

# US 77 – FROM S OF FM 66 TO N OF McMILLAN ST.

## PROJECT FACT SHEET

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### OVERVIEW

**The project is needed** because the existing viaduct is over 80 years old, has many structural deficiencies and poses a safety hazard. Additionally, the existing US 77 through downtown Waxahachie is inadequate to meet current and future traffic volumes, resulting in congestion, reduced mobility and a level of service (LOS) 'F' on this stretch of highway. The purpose of the proposed project is to improve the safety of the US 77 viaduct and to reduce congestion and improve mobility of US 77 through downtown Waxahachie.

### PROJECT DETAILS

- **Limits:** From south of FM 66 to north of McMILLAN Street.
- **Description:** Replace the existing US 77 viaduct, construct a new parallel bridge west of the existing viaduct and reconstruct the existing US 77 and Monroe Street in downtown Waxahachie to a couplet system that would tie into the existing and proposed bridges. Reconstruct and convert 2-lane undivided highway to 4-lane divided one-way couplet.

### Project Let:

– Summer 2019

### Length of Project:

– 0.792 miles

### Construction Cost:

– \$21.6 million

### Estimated Completion:

– First Quarter 2022



SOURCE: Texas Department of Transportation.

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### PROJECT CONTACTS



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