New Name – New Identity

1929
Arkansas
Highway and
Department of
Lands

1977
Arkansas State
Highway and
Transportation
Department

2017
Arkansas
Department of
Transportation
Provide safe and efficient transportation solutions to support Arkansas’ economy and enhance the quality of life for generations to come.

Adopted June 7, 2017
Arkansas has the 3rd Lowest Administrative Cost Per Mile in the Nation

Arkansas = $2,107

Surrounding States Average = $4,334

National Average = $9,224
Employment Levels Efficiency

Year | Employees
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1979 | 4,200 Employees
2000 | 3,800 Employees
2017 | 3,679 Employees
1999 Interstate Rehabilitation Program

50 Projects
356 Miles
$973 Million

Prior to Program
63% Poor or Mediocre

After Program
72% Good
Interstate Rehabilitation Program

Completed
- 37 Projects
- 225 Miles
- $763 Million

Under Construction
- 11 Projects
- 78 Miles
- $429 Million

Scheduled
- 34 Projects
- 191 Miles
- $334 Million
Connecting Arkansas Program

Completed
7 Projects
30 Miles
$215 Million

Under Construction
8 Projects
46 Miles
$376 Million

Scheduled
21 Projects
108 Miles
$1.35 Billion
Local Project

ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Updates
Bella Vista Bypass

**Completed**
- 3 Projects
- 12 Miles
- $86 Million

**Under Construction**
- 1 Project
- 7.1 Miles
- $28 Million
Interstate 49 Corridor

Completed
16 Projects
25 Miles
$289 Million

Under Construction
1 Projects
0 Miles
$29 Million

Scheduled
3 Projects
$80 Million
Interstate 49 Corridor

Mountainburg to Fayetteville

28 Miles

$22 Million
Springdale Bypass

Highway 112 To I-49
Proposed Airport Connector

Highway 264
To
Future Springdale Bypass
State Highway 112 Study

Corridor Study
Fayetteville to Bentonville

Adopted in July 2015

Recommendations

Cost Estimates
Completed
4 Projects
6 Miles
$17 Million

Under Construction
2 Projects
6 Miles
$21 Million

LEGEND
Completed
Under Construction
Scheduled
Scheduled
2 Projects
$33 Million
Interstate 49 South

State Highway 22
To
Interstate 40 at Alma
Federal Highway Funding Issues

• Continuing Resolutions and Government Shutdowns

• Current Funding Ends March 23rd

• Current Impacts

• Potential Future Impacts
Federal Highway Funding Issues

12 Projects
$26.5 Million

Projects Withdrawn From the February Letting
Status of State Funding
Road User Related Tax Revenue (SFY 2016)

Total Road User Revenue
$1,076.5 Million

Distribution:

General Revenue
$460.7 Million (43%)

Highway Revenue
$615.9 Million (57%)
Average Monthly Household Expenditures

- Electricity/Gas: $160.00
- TV/Internet: $124.00
- Roads: $46.00
- Telephone: $161.00
Citizens Opinion Survey

Are you satisfied with the condition of the existing state highway system?  
☐ Yes  ☐ No

What highways in your area need improvements, and what type of improvements do they need?  
Priority 1:  
Priority 2:  
Priority 3:  
Priority 4:  

If you want better highway conditions, the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department will need additional funds. Would you support a new highway program that would generate additional revenue?  
☐ Yes  ☐ No

Which of the following sources do you recommend be utilized in obtaining additional funds (check all that apply):  
☐ Increase in gas tax  
☐ Increase in diesel tax  
☐ Increase in sales tax (dedicated to highways)  
☐ Increase in registration fees  
☐ Add sales tax on wholesale price of motor fuels  
☐ Transfer existing sales and use tax on motor vehicles and related parts and service (currently collected but not paid to highways)  
☐ Other:  

Would you be willing to sign a petition to put a highway revenue proposal on the 2018 general election ballot?  
☐ Yes  ☐ No

How did you hear about this survey?  
☐ Presentation  ☐ TV/Radio/Print  ☐ Website/Search Engine  
☐ Social Media  ☐ Family or Friend  ☐ Other:  

Optional:  
Name:  
Address:  
City, State, Zip:  

Online Form Available Here:  

Your Transportation System
Are you satisfied with the condition of the existing highway system?

- No: 74%
- Yes: 23%
- Answer: 3%

Would you support a new highway program that would generate additional revenue?

- No: 75%
- Yes: 21%
- Answer: 4%
Survey Results

Which of the following sources do you recommend be utilized in obtaining additional funds?

- **Transfer existing sales and use tax**: 2,166 (63%)
- **Add on w/s price of motor fuels**: 641 (19%)
- **Increase Registration fees**: 1,078 (31%)
- **Increase Sales Tax**: 894 (26%)
- **Increase Diesel Tax**: 1,611 (47%)
- **Increase Gas Tax**: 1,048 (30%)
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