



**MID-STATES
CORRIDOR**

APPENDIX II: MEDIA OUTREACH

Mid-States Corridor Tier 1 Environmental Impact Statement

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MEDIA OUTREACH

Introduction

The project team worked with media outlets and reporters throughout Southern Indiana to share information about the Mid-States Corridor project, especially at key public milestones. This is a key step to keep the public informed with accurate information about the project.

News releases were issued at milestones and to reflect project updates. These included the project kickoff, two rounds of public information meetings, the availability of meeting materials at area libraries following both public meetings, project office information and updates to the project schedule.

As a result of these efforts, information about the Mid-States Corridor project appeared more than 450 times in newspapers, television reports and radio reports. This material has been summarized under the following project timeline categories:

- Mid-States Corridor Project Launch
- Public Meetings Planned
- Meeting in a Box Materials Available
- Preliminary Alternatives Advance for Study, Release of Screening Report, Public Meetings Ahead
- Meeting Materials at Area Libraries for Public Input
- Project Office to Close Temporarily Due to Covid-19
- Project Team Continues Work, Maintains Availability
- Preferred Corridor to be Identified in 2021, Office Reopens by Appointment

All of the articles enumerated here are in the project record.

July 2019 – Mid-States Corridor Project Launch

Media coverage surrounding the launch of the Mid-States Corridor project focused on study details and next steps for an improved north-south highway connection in Southern Indiana. Key themes included anticipated general alignments, timelines and project information. More than 25 media mentions were noted. The following articles are in the project record.

Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
7/8/2019	Study launched for Mid-States Corridor project	Herald Online, The	Article
7/10/2019	New highway project eyed connecting I-69, Jasper, Rockport areas	Evansville Courier & Press Online	Article
7/10/2019	Study Initiated for Mid-States Corridor Project - 44News	44 News	Article
7/11/2019	Proposed Southwest Indiana Highway Project Gains Speed	Inside Indiana Business with Gerry Dick Online - WTHR-TV	Article
7/11/2019	Environmental study underway for Mid-States Corridor Project	WTVW-TV Online	Article
7/14/2019	Tier 1 Environmental Study Underway on Mid-States Corridor	Building Indiana	Article



Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
7/16/2019	Study underway on proposed highway; public meeting coming to French Lick	Hoosier Times	Article
7/17/2019	Mid-States Corridor Project - Public Open House in Jasper, Dubois County	State of Indiana	Article
7/17/2019	Mid-States Corridor Project - Public Open House in French Lick, Orange County	State of Indiana	Article
7/17/2019	Mid-States Corridor Project - Public Open House in Washington, Daviess County	State of Indiana	Article
7/22/2019	INDOT to Host Public Meetings for Mid-States Corridor - 44News	44 News	Article
7/22/2019	Public meetings planned for Mid-States Corridor	Herald Online, The	Article
7/22/2019	Mid-States Corridor Project Tier 1 Environmental Study	City-County Observer	Article
7/23/2019	Public meeting scheduled for Mid-States Corridor Project	Dubois County Free Press	Article
7/24/2019	Study underway on proposed highway; public meeting coming to French Lick	Hoosier Times	Article
7/26/2019	Meetings set for Mid-States Corridor Project	Hoosier Times	Article
7/27/2019	Meetings set for Mid-States Corridor Project	Times-Mail Online	Article
7/30/2019	Mid-States Corridor Project Tier 1 Environmental Study	Spotlight on Lake	Article
7/31/2019	Mid-States Corridor Project Tier 1 Environmental Study unveiled	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article

August 2019 – Public Meetings Planned

Coverage of upcoming public meetings included location and project team contact details, social media channels and project office information. Key themes included project information, soliciting public input and interviews with community members in the project area. Nearly 40 media mentions were noted. The following articles are in the project record.

Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
8/1/2019	Mid-States Corridor Project Tier 1 Environmental Study August Public Meetings Scheduled	City-County Observer	Article
8/1/2019	Mid-States Corridor Project Tier 1 Environmental Study August Public Meetings Scheduled	City-County Observer	Article
8/2/2019	Public Meetings for Proposed Indiana Highway	Inside Indiana Business with Gerry Dick Online - WTHR-TV	Article
8/3/2019	Mid-States Corridor Project Tier 1 Environmental Study	City-County Observer	Article
8/3/2019	Mid-States Corridor Project Tier 1 Environmental Study	City-County Observer	Article
8/4/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Daily Journal Online, The	Article
8/4/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Journal Review Online	Article
8/4/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Eagle Online	Article
8/4/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Herald-Times Online	Article
8/4/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	SFGate	Article
8/4/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Tribune Online	Article
8/4/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Republic Online	Article
8/4/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Times Online, The	Article



Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
8/4/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Associated Press Online	Article
8/4/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	New Haven Register Online	Article
8/5/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	WTHI-TV - online	Article
8/5/2019	3 Meetings Set For Proposed Mid-States Corridor	WFYI-FM Online	Article
8/5/2019	3 Meetings Set for Proposed Mid-States Corridor	Indiana public media	Article
8/5/2019	Public meetings to address Mid-States Corridor	Herald Online, The	Article
8/5/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Argus-Press Online, The	Article
8/5/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	WTVW-TV Online	Article
8/5/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Herald-Dispatch Online	Article
8/5/2019	3 Meetings Set for Proposed Mid-States Corridor	U.S. News & World Report	Article
8/5/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Clay Center Dispatch Online	Article
8/5/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	WHIO-TV Online	Article
8/5/2019	3 meetings set for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Brown County Democrat Online	Article
8/6/2019	Cautious curiosity greets proposal for new highway	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article
8/8/2019	Long shot road project now moving forward	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article

August 2019 – Meeting in Box Materials Available

News stories focused on comment forms and project information available at 17 libraries in the project area. Key themes included listings of library locations, available information and the importance of the public sharing feedback and comment channels. Nearly 20 media mentions were noted. The following articles are in the project record.

Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
8/9/2019	Corridor meeting addresses roadway's pros, cons	Herald Online, The	Article
8/13/2019	Mid-States Corridor meeting addresses pros, cons	Times-Mail Online	Article
8/14/2019	Several questions still remain after meeting on highway project	Hoosier Times	Article
8/26/2019	Input wanted on Mid-States Corridor	Herald Online, The	Article
8/27/2019	Public input sought on Mid-States Corridor	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article
8/27/2019	Mid-States Corridor provides comment forms/information at area libraries	Dubois County Free Press	Article

January-February 2020 – Preliminary Alternatives Advance for Study, Release of Screening Report, Public Meetings Ahead

There was widespread media coverage surrounding the release of the Screening of Alternatives Report and second round of public meetings. These provided information about the alternatives moving



forward for additional study. Key themes included information about upcoming meetings, links to the screening report, project details and contact information. Almost 90 media mentions were noted. The following articles are in the project record.

Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
1/7/2020	Public meetings expected for corridor routes	Herald Online, The	Article
1/28/2020	Mid-States Corridor Project meetings scheduled	WTVW-TV Online	Article
1/28/2020	Public meetings set for corridor route options	Herald Online, The	Article
1/28/2020	Meeting: Dubois County Council	Herald Online, The	Article
1/28/2020	Potential routes for Mid-States Corridor expected in February	Dubois County Free Press	Article
1/29/2020	Public meeting on Mid-States Corridor Project set for Bedford	Times-Mail Online	Article
1/30/2020	Mid-States Corridor Public Meetings Planned for February	WBIW-AM Online	Article
1/31/2020	Mid-States Corridor Public Information Meetings - Martin, Lawrence and Dubois Counties	State of Indiana	Article
1/31/2020	Mid-States Corridor Public Information Meetings - Martin, Lawrence and Dubois Counties	State of Indiana	Article
1/31/2020	Mid-States Corridor informational meeting scheduled in Jasper	WFIE-TV Online	Article
2/2/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	WNKY-TV Online	Article
2/2/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	WPTA-TV Online	Article
2/2/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Tribune Online	Article
2/2/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	WHIO-TV Online	Article
2/2/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	New Haven Register Online	Article
2/2/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Associated Press	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	98.5 WBOW - Online	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Hoosier Times	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	WTWO-TV Online	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Daily Journal Online, The	Article
2/3/2020	3 Meetings set on Routes for Proposed Mid-States Corridor	U.S. News & World Report	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	WLFI-TV Online	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Tribune Star Online	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Argus-Press Online, The	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Bowling Green Daily News Online	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Lexington Herald-Leader Online/Kentucky.com	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Herald-Dispatch Online	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Times Online, The	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	News-Enterprise Online	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	State Journal Online	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Journal Review Online	Article



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2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Brown County Democrat Online	Article
2/3/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Republic Online	Article
2/4/2020	Mid-States Corridor public information meetings slated	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article
2/4/2020	More public meetings on highway project	Hoosier Times	Article
2/4/2020	3 Meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Indiana public media	Article
2/4/2020	3 meetings set on routes for proposed Mid-States Corridor	Princeton Daily Clarion Online	Article
2/5/2020	Meetings set on routes for proposed 4-lane	Vincennes Sun-Commercial Online	Article
2/10/2020	Mid-State Corridor Project set to host public meeting for input	WFIE-TV Online	Article
2/11/2020	Mid-States Corridor 3F Option Forecast to Generate up to \$150M, Potentially Generate up to 700 Jobs and Create Growth	WBIW-AM Online	Article
2/11/2020	Study: Mid-States Corridor 3F option to generate up to \$150 million	Hoosier Times	Article
2/11/2020	Key points from Mid-States Corridor project study	Hoosier Times	Article
2/12/2020	Orange County route remains on table for new highway plan	Hoosier Times	Article
2/12/2020	Mid-States route options narrowed to five	Herald Online, The	Article
2/12/2020	Southwest Indiana highway project identifies potential routes - WISH-TV	WISH-TV Online	Article
2/12/2020	Southwest Indiana Highway Project Identifies Potential Routes	Inside Indiana Business with Gerry Dick Online - WTHR-TV	Article
2/12/2020	Meetings scheduled to discuss narrowing options	Dubois County Free Press	Article
2/12/2020	Mid-States Corridor Public Information Meetings – Martin, Lawrence and Dubois Counties	Spotlight on Lake	Article
2/13/2020	Southwest Indiana highway project identifies potential routes	Real Estate Monitor Worldwide	Article
2/14/2020	Mid-States Corridor Public Meetings Planned for Next Week	WBIW-AM Online	Article
2/14/2020	Study: Mid-States Corridor 3F option to generate up to \$150M	Hoosier Times	Article
2/17/2020	Mid-States Corridor meetings this week	Dubois County Free Press	Article
2/17/2020	French Lick Group Pushes Mid-States Corridor Route Ahead of Hearings	Inside Indiana Business with Gerry Dick Online - WTHR-TV	Article
2/17/2020	Mid-States meetings start Tuesday	Herald Online, The	Article
2/17/2020	Mid-States Corridor Public Meetings Begin This Week	WBIW-AM Online	Article
2/18/2020	Housing, highway among topics explored during FL Resort update	Hoosier Times	Article
2/18/2020	Mid-States Corridor public meetings this week	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article



Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
2/18/2020	Jasper is a community that cares	Dubois County Free Press	Article
2/18/2020	French Lick group pushes Mid-States Corridor route ahead of hearings - WISH-TV	WISH-TV Online	Article
2/18/2020	3 meetings to eye proposals for expressway from Ohio River to Indy - WISH-TV	WISH-TV Online	Article
2/19/2020	Mid-States Corridor Public Meeting at Bedford Middle School Tonight	WBIW-AM Online	Article
2/19/2020	Hundreds gather for first Mid-States Corridor Project meeting	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article
2/20/2020	Hundreds gather for first Mid-States Corridor Project meeting	Lebanon Reporter Online	Article
2/20/2020	Lawrence County Officials Hoping for Improved Highway Connection in Southern Indiana	WBIW-AM Online	Article
2/20/2020	Hundreds gather for first Mid-States Corridor Project meeting	Tribune Star Online	Article
2/20/2020	Hundreds gather for first Mid-States Corridor Project meeting	Herald Bulletin Online, The	Article
2/20/2020	Hundreds gather for first Mid-States Corridor Project meeting	Rushville Republican Online	Article
2/20/2020	Hundreds gather for first Mid-States Corridor Project meeting	Goshen News Online, The	Article
2/20/2020	Hundreds gather for first Mid-States Corridor Project meeting	Herald-Tribune Online	Article

February 2020 – Meeting Materials at Area Libraries for Public Input

News stories focused on the availability of meeting materials and comment forms at area libraries. Key themes included ways to get in touch with the team and share input, a public push for feedback and general project information. More than 30 media mentions were noted. The following articles or letters to the editor are in the project record.

Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
2/21/2020	Public Input Sought on Mid-States Corridor, Meeting Materials are Online and at Several Libraries	WBIW-AM Online	Article
2/21/2020	Mid-States Corridor process leaves residents in the lurch	Dubois County Free Press	Article
2/21/2020	Mid-States corridor maps for Feb. 21, 2020	Hoosier Times	Article
2/21/2020	Mid-State Corridor 1 for Feb. 21, 2020	Hoosier Times	Article
2/21/2020	Hundreds attend Mid-States Corridor meeting	Herald Online, The	Article
2/21/2020	Mid-States Corridor project outlined in informational meeting	Times-Mail Online	Article
2/21/2020	Mid-States Corridor project outlined in informational meeting	Hoosier Times	Article
2/21/2020	Hundreds gather for first Mid-States Corridor Project	Vincennes Sun-Commercial Online	Article
2/21/2020	Hundreds turn out for meeting on Mid-States Corridor Project	WTVW-TV Online	Article
2/22/2020	Public input sought for Mid-States Corridor Project in Jasper	WFIE-TV Online	Article



Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
2/22/2020	Public input sought on Mid-States Corridor	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article
2/24/2020	Mid-States Corridor information, questionnaires at local libraries	Dubois County Free Press	Article
2/24/2020	Mid-States info available at libraries	Herald Online, The	Article
2/25/2020	Mid-States Corridor project outlined in informational meeting	Hoosier Times	Article
3/4/2020	Opinions abound on proposed Mid-States Corridor	Hoosier Times	Article
3/9/2020	Mid-States Corridor Project	Inside Indiana Business	Article
3/12/2020	Dozens gather to oppose Mid-States Corridor Plan in Dubois Co.	Keaton Eberly	Article
3/19/2020	Politicians and business owners - are you listening?	Dubois County Herald	Letter to Editor
3/19/2020	Mid-States Corridor cost not worth it	Letter to the Editor	Letter to Editor

March 2020 – Project Office to Close Temporarily Due to Covid-19

Media coverage included several stories about the temporary closure of the project office and availability of the project team via phone, email, postal mail and the project website. Key themes included information about the temporary closure and contact information. More than 10 media mentions were noted. The following articles or letters to the editor are in the project record.

Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
3/19/2020	What's happening and next steps	Local Sources	Article
3/25/2020	Mid-States, what's happening and next steps	Herald Online	Article
3/25/2020	Mid-States Corridor: What's happening and next steps	Hoosier Times	Letter to Editor
3/30/2020	Update, overview of Mid-States Corridor project	Perry County News	Article

March 2020 – January 2021 – Project Team Continues Work, Maintains Availability

The ongoing Covid-19 pandemic kept the project office closed. The project team remained available to communicate with the public via email, phone and post mail, while sharing information on the project website and social media. News stories and media mentions during this time focused on op-eds from community members and general, informational project stories by the media. Nearly 175 mentions were noted during this period. The following articles or letters to the editor are in the project record.

Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
4/14/2020	Businesses, groups call on INDOT to stop planning highway project during coronavirus pandemic	Indianapolis Star Online, The	Article
4/15/2020	Coalition: Halt Southern Indiana Highway Project During COVID-19	WFYI-FM Online	Article



Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
4/15/2020	Halt Southern Indiana Highway Project During COVID-19	Indiana public media	Article
4/15/2020	Group Says Mid-State Highway Plans Must Stop	WBIW-AM Online	Article
4/15/2020	Coalition shares concerns about Mid-States highway	Hoosier Times	Article
4/16/2020	Letter: Say no to Mid-States Corridor Project M	Times-Mail Online	Letter to Editor
4/16/2020	Halt Southern Indiana Highway Project During COVID-19	Lakeshore Public Radio	Article
4/16/2020	Coalition: Halt Southern Indiana Highway Project During COVID-19	WBAA	Article
4/17/2020	Coalition shares concerns about Mid-States highway (copy)	Reporter-Times Online	Article
4/18/2020	Coalition shares concerns about Mid-States highway	Hoosier Times	Article
4/18/2020	Letter: Say no to Mid-States Corridor Project	Hoosier Times	Letter to Editor
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	Herald-Dispatch Online	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	Daily Journal Online, The	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	Republic Online	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	Journal Review Online	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition Seeks Halt on Southern Indiana Highway Planning	U.S. News & World Report	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	St. Joseph News-Press Online	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	Brown County Democrat Online	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	Tribune Online	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on I69 southern highway planning	Journal Gazette Online, The	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	SFGate	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	New Haven Register Online	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	Associated Press Online	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	Laredo Morning Times Online	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	WRAL-TV Online	Article
4/19/2020	Coalition seeks halt on southern Indiana highway planning	Associated Press	Article
4/23/2020	Organizations speak out against corridor	Herald Online, The	Article
4/24/2020	It's time for us to speak and politicians to listen	Herald Online, The	Article
4/27/2020	Our farmhouse sits right in harm's way	Herald Online, The	Article
4/27/2020	Dubois County residents will lose more than they gain	Herald Online, The	Article
4/28/2020	Letter to Editor	Hoosier Times	Letter to Editor
4/29/2020	I feel like I am fighting for my life	Herald Online, The	Article



Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
5/1/2020	If the bulldozers start pushing dirt, it will be too late	Herald Online, The	Article
5/4/2020	Mid-States Corridor opposition needs to stomp on gas pedal	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
5/5/2020	Corridor to secure economic future of region	Herald Online, The	Article
5/5/2020	Meeting: Dubois County Commissioners	Herald Online, The	Article
5/5/2020	How to build a highway without disrupting local life	Herald Online, The	Article
5/6/2020	Consulting parties share corridor route concerns	Herald Online, The	Article
5/6/2020	Mid-States Corridor key to continued prosperity	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
5/8/2020	Mid-States Corridor will destroy irreplaceable farmland	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
5/8/2020	Our farmland is infrastructure that we can't afford to lose	Herald Online, The	Article
5/8/2020	Mid-States Corridor Survey Results	News Now Dubois County	Article
5/11/2020	Data doesn't support Mid-States Corridor	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
5/11/2020	Mid-States Corridor Archives - Dubois County Free Press	Dubois County Free Press	Article
5/11/2020	Mid-States Corridor questionnaires garner more than 3,000 responses	Dubois County Free Press	Article
5/11/2020	The data paints a different picture of corridor's effects	Herald Online, The	Article
5/21/2020	At-large candidates support each other's pursuit	Herald Online, The	Article
5/22/2020	If businesses don't learn from Kokomo, they are doomed to the same fate	Herald Online, The	Article
6/5/2020	Family farm settled in 1815 could be destroyed	Herald Online, The	Article
6/30/2020	Most are against the Corridor. Where is our representation?	Herald Online, The	Article
6/30/2020	Conversation important to learn about Mid-States Corridor	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
7/1/2020	We stand together in support of a thorough and deliberate study of the Mid-States Corridor	Dubois County Free Press	Article
7/1/2020	Wait and consider all info from corridor study	Herald Online, The	Article
7/7/2020	Daviess Driven: EDC announces support, campaign for Mid-States Corridor	News and Tribune Online	Article
7/7/2020	EDC announces support, campaign for Mid-States Corridor	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article
7/8/2020	COVID-19 Helped Drive Daviess County Initiative	Inside Indiana Business with Gerry Dick Online - WTHR-TV	Article
7/8/2020	Daviess County Makes Public Push for Mid-States Corridor Highway	Indiana Public Radio	Article
7/8/2020	Daviess County Makes Public Push for Mid-States Corridor Highway	Indiana public media	Article
7/8/2020	Daviess Driven: EDC announces support, campaign for Mid-States Corridor	Pharos-Tribune Online	Article
7/8/2020	EDC announces support, campaign for Mid-States Corridor	Tribune Star Online	Article



Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
7/8/2020	Daviess County Makes Public Push for Mid-States Corridor Highway	Real Estate Monitor Worldwide	Article
7/8/2020	Daviess Driven: EDC announces support, campaign for Mid-States Corridor	Herald Bulletin Online, The	Article
7/8/2020	Daviess County leaders announced 'Daviess Driven' initiative	WTHI-TV - online	Article
7/8/2020	Daviess County coalition aims to boost economic recovery - WISH-TV	WISH-TV Online	Article
7/8/2020	EDC announces support, campaign for Mid-States Corridor	Goshen News Online, The	Article
7/8/2020	EDC announces support, campaign for Mid-States Corridor	Lebanon Reporter Online	Article
7/9/2020	Daviess County Coalition Aims to Boost Economic Recovery	Inside Indiana Business with Gerry Dick Online - WTHR-TV	Article
7/11/2020	Daviess County Economic Development Corp. announces support for Mid-States Corridor	Hoosier Times	Article
7/13/2020	No matter route chosen, 'no route' is people's choice	Herald Online, The	Article
7/14/2020	I want my tax dollars to study a no-build option	Herald Online, The	Article
7/15/2020	Daviess County Economic Development Corp. announces support for Mid-States Corridor	Hoosier Times	Article
7/15/2020	I will continue my candidacy for county council	Herald Online, The	Article
7/29/2020	Join us to rally against the Mid-States Corridor	Herald Online, The	Article
7/31/2020	Summit addresses economic, tourism concerns	Herald Online, The	Article
7/31/2020	Letter: Rally against highway	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
7/31/2020	Rally opposing Mid-States Corridor project planned for Saturday	Dubois County Free Press	Article
8/2/2020	Community members speak out on highway project	WTVW-TV Online	Article
8/4/2020	100s gather to protest Mid-States Corridor	Dubois County Free Press	Article
8/5/2020	Fight the creation of the Mid-States Corridor	Herald Online, The	Article
8/14/2020	Letter: Update, overview of Mid-States Corridor project	Perry County News Online, The	Letter to Editor
8/19/2020	Dubois Strong to host virtual annual meeting for 2020	Dubois County Free Press	Article
8/21/2020	Granados off ballot, still pushing for justice	Herald Online, The	Article
8/25/2020	One is one too many!	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
8/28/2020	Mega highways destroy land, lives	Herald Online, The	Letter to Editor
8/28/2020	Take this wildly destructive highway off the books forever	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
8/29/2020	Go to the politicians pushing for Mid-States Corridor	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
9/2/2020	Mid-States study to take longer than planned	Herald Online, The	Article



Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
9/3/2020	Dubois Strong holds annual meeting	Dubois County Free Press	Article
9/3/2020	Dubois Strong commissions Mid-States Corridor study - WISH-TV	WISH-TV Online	Article
9/3/2020	Dubois Strong Commissions Mid-States Corridor Study	Inside Indiana Business with Gerry Dick Online - WTHR-TV	Article
9/4/2020	Dubois Strong Commissions Mid-States Corridor Study	Inside Indiana Business with Gerry Dick Online - WTHR-TV	Article
9/4/2020	Firm to study economics of corridor project	Herald Online, The	Article
9/9/2020	Firm hired to study economics of Mid-States Corridor project	Hoosier Times	Article
9/16/2020	Firm hired to study economics of Mid-States Corridor project	Hoosier Times	Article
9/21/2020	Rally planned in Jasper to protest the Mid-States Corridor	WTVW-TV Online	Article
9/24/2020	Southwest Indiana Development Council supports business in Mid-States Corridor	News Break	Article
9/27/2020	Protesters rally in Jasper to voice opposition against Mid-States Corridor Plan	WFIE-TV Online	Article
9/28/2020	Stop the Mid-States Corridor rally held	Dubois County Free Press	Article
9/29/2020	Opposition speaks out against corridor	Herald Online, The	Article
10/21/2020	Don't vote for those in support of corridor	Herald Online, The	Article
10/27/2020	Democrats need to offer solutions on Mid-States Corridor, not rhetoric	Dubois County Free Press	Article
10/30/2020	A tale of two counties	Herald Online, The	Article
11/3/2020	Let's join RDA at next meeting on corridor	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article
11/3/2020	Make your voices heard at Mid-States Corridor meeting	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
11/10/2020	Congratulations - Winning, losing, and the people	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
11/16/2020	Will of the majority has spoken	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article
1/8/2021	The Herald's top stories of 2020	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article
1/8/2021	The Herald's top stories of 2020 – The Herald	Business Fast	Article
1/19/2021	Daviess County receives certification on two plots of land near I-69	WTHI-TV - online	Article
2/3/2021	Attend the next Mid-States Corridor meeting	Dubois County Free Press	Letter to Editor
2/4/2021	Plan to attend RDA meeting on Mid-States Corridor	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article
2/5/2021	Planning commission receives transportation suggestions	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article



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2/5/2021	Plan commission receives transportation suggestions – Dubois County Herald – The Herald	Business Fast	Article
2/6/2021	Dubois Co. residents voice concerns over Mid-States Corridor at Regional Development Authority meeting	WFIE-TV Online	Article

February 2021 – Preferred Corridor to be Identified in 2021, Office Reopens by Appointment

Media coverage highlighted the updates to the project schedule and the expected identification of the preferred corridor in the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS). The DEIS is expected to be published in fall 2021. Coverage also included the reopening of the project office by appointment. Key themes included fall identification of a preferred corridor, updated project schedule, next steps and how to make appointments for meetings at the project office. Nearly 45 media mentions were noted. The following articles are in the project record.

Date	Article/Story Headline	Outlet	Type
2/9/2021	Mid-States preferred corridor to be identified this year	WTVW-TV Online	Article
2/9/2021	Mid-States preferred corridor to be identified in 2021	Dubois County Free Press	Article
2/9/2021	Questions, frustrations apparent at Mid-States Corridor meeting	Dubois County Free Press	Article
2/9/2021	Mid-States Corridor to be Announced Later this Year	WBIW-AM Online	Article
2/10/2021	Preferred Mid-States route to be identified in the fall	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	News Break	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Indiana public media	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Journal Review Online	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Herald-Times Online	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Journal Gazette Online, The	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	WANE-TV Online	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Bowling Green Daily News Online	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	WLFI-TV Online	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	WSIL-TV Online	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	WPTA-TV Online	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Associated Press Online	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Times of Northwest Indiana Online, The	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	News-Enterprise Online	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Goshen News Online, The	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article



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2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	State Journal Online	Article
2/15/2021	Officer investigating prowler complaint fatally shoots man	Kentucky New Era Online	Article
2/15/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	WNKY-TV Online	Article
2/16/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Seymour Tribune Online	Article
2/16/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Brown County Democrat Online	Article
2/16/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Daily Journal Online, The	Article
2/16/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Republic Online	Article
2/16/2021	Mid-States preferred corridor to be identified this year	Hoosier Times	Article
2/16/2021	Mid-States Corridor Weighing Possible Routes	Indiana public media	Article
2/16/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	Owensboro Messenger-Inquirer Online	Article
2/16/2021	Proposed Indiana highway's preferred route expected in fall	WFYI-FM Online	Article
2/17/2021	Highway's route to get OK	Journal Gazette Online, The	Article
2/20/2021	Mid-States preferred corridor to be identified this year	Hoosier Times	Article
3/3/2021	Study shows economic impact of Mid-States Corridor – The Herald	Rocket News	Article
3/3/2021	Study Outlines Benefits of Mid-States Corridor Project	Inside Indiana Business with Gerry Dick Online - WTHR-TV	Article
3/3/2021	Dubois Strong study espouses Mid-States Corridor economic impact	Dubois County Free Press	Article
3/3/2021	Study shows economic impact of Mid-States Corridor	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article
3/4/2021	New study projects economic growth from Mid-States Corridor – 14 News WFIE Evansville	Rocket News	Article
3/4/2021	New study projects economic growth from Mid-States Corridor	WFIE-TV Online	Article
4/4/2021	Lochmueller begins environment study for Mid-States Corridor	Evansville Courier & Press	Article
4/6/2021	Corridor study does not add up	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article
4/6/2021	MidStates Corridor study does not add up	Dubois County Free Press	Article
4/8/2021	Communities' project wish lists in annual report	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article
4/18/2021	Indiana budget forecast looking positive	News Break	Article
4/20/2021	Letter: Corridor study does not add up	Hoosier Times	Article
4/21/2021	Mid-States Corridor to leave citizens homeless	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article



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4/21/2021	Residents need to be active in Mid-States Corridor progress	Dubois County Free Press	Article
4/23/2021	Now is time for Mid-States Corridor discussion	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article
5/13/2021	Mid-States Corridor RDA discusses public communication issues	Dubois County Free Press	Article
6/11/2021	Indiana to spend \$475M on downstate road projects	Indianapolis Business Journal Online	Article
6/11/2021	Holcomb Announces \$475M in Infrastructure Projects	Inside Indiana Business with Gerry Dick Online - WTHR-TV	Article
6/11/2021	Holcomb announces \$475M in southern Indiana road projects - WISH-TV	WISH-TV Online	Article
6/13/2021	Project office relocates on Vincennes University Jasper Campus	WBIW-AM Online	Article
6/14/2021	Mid-States Corridor project office relocates	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article
6/14/2021	Mid-States Corridor office reopens in new location at VUJ campus	Dubois County Free Press	Article
6/14/2021	Mid-States Corridor office reopens in new location at VUJ campus	News Break	Article
6/14/2021	Project Office Relocates on Vincennes University Jasper Campus	News Break	Article
6/15/2021	US 231 funding not part of Mid-States	Dubois County Herald Online, The	Article
6/15/2021	VUJC Continues Serving Mid-States Corridor Office	News Break	Article
6/17/2021	News 10 WTHI	WTHI-TV	Article
6/17/2021	\$75 Million dollars planned to upgrade US 231 in Martin County	WTHI-TV - online	Article
6/17/2021	Governor's plan includes big dollars for roads in southern Indiana	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article
6/17/2021	Governor's plan includes almost a half-billion for southern Indiana	Washington Times-Herald Online	Article
6/24/2021	Holcomb Commits \$475 Million for "Transformational" Infrastructure Projects Raising Environmental Concerns	FREE REPUBLIC	Article
8/27/2021	9th District Congressman Trey Hollingsworth holds a Town Hall meeting in Bedford	WBIW-AM Online	Article