

Central District

April 2026–June 2026 4th Quarter Status Report

With over 240 personnel spread over 25 offices and a multi-million dollar operating budget, Central District functions within the greater Phoenix area, which is the 10th largest and fastest growing metropolitan area in the US. The District covers two counties, 26 incorporated communities – nine of which are among the 10 largest cities in Arizona – and encompasses roughly 5,500 lane-miles of state freeways and highways.

Central District plays a crucial role in the lifecycle of our infrastructure. Beginning in scoping, District construction staff assists in the development of upcoming projects and fully administers the construction oversight on behalf of the State. After construction is complete, District maintenance forces work hard to keep the State's infrastructure at the highest operational capacity.

Central District boasts an exemplary record for accommodating special events like Super Bowls and NCAA Final Four events, all while having the highest traffic volumes in the State. Central District also plays a key role in handling all kinds of extreme weather. This ranges from plowing snow on SR-87 in partnership with the NorthCentral District to dealing with the extreme heat and monsoon storms in the summer.



35th Ave Abutment
Repair Operation



51st Ave Girder Placement



31st Ave Bridge

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CENTRAL DISTRICT PROJECTS

CURRENT MAINTENANCE

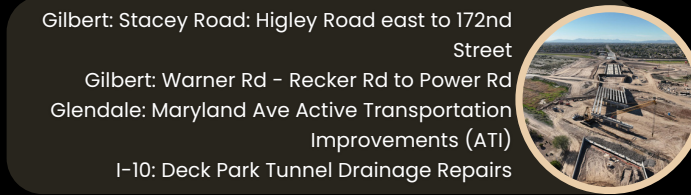
CURRENT CONSTRUCTION

- Apache Junction: Old West Highway- Idaho Road to Goldfield Road
- Avondale: Cellular Communications & CCTV Cameras
- FMS: Sunset Point to Flagstaff
- Gilbert: Mews Road Improvements
- Glendale: Construct Flashing Yellow Arrows (21 Locations)
- Glendale: Missouri Ave - 55th Ave to 51st Ave
- Glendale: Palmaire Ave, 46th Ave, Bethany Home, Grand Ave
- I-10: 7th Street to Chandler Blvd
- I-10: Gila River Bridge
- I-10: Verrado Way - 99th Avenue
- I-17: SR-74 to Anthem Way
- Maricopa: Pedestrian Bridge over the Union Pacific Railroad (UPRR)
- Peoria: 107th Ave and Rose Garden
- Peoria: Deer Valley - 107th to 79th Avenue
- Peoria: Lake Pleasant Pkwy from SR-303L to Union Hills
- SR 101L (Pima): Princess Dr - Shea Blvd (Diamond Grind)
- SR 101L (Pima): SR 101L to SR 51: East to South Ramp
- SR 101L: 75th Ave to I-17
- SR 101L: I-10 System Interchange
- SR 101L: SR 202L (Red Mountain) - US 60
- SR 202L: Loop 101 to Val Vista Rd
- SR 202L: McClintock Drive - 48th Street
- SR 202L: McClintock Drive - Thomas Road
- SR 303L: 51st Ave to I-17 System Interchange Ramps and New GPL
- SR 303L: MC-85 to Van Buren Street
- SR 303L: Peoria - Sonoran Desert Parkway
- SR 303L: SR 303L & US 60 (Grand Ave) TI Next Phase Interim Improvements
- SR 51: I-10 to Shea Blvd
- SR 87: Western Canal to Baseline
- US 60: 85th Ave to I-10
- US 60X: Sossaman Road to Meridian Drive

UPCOMING CONSTRUCTION



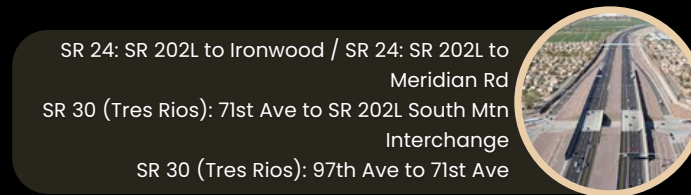
Apache Junction: Tomahawk Rd - US 60 to Southern
 Buckeye: Buckeye Fiber Optic Backbone (MC 85/Miller Rd)
 El Mirage: 121st Ave Improvements



Gilbert: Stacey Road: Higley Road east to 172nd Street
 Gilbert: Warner Rd - Recker Rd to Power Rd
 Glendale: Maryland Ave Active Transportation Improvements (ATI)
 I-10: Deck Park Tunnel Drainage Repairs



Phoenix Metro Area (Reflective Tape)
 Regionwide CCTV Expansion
 Scottsdale: Central Arizona Canal - Scottsdale Road to Northsight Boulevard
 Scottsdale: Pima Road - Happy Valley Road to Jomax Road



SR 24: SR 202L to Ironwood / SR 24: SR 202L to Meridian Rd
 SR 30 (Tres Rios): 71st Ave to SR 202L South Mtn Interchange
 SR 30 (Tres Rios): 97th Ave to 71st Ave



SR 303L: Lake Pleasant Parkway to 51st Ave new GPL
 Surprise: Waddell Road - Litchfield Road to Bullard Avenue
 Tolleson: Van Buren at 95th Ave (Pedestrian Bridge System)
 US 60: Indian School Rd and 35th Ave

- Completed mill and fill on I-17 SB frontage road between MP 203.91 and MP 202.91
- Completed mill and fill on SR 74 EB at MP 24.61 (SR 74 & Lake Pleasant)
- Completed mill and fill on US 60 Grand Ave between MP 124 and MP 125
- Scheduled spot mill and fill on I-10 EB between MP 122.3 and MP 122.7 (Perryville bridge) in 2026
- Scheduled mill and fill on US 60 Superstition between MP 204 and 208 tentatively for May 2026
- Completed crack sealing and fogging SR 74 between MP 0 and MP32
- Scheduled fog sealing multiple sections on SR 87 both directions between MP 177 and MP 218. Remaining sections are scheduled to continue in April 2026.
- Completed crack sealing SR 74 between MP 0 and MP 32
- Mill and fill on SR 238 between MP 41 and MP 42 scheduled spring 2026 and possibly adding a 4-foot shoulder to this section.
- Scheduled fog seal on US 60 in both directions between MP199 and MP 192 in April 2026.

