



Interstate 80 Rehabilitation Projects

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

HOV LANES, RED TOP ROAD TO EAST OF AIR BASE PARKWAY PROJECT

FACT SHEET

The Project

This project is to add a new 8.7-mile high occupancy vehicle (HOV) lane in each direction along Interstate 80 (I-80), in Solano County, in Fairfield, from Red Top Road to East of Air Base Parkway. This project is part of the Proposition 1B Corridor Mobility Improvement Account Program.

The Need

I-80 is vital to interregional and regional commuting, freight movement, and recreational travel: It connects the Bay Area to Sacramento, connects Interstate 5 to the north via Interstate 505, and links the San Francisco Bay Area to the East Coast. Recent growth in Solano County has significantly increased transportation demand on the highway, necessitating the addition of an HOV lane.

Benefits

The project will reduce travel delay, decrease congestion, and improve mobility in the corridor.

Partnership

The project is developed through a partnership among the Solano Transportation Authority (STA), the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC), the Bay Area Toll Authority (BATA), and the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans).

Project Status

The environmental phase was completed in early 2007, and the design phase was completed in early 2008. Construction started in June 2008.

Project Costs

The programmed construction cost is \$53.2 million.

Project Schedule

Start Construction: Spring 2008
Finish Construction: Fall 2009

Summary

The I-80 HOV Lanes Project will add capacity, thereby relieving traffic congestion and reducing delays.

