

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

I-35 ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS BETWEEN PURCELL AND GOLDSBY MCCLAIN COUNTY J/P 36185(04)

What is ODOT proposing to do?

The safety and capacity of I-35 will be increased by:

- Adding one driving lane in each direction of I-35
- Widening shoulders to 10 feet
- Constructing a concrete barrier and adding lighting between northbound and southbound traffic
- Improving the northbound on-ramp and southbound off-ramp at Johnson Road
- Replacing or extending drainage structures

How will I know if ODOT plans to acquire my property or part of my property?

No new right-of-way is required for this project. No property will be acquired.

What if ODOT needs temporary access for construction or maintenance?

No temporary access is expected for this project.

When will construction start?

Construction is set to begin in 2027. The date relies on federal funding and could change.

How will the project affect my commute?

Travelers should anticipate some delays, reduced speed limits, longer drive times, and congestion. I-35 will stay open throughout construction with at least two driving lanes in each direction. The Johnson Road and Ladd Road exits will remain open. We will do our best to keep congestion and delays to a minimum.

Will I still be able to get to my home, business, or property during construction?

Yes, you'll still be able to get to your property. The Johnson Road and Ladd Road exits will remain open throughout construction.

What happens next? What is the project schedule?

- You can attend the Open House meeting to learn more about the project on February 5, 2026, at the Goldsby Community Building, 100 E Center Rd., Goldsby, OK 73093.

- You can share your thoughts about the project with ODOT until February 19, 2026.
- ODOT will start moving utilities in 2026. Construction is scheduled to start in 2027.