The bridge at Boardman-Canfield Road/U.S. Route 224 (milepost 227.6) will be replaced.

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