



Western Algonquin Bypass

*IL Route 31 North Junction to
IL Route 31 South Junction*



PROJECT OVERVIEW

The Illinois Department of Transportation in cooperation with McHenry County initiated a Congestion Mitigation Feasibility Study to identify solutions to the congestion experienced at the Illinois Route 62 and Illinois Route 31 intersection in the downtown district of the Village of Algonquin. The proposed study and subsequent proposed improvement is located in southeastern McHenry County and encompassed review of traffic which passes through the communities of Algonquin, Lake in the Hills, Cary and Crystal Lake. The final outcome of the Feasibility Study was the implementation of a Western Bypass of the intersection.



Project Start Date: **September 4, 2012**

Project End Date: **Fall 2014**

Project Cost: **\$33,346,673.91**

Project Municipalities: **Algonquin**

Project County: **McHenry**

This alternative provides the most capacity to handle traffic and had the least impacts on the communities involved. The proposed improvement will provide a transportation system improvement that will address capacity, operational and safety deficiencies, and satisfies 2030 travel demands along the Illinois 31 corridor between Edgewood Drive and Rakow Road. The final project will include the reconstruction and widening of portions of Illinois Route 31 along with the construction of a relocated Illinois Route 31 on a new alignment.

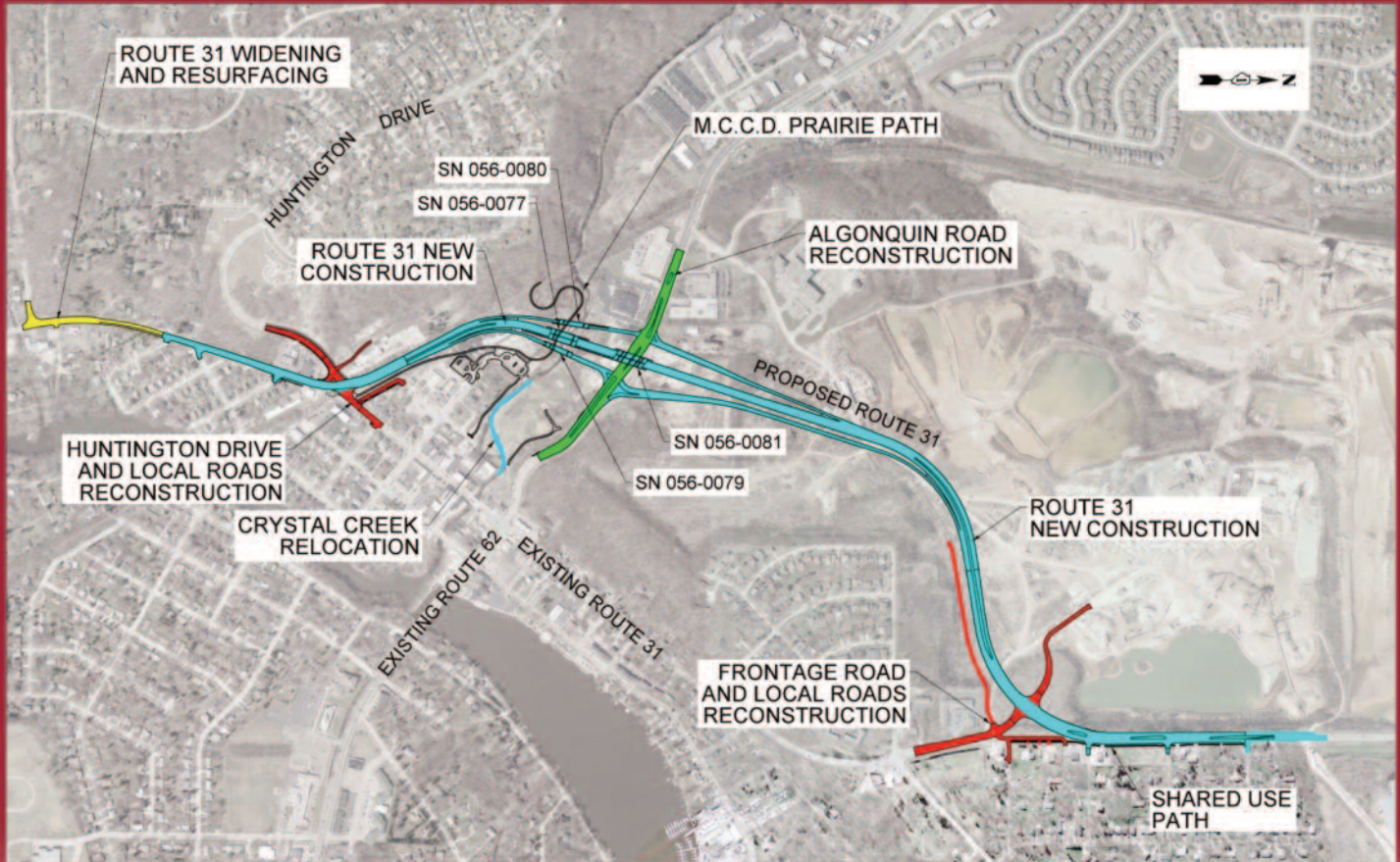
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The link below has been created to provide details about the Western Algonquin Bypass project scope and the construction staging and scheduling. The information is intended to help you understand what will be done and when the work is anticipated to take place.

As the Department works to make this section of roadway safer for the future, we want to make sure users, residents and local business owners have up to date information on the progress of the project. If you have any questions about the project that have not been answered with the information on this site, please use the "Contact Us" section and a response will be sent to you.

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