

Arizona State Transportation Board

Multimodal Planning Division Report

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Tribal Transportation Updates

- **2024 Southwestern Tribal Technical Assistance Program (SWTTAP) Summit – Flagstaff, AZ.**
 - The SWTTAP Summit was held at the Navajo Nation Twin Arrows Conference Center this week. The Southwestern TTAP is a transportation resource center designed to serve tribal transportation programs within the Arizona, New Mexico, Colorado, Utah and Navajo Nation region.
 - ADOT Traffic Safety Section along with FHWA presented on Road Safety Project Initiatives and Tribal and Local Police Departments Partnership for Crash Data.
 - The ADOT Tribal Relations Team was in attendance and participated in an open discussion on “Partnering in Tribal Transportation.”
 - The Summit created an opportunity for ADOT staff to share resources and information about ADOT programs and processes and connect with local officials as well as Tribal officials and representatives.

Tribal Transportation Updates

- **Northern Region Activities**

The Northern Region Tribal Liaison has been doing outreach and assisting with coordination of meetings on behalf of the ADOT Districts and Tribal DOTs and communities.

- 2/12/2024 - Meeting with Shonto Community Governance Chapter
- 2/13/2024 and 2/20/2024 - NACOG hosted meetings with Navajo DOT, Many Farms Chapter, Round Rock Chapter, ADOT and FHWA
- 2/26/2024 - Outreach to Kaibab Band of Paiute Indians
- 2/28/2024 - TraCS Training with White Mountain Apache Police Dept.
- 2/29/2024 - Meeting with Hopi DOT and Hopi Tribal Council
- 3/12/2024 - Meeting with Pueblo of Zuni Tribal Roads Dept.

Tribal Transportation Updates

- **Southern Region Activities**

The Southern Region Tribal Liaison has been coordinating and attending meetings with ADOT personnel and Tribal officials.

- 2/27/2024 - Met with the White Mountain Apache Tribe DOT and Councilmembers to discuss improvement needs on SR 73 and SR 260. Also agreed to re-establishment of partnership meetings with the Tribe.
- 2/29/2024 - Met with the Tohono O'odham Nation to discuss ADOT participation and role in the development of the Nation's Transportation Safety Plan. ADOT Traffic Safety and SC District are also participating.
- 3/6/2024 - Attended a San Carlos Apache Tribe Transportation Committee Meeting to hear SE District report and address questions. Also agreed to re-establishment of partnership meetings with the Tribe.

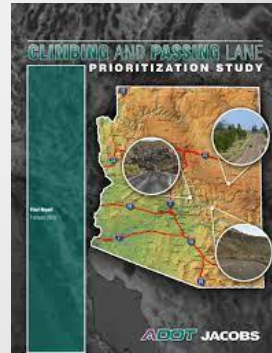
Tribal Transportation Updates

- Arizona Traffic and Criminal Software (TraCS) Implementation Update:
 - Live with TraCS
 - Gila River Indian Community
 - Tonto Apache Tribe (hosted by Gila County)
 - TraCS Testing Phase
 - White Mountain Apache Tribe PD
 - Ongoing TraCS Dialogue
 - Navajo Nation
 - Hopi Tribe
 - Yavapai Prescott Indian Tribe

Multimodal Planning Division Current Statewide and Corridor Studies

Statewide Climbing and Passing Lane Study

(Last Completed in 2015)



- **Scope/Objectives**

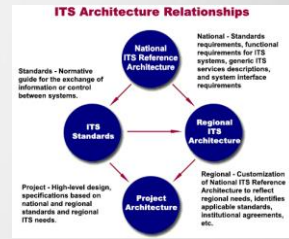
- Identify climbing/passing lanes completed since 2015 study
- Refine 2015 methodology for ranking climbing/passing lanes
- Use new datasets to enhance methodology
- Identify and re-prioritize climbing/passing lane candidate locations for future programming

- **Schedule/Status**

- NTP received January 18, 2024; study is in early stages
- Anticipated completion in February 2025

ITS Architecture Update

(Last updated in 2018)



- **Scope/Objectives**

- ITS (Intelligent Transportation Systems) involves the application of electronics, computers, communications, and technology to more efficiently manage transportation systems and assets
- Purpose: To ensure that statewide transportation technology investments are planned, developed, and deployed in a coordinated & consistent manner

- **Schedule/Status**

- A second Stakeholder Engagement held in January; comments incorporated
- Moving forward with completing the ADOT Maintenance Memo, the Final Plan, and the final online ITS Architecture
- Anticipated project completion in May 2024

Douglas International Port of Entry Connector Road Study

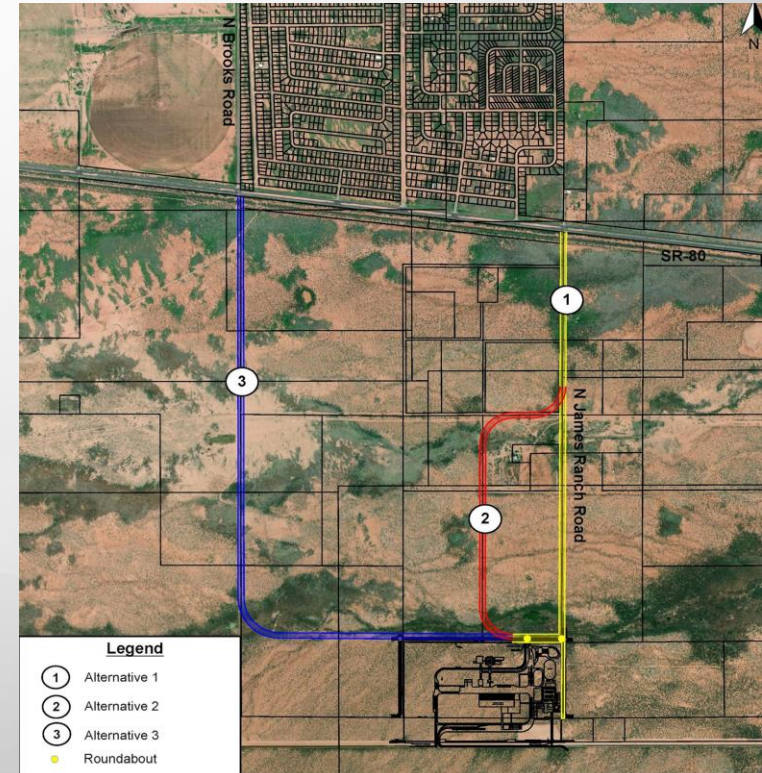


- **Scope/Objectives**

- Develop and Evaluate Alternatives to provide a Connector Road from the new Douglas International Port of Entry to SR 80

- **Schedule/Status**

- Preparing Initial Design Concept Report and Draft Environmental Assessment
- Public Hearing late Sept 2024
- Anticipated Completion – Dec 2024



SR505L North-South Corridor Study

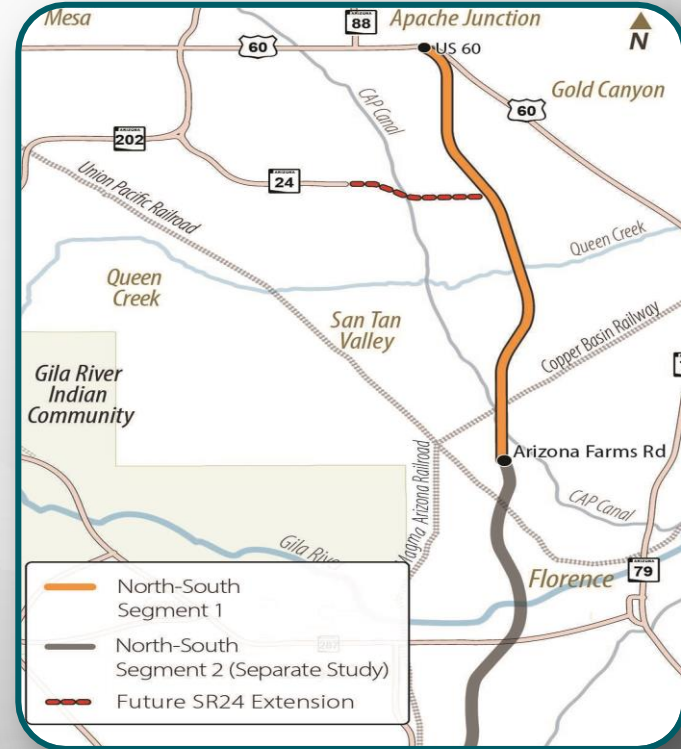
US 60 to Arizona Farms Road (Segment 1) - 20 Miles

• Scope/Objectives

- Prepare Tier 2 EIS and DCR for new freeway corridor
- Refine 1,500' corridor down to 400' alignment & right-of-way footprint

• Schedule/Status

- 1st round of public mtgs held Sept. 2023
- Data collection/constraint mapping underway
- Agency & Tribal coordination underway
- Anticipate completion in late 2026



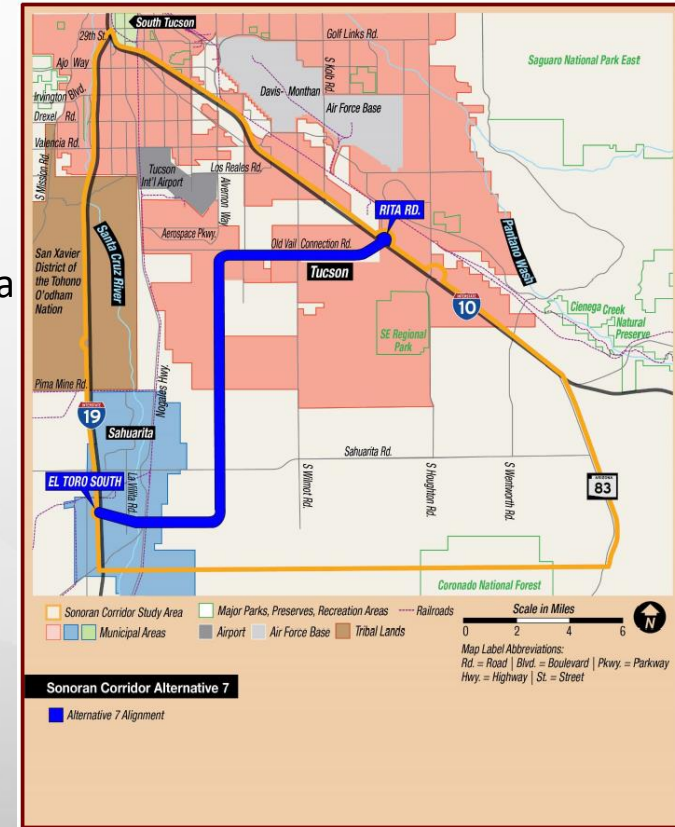
SR-410 Sonoran Corridor Tier 2 EIS and DCR

• Scope/Objectives

- Prepare a Tier 2 Environmental Impact Statement (EIS), Design Concept Report (DCR), and 15% plans for the 20-mile SR-410 Sonoran Corridor connecting I-19 in Sahuarita (El Toro Rd) to I-10 in Tucson (Rita Rd)

• Schedule/Status

- Data, and Environ. Screening Underway
- Early Agency Scoping meeting scheduled for March 27 in Tucson
- No-Build Alternative, Background Record of Decision expected in Sept. 2026



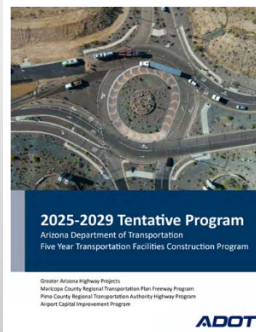
FY 2025 – 2029 Tentative Five-Year Transportation Facilities Construction Program

- Public Comment Period - March 1 through May 24, 2024
- Public Hearing on Tentative Program - May 17
- Board Study Session - June 6
- Final Approval by Board - June 21
- State Fiscal Year starts - July 1, 2024

ADOT Releases Tentative Five-Year Construction Program for Public Review and Comment

On March 1, 2024, ADOT released its tentative 2025-2029 Five-Year Transportation Facilities Construction Program for public review and comment.

[View Tentative 2025-2029 Five-Year Transportation Facilities Construction Program](#)



The public comment period for the Tentative Five-Year Program ends at 5 p.m. on May 24, 2024.
The State Transportation Board is expected to adopt the final Five-Year Program at its June 21 board meeting.

Questions