

## Bass Road: Hillegas Road to Scott Road

(DES# 0400582)

### Project Description

This is a road widening project. Bass Road will be widened to three lanes, adding a continuous center two-way turn lane, road shoulders, multi-use trail on the north side of the road, and bridge and drainage improvements. Modification to Bass Road intersections with Hadley Road, Yellow River Road, and Kroemer Road are also planned. These improvements include sight distances, geometrics and adding turn lanes and traffic signals where necessary.

The preliminary engineering phase of this project is scheduled for 2009 and the first phase of right of way is scheduled to begin in 2012. The first phase of right of way is for intersection improvements at Hadley Road in 2012, followed by construction at this intersection in 2013. The second phase of right of way is for the intersection improvements at Kroemer Road in 2013. No additional right of way or construction is scheduled at this time. Due to the size and costs of this project, it is anticipated that it will be phased over a five to ten year period. The funding for this project is provided through the Congestion Mitigation Air Quality (CMAQ) and Surface Transportation Program (STP).

The following is the cost breakdown for the Bass Road reconstruction project.

Project Phase	Estimated Cost	Fiscal Year	Federal Share	State Share	Local Share
PE	2,200,000	2009	1,760,000	0	440,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,200,000</b>		<b>\$1,760,000</b>		<b>\$440,000</b>

The local agency responsible for this project is the Allen County Highway Department. You may contact the Engineering Department at 449-7369, if you have any questions or comments.

