

I-85 Widening (I-985 to SR 53)

A Major Mobility Project — P.I. Number: 110610

Fact Sheet

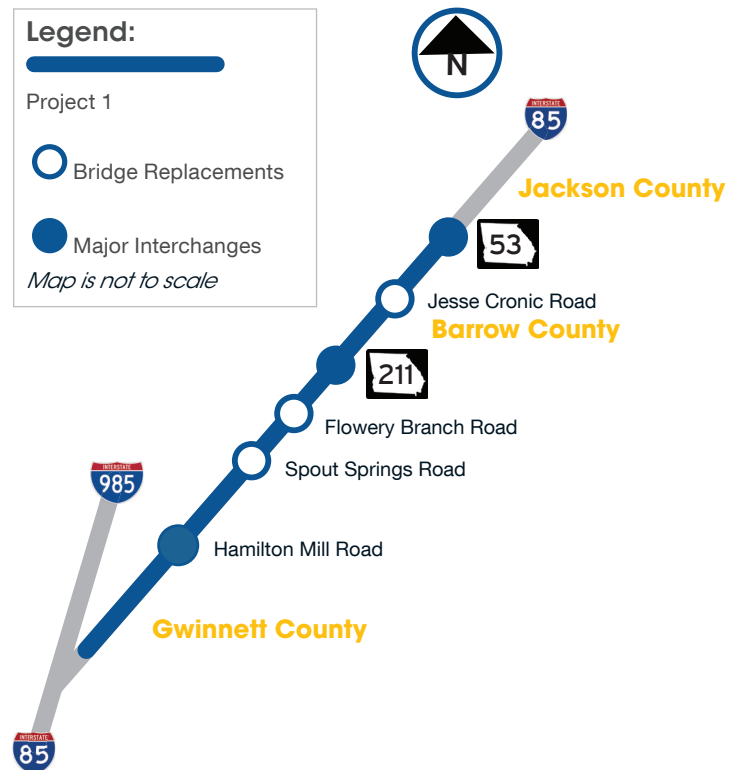
What is the Project?

The I-85 Widening corridor improvements will provide relief to motorists in this heavily congested area by widening I-85 from two to three lanes in both directions from I-985 to SR 53. Additional work on the project includes replacing three overpass bridges.

5 Things You Need to Know

1. I-85 Widening is the first of the initial 11 large-scale Major Mobility Investment Program projects to improve transportation in Georgia's metro areas
2. The project adds new lane miles on I-85 in metro Atlanta with new lanes built into the median
3. No right-of-way will be acquired as part of the project. Additionally, no interchange work is proposed as part of the project
4. The bridge replacements will require temporary detours. The Georgia DOT plans to mitigate impacts to the public as much as possible and communicate early with the public. The bridges being replaced are more than 50 years old
5. The widening takes place in Gwinnett, Barrow, and Jackson Counties

Where is the Project?



What's the Project Status?

The ceremonial groundbreaking was held on July 25, 2018. Construction began in July 2018.

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2016-2017



Public Comment
2016



Construction Begins
2018



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