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Route 92 Bridge Over First Creek Clay County

What's the Problem?

The Route 92 Bridge in Smithville is old and in poor condition. The bridge was built in 1931 and carries more than 4040 vehicles per day.



What's the Solution?

The existing bridge will be replaced with a new structure. This requires a complete road closure.

What Impact Will That Have on My Travel?

During construction, the road will be closed to traffic near the bridge. Signed detours will be in place during the bridge closure. (See back for detour map). The detour is approximately 15 miles.

Closing the bridge allows the contractor to complete the work quickly and get the bridge back open faster. It also keeps our costs down. Full closures reduce cost by minimizing the need for additional right of way and for costly roadway work. Every bridge that's closed during construction allows us to work on another bridge in need of attention.

What's the Time Frame?

Work is expected to get underway February 14. The bridge is expected to open by the end of April, weather permitting.

Other Clay County Bridges:

To date, six bridges in Clay County have been completed. This year, MoDOT will replace the remaining four bridges, including this one. Clay County will receive 10 replaced or rehabilitated bridges thanks to the Safe & Sound Bridge Improvement Program.

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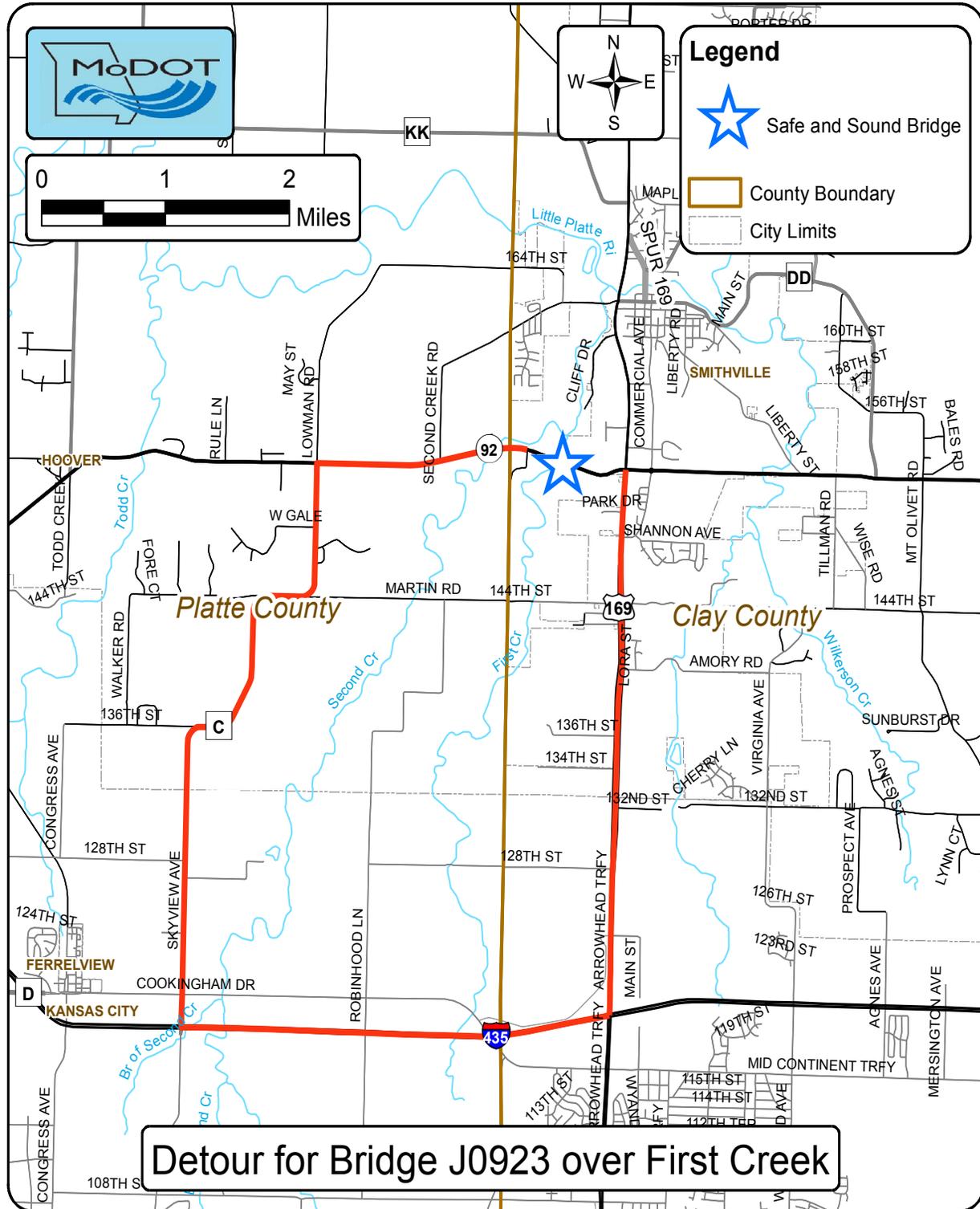
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Detour is less than 15 miles.

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