

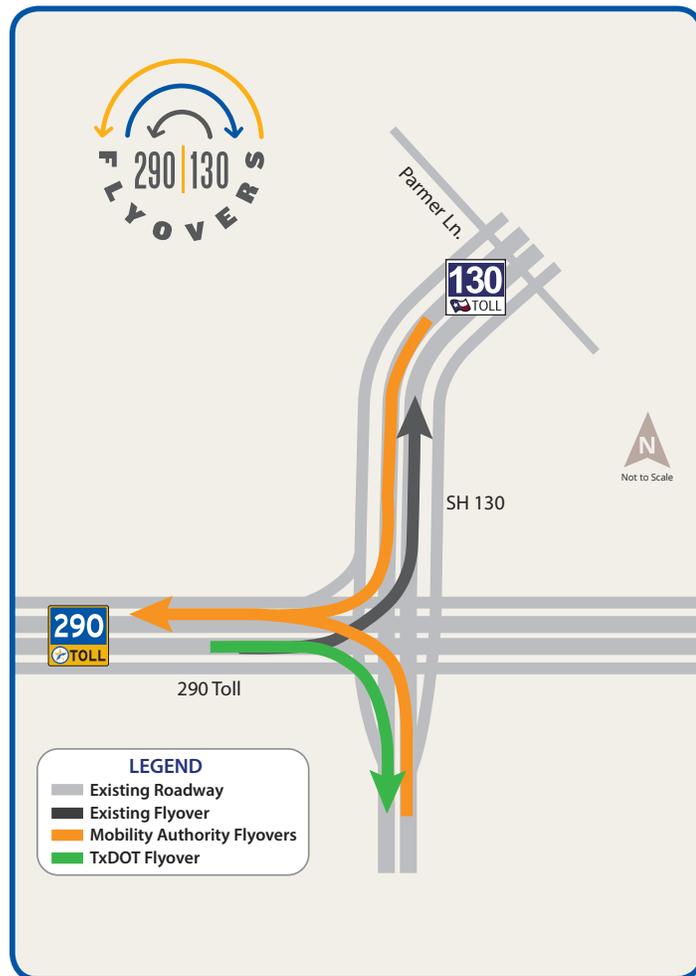


CENTRAL TEXAS REGIONAL  
MOBILITY AUTHORITY



290/130

# FLYOVERS PROJECT



## OVERVIEW

After the Mobility Authority opened 290 Toll in 2014, the number of commuters that recognized the convenience of the new roadway surpassed our projections. This high demand led to traffic congestion at the frontage road intersection of 290 Toll and SH 130 (a TxDOT-operated toll road). Without a safe and efficient link between the two roadways, mobility and safety are compromised during the morning rush hour for southbound SH 130 drivers trying to head westbound on 290 Toll.

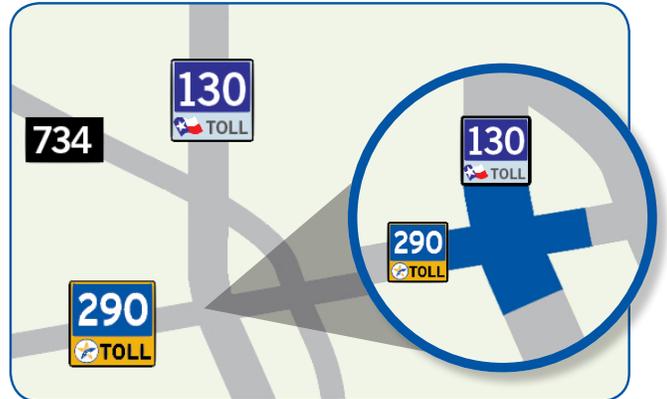
**The long-term solution, one that offers free-flowing direct connector bridges between the two toll roads, will break ground in 2018.**

## KEEPING CENTRAL TEXAS MOVING

The Mobility Authority will construct three flyovers to bridge the two toll facilities together. This will give drivers a safe and efficient, free-flowing direct connection and free up capacity on the frontage road intersection underneath the toll facilities. One flyover already exists from eastbound US 290 to northbound SH 130. Building three additional flyovers is essential to achieving greater mobility for all drivers.

## The Flyovers Will Achieve Greater Mobility:

- ▶ Reducing potential for high speed rear end collisions on SH 130
- ▶ Eliminating queueing of vehicles on the southbound and northbound mainlanes of SH 130
- ▶ Saving about \$5 million a year for the traveling public in time as well as fuel and vehicle costs
- ▶ Attracting over 5,000 vehicles per day from parallel facilities thereby providing additional congestion relief to other corridors
- ▶ Increasing the average speed by up to 40 mph
- ▶ Relieving congestion by shifting 67% of vehicles from the SH 130 frontage road southbound right turn movement
- ▶ Reducing greenhouse gas emissions by 1,020 metric tons annually
- ▶ Attracting economic development opportunities to the region by way of enhanced local and regional mobility



## PROJECT MILESTONES

**Construction Letting:** Summer 2018

**Construction Launch:** Late 2018/Early 2019

**Open to traffic:** 2021

\* *Subject to Change*

## WAYS TO STAY UPDATED

During construction, we will have a robust public information effort to keep you updated on our progress and lane closures. In the meantime, stay informed about the 290/130 Flyover Project through the following channels:

- ▶ Sign up for *Expressway News* at [MobilityAuthority.com](http://MobilityAuthority.com)
- ▶ Follow us on Twitter @CTXMobility
- ▶ Call us at 512-996-9778