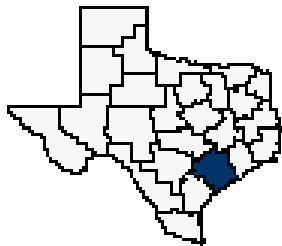




DISTRICT PROFILE

The Yoakum District plans, designs, builds, operates and maintains the state transportation system in its counties. The district primarily conducts asset preservation and mobility projects to ensure the safety of the traveling public. The Yoakum District experiences a high volume of energy sector traffic, which results in varying challenges for maintenance crews and designers in order to maintain district assets and assure the safety of the traveling public year-round.



FAST FACTS (FY 2014):

Population	333,243
Area (Sq. Miles)	9,907
Lane Miles	8,151
Daily Vehicle Miles	13,910,589
Registered Vehicles	417,960
TxDOT Employees	275
Construction/Maintenance Expenditures	\$170.2 million
Percentage of Highway Projects Completed On Time	83.48%
Percentage of Highway Projects Completed Under Budget	33.55%
Number of Bridges on the State Highway System	1,682
Number of TxDOT Bridges on county/city owned roadways	1,114



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John Cornyn
Ted Cruz

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MAJOR PROJECTS UNDERWAY:

- SH 36 in Austin County: construct passing lanes – \$10.5 million
- LP 463 in Victoria County: construct four-lane overpass – \$16.6 million
- US 59 in Victoria County: construct frontage roads and replace overpass at US 87 – \$22.9 million
- I-10 in Colorado County: asphaltic concrete overlay – \$8.8 million

PLANNED MAJOR PROJECTS:

- US 77 in Victoria County: Expand to four-lane divided freeway at Guadalupe River (Prop 1 Project, begins fall 2015)
- US 59 in Wharton County: Construct frontage roads south of El Campo (Fall 2015)
- US 87 in Victoria County: Construct overpass at FM 447 (2016)
- FM 457 in Matagorda County: Replace swing bridge at GIWW (2016)

MAINTENANCE: The Yoakum District spends \$15 million on average (300 miles) for seal coating projects each year. We also perform approximately 1,100-lane miles of crack sealing to preserve pavement life.

CORRIDORS: The Yoakum District is responsible for portions of I-10, US 59, US 87, US 77, US 183 and SH 36. The Yoakum District is conducting impact studies in preparation to upgrade US 59 in Jackson, Victoria and Wharton Counties to I-69 standards.

SAFETY: The Yoakum District continues to add median cable barriers on portions of US 59, as well as right-of-way safety upgrades throughout the district. We have many projects underway to widen roadways, add turn lanes and enhance motorist safety.