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## U.S. Highway 70



#### **Completed**

18 Miles \$79 Million





## Interstate 30





## U.S. Highway 270



Scheduled
2 Miles
Est. \$10-15 Million



#### **Arkansas Highway 7 Corridor**



#### **Completed**

3 Projects 7 Miles \$19 Million

#### **Under Construction**

1 Project4 Miles\$7 Million

#### **Scheduled**

3 Projects 13 Miles Estimated \$38 Million



## **Arkansas Highway 5**



#### **Scheduled**

2 Projects 18 Miles Estimated \$15 Million





#### **New Location**

#### **Under Construction**

1 Project
6 Miles
\$75 Million







# Issue 1



## **November 3, 2020**

The Ballot Question: Issue 1





Funding from current sales tax continues after June 2023





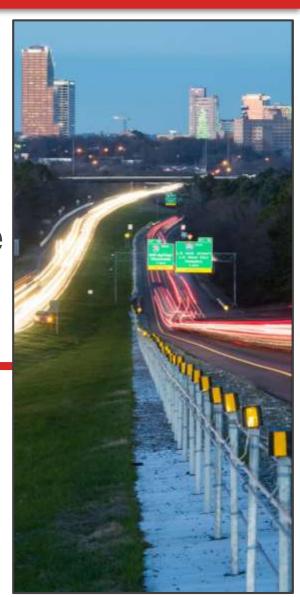
Funding from current sales tax terminates after June 2023

#### The 10-Year Shortfall

>\$9.3 Billion in needs

>\$4.5 Billion in available revenue

>\$4.8 Billion shortfall



## What's the Right Annual Amount?

Highway Funding Working Group

\$400 Million

Arkansas State Legislative Audit

\$478 Million

✓ Governor's Highway Funding Plan

\$300 Million



"An efficient transportation system is critical for Arkansas' economy and the quality of life of the state's residents."

Governor Asa Hutchinson

## **The Proposed Plan**

Governor's Long Term Highway Funding Plan

Act 416 of 2019

\$95 Million

(Immediate Funding dedicated to System Preservation)

Issue 1

\$205 Million

(Funding for System Preservation plus Capital Projects beginning in SFY 2024)

Total to ARDOT

\$300 Million

## If Issue 1 Passes

Annual Revenue Expected to be Available in SFY 2024

Act 416 of 2019

Issue 1

Current Construction Program

\$95 Million

\$205 Million

\$440 Million

#### **Total Available SFY 2024**

\$740 Million



### If Issue 1 Passes



## 10-Year Renew Arkansas Highways Program

Pavement Preservation \$3.0 Billion

Bridge Improvements and Preservation \$1.1 Billion

Interstate Maintenance \$1.0 Billion

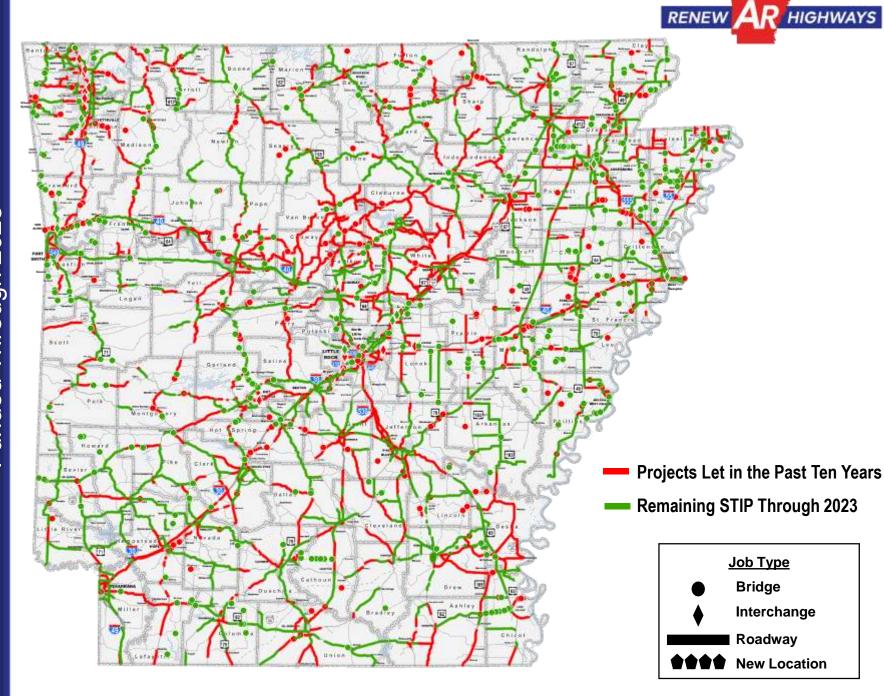
Safety Improvements \$0.5 Billion

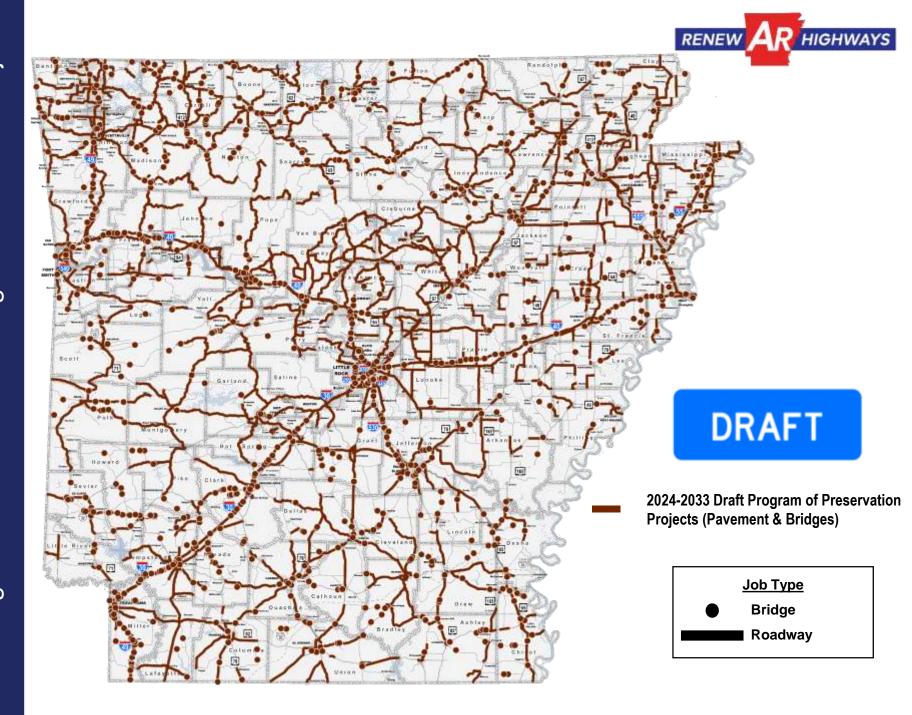
Capital and Congestion Relief (CAP-2) \$1.8 Billion

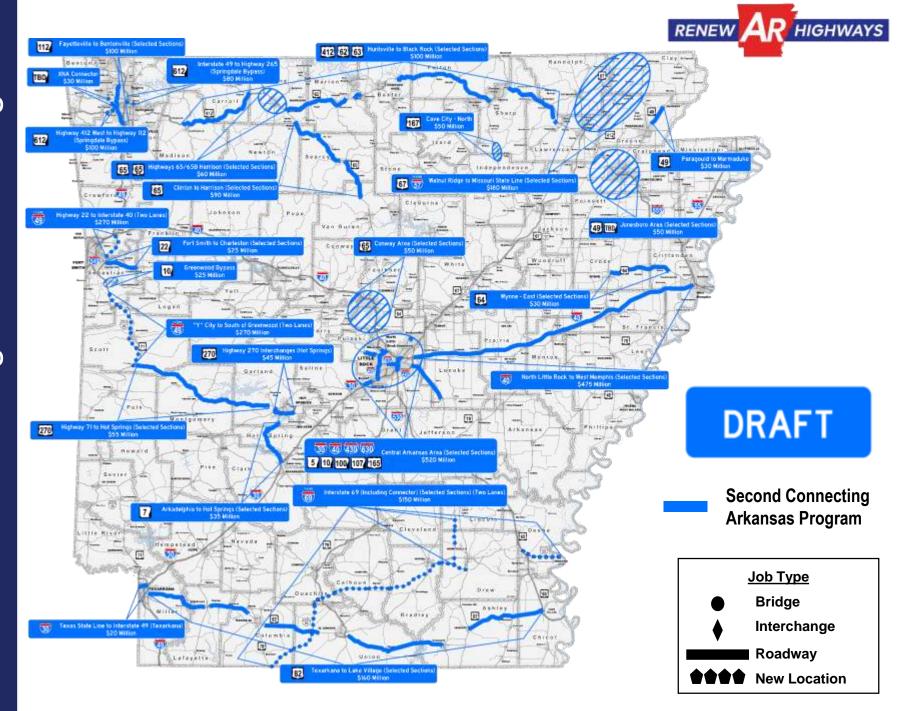
**Total** 

\$7.4 Billion









#### **Second Connecting Arkansas Program**



## Potential Projects

- Second Connecting Arkansas Program
- Economic Development, Partnering
   & Local Congestion Relief
- ROW Acquisition & Utility Relocation

\$ 0.5 Billion

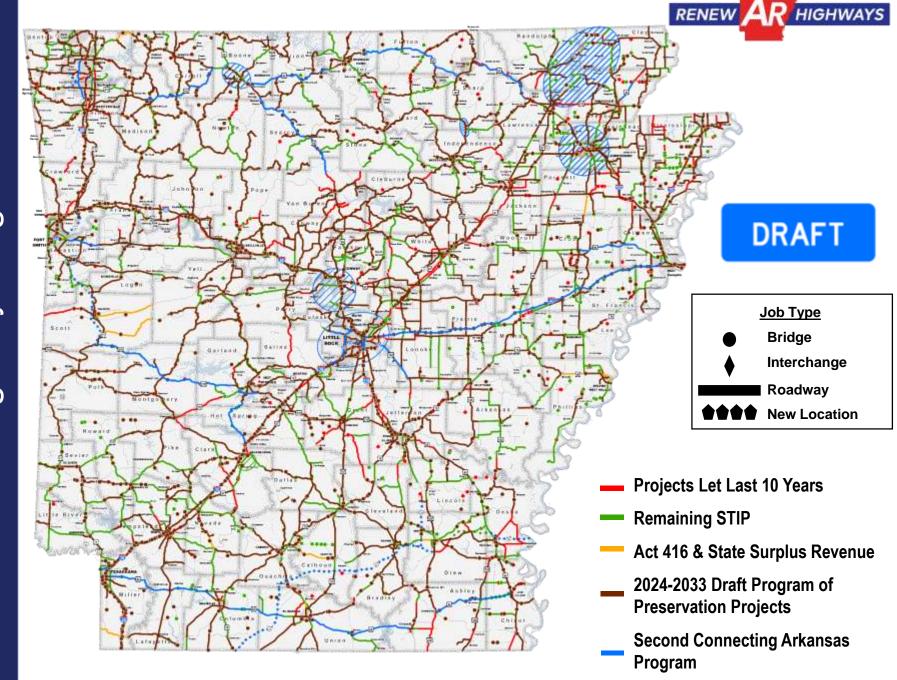
\$ 3.0 Billion

\$ 0.1 Billion

20-Year Total

\$3.6 Billion





### If Issue 1 Fails



## Annual Revenue Expected to be Available in SFY 2024 for State Highways

Act 416 of 2019

\$ 95 Million

**Proposed Amendment** 

\$205 Million

**Current Construction Program** 

\$440 Million

**Total Available SFY 2024** 

\$330 Million

Chicot County, Highway 144
Lake Chicot State Park entrance to the
Mississippi River Levee

**Nearly 30% Less** 

#### If Issue 1 Fails



## 10-Year Plan



Ashley County, Highway 160 6 miles east of Montrose

**Pavement Preservation** 

Bridge Improvements and Preservation

Interstate Maintenance

Safety Improvements

Capital and Congestion Relief (CAP-2)

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10-Year Total

\$\$735 Billion

#### If Issue 1 Fails





#### **Turnback to Cities**

2023 - \$156 Million

2024 - \$113 Million

Nearly a 30% Reduction

#### **Turnback to Counties**

2023 - \$156 Million

2024 - \$113 Million

Nearly a 30% Reduction

### It's Your Transportation System...



#### YOU Get to Decide

