



When?

- Fall 2013 Project is anticipated to begin.
- Fall 2014 Conference Drive Bridge is expected to be completed.
- Summer 2015 Sharon Amity Road Bridge is expected to be completed.
- Summer 2016 Idlewild Road Bridge is expected to be completed.

Safety Notes:

- Pedestrian traffic will be maintained during the entire construction process; signs will direct you to the safest crossing location.
- Barriers will be placed along Independence; do not cross mid-block or over barriers.
- Businesses will remain open.
- Cars, trucks and buses will be re-routed during the construction process



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What?

The U.S. 74 improvements project will convert the existing segment of Independence Boulevard into an expressway. Three roadway bridges will be constructed on Sharon Amity Drive, Idlewild Road, and Conference Drive.

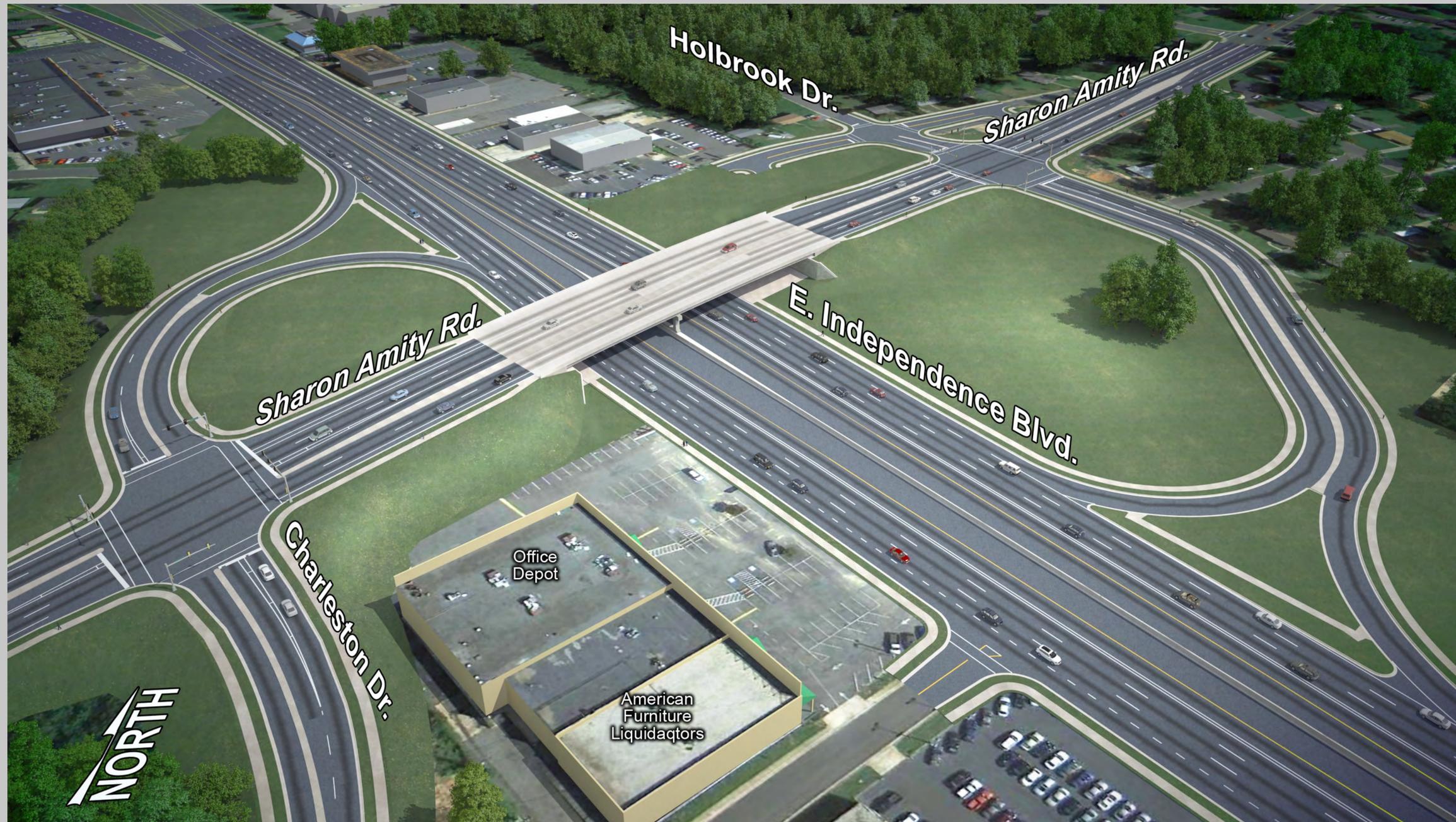
Why?

To enhance mobility and improve traffic flow and safety in the Independence Boulevard Corridor.





Future Sharon Amity Road Interchange



Anticipated Completion: Summer 2015



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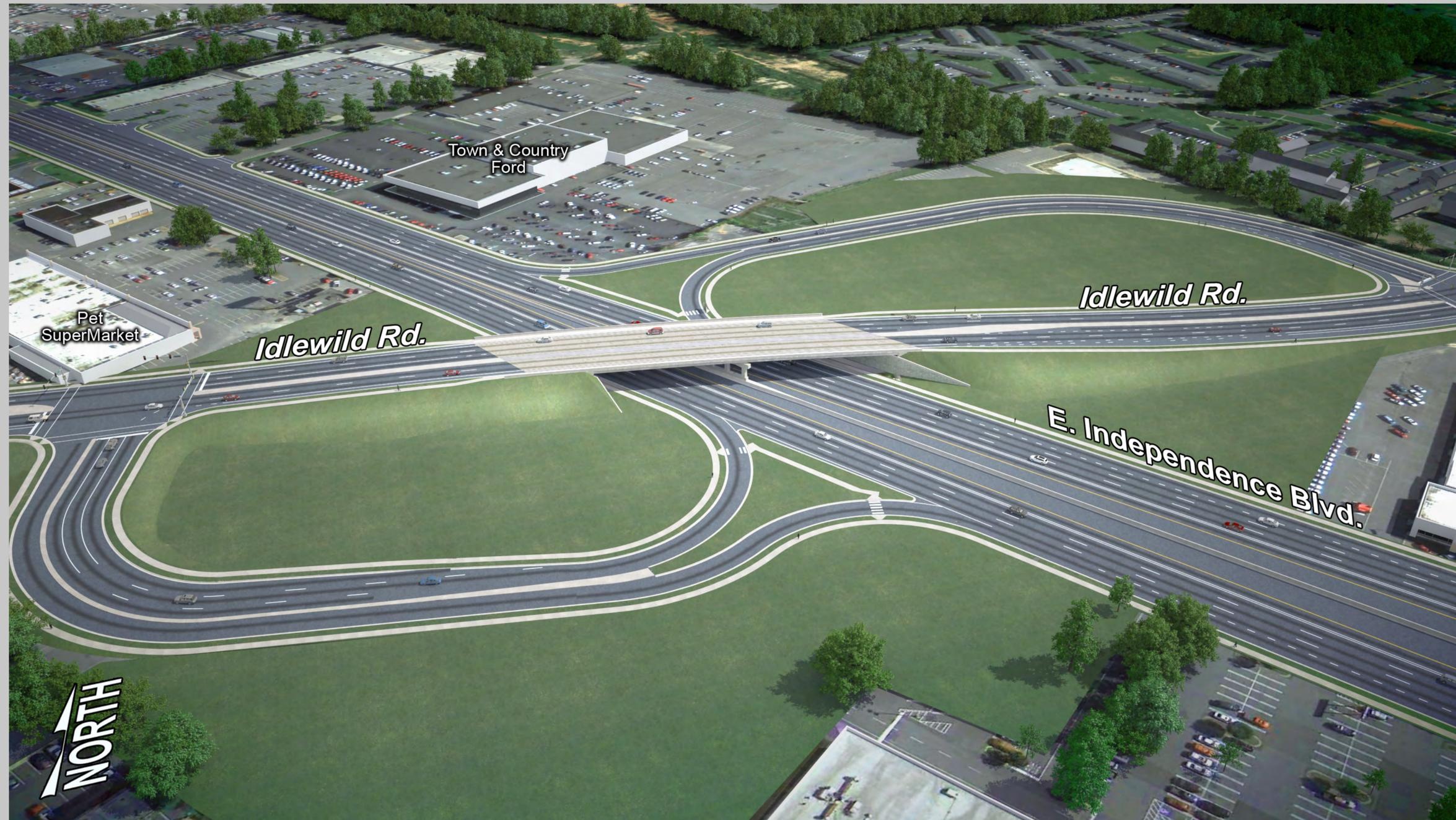
Future Conference Drive



Anticipated Completion: Fall 2014



Future Idlewild Road



Anticipated Completion: Summer 2016



Pedestrian Signs You May See



Crossing Ahead



Cross Here



Do Not Cross



Barrier: Do Not Cross

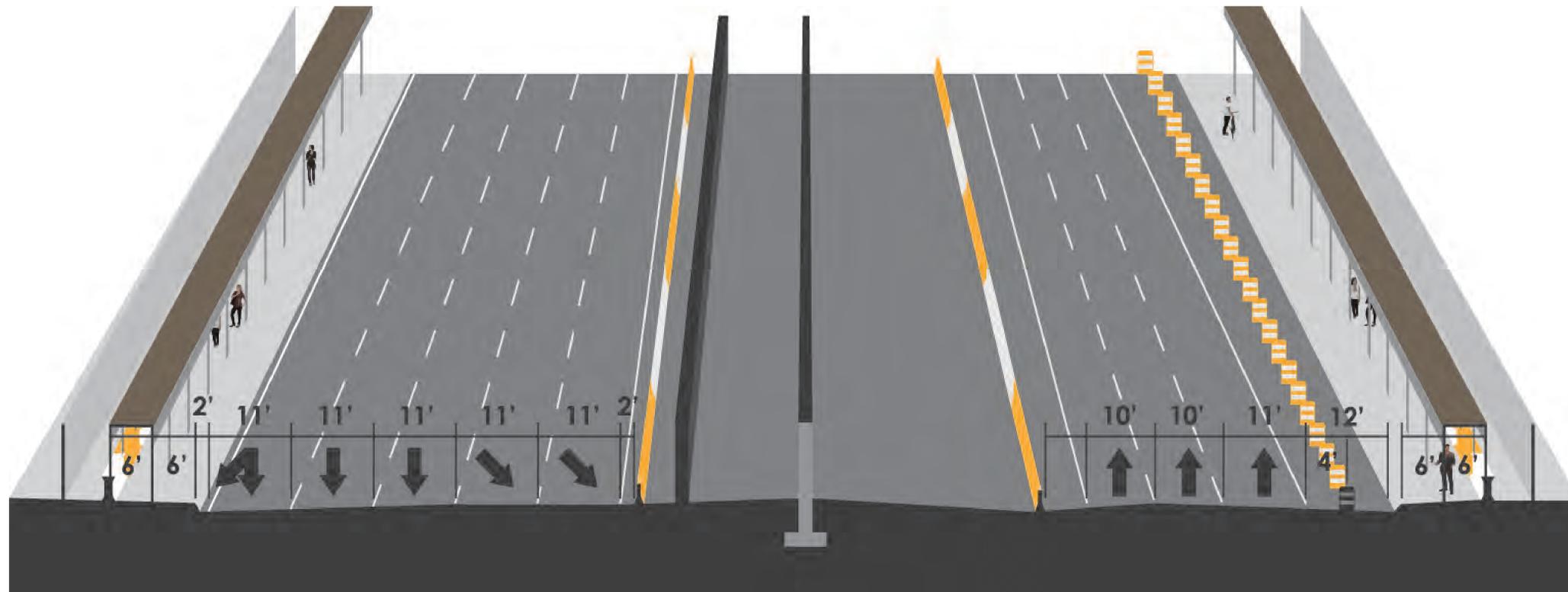


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Typical Cross-Section



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