

US 72 Improvements

Marshall County, Mississippi

What's Next?



Comments Recieved

Federal Highway administration (FHWA) and Mississippi Department of Transportation (MDOT) will **review and consider all comments**. A response document will be prepared for inclusion in the FONSI. The public comment period will end **February 7, 2025**.



FONSI

MDOT and FHWA will review the comments received from citizens, public officials, and public agencies (January 8 - February 7). If no significant impacts associated with the Preferred Alternative are identified, FHWA will prepare a **Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI)** and conclude the environmental process.



Schedule and Funding

The environmental process is expected to be complete in late spring or early summer 2025.

Highway improvements are expected to begin in early 2026 and be completed within 2 years. Site work for the plant, along with placement of utilities and construction access to the site, has already begun by others.

The **State of Mississippi has committed approximately \$150 million** to provide infrastructure to support the battery plant facility development and operations.