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Subject: Construction of a Sound Barrier at I-65 and Stansifer Avenue  
Ohio River Bridges Project

Dear Property Owner:

On behalf of the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC), CTS-GEC is soliciting your input regarding the potential for the construction of a sound barrier adjacent to the west side of the exit ramp from southbound I-65 to Stansifer Avenue (Barrier #1); this sound barrier construction is proposed as part of the Ohio River Bridges Project. The proposed sound barrier would be constructed at ground level; it would vary in height from 12 feet to 16 feet, and would be approximately 994 feet in length. A graphic display is attached which shows the proposed location of the sound barrier (Barrier #1). The intended purpose of this sound barrier is to reduce the impact of traffic noise from I-65 on the adjacent properties.

KYTC evaluates noise abatement measures for feasibility and reasonableness. If feasible and reasonable, public input is an important factor in determining the construction of sound barriers. Finally, KYTC makes the decision about the construction of the sound barriers based on feasibility, reasonableness and supportive responses from the public. Preliminary findings show that the sound barrier in this location is both feasible and reasonable. Therefore, KYTC requests your input on whether you favor the construction of a sound barrier at this location.

Therefore, please complete and return the enclosed self-addressed stamped postcard. **Due to the importance of this input, please return the survey postmarked by January 10, 2014.** KYTC will evaluate the number of responses prior to reaching a decision on the construction of the sound barrier. Please note that if you do not return the survey, you will be counted as not desiring the construction of a sound barrier.

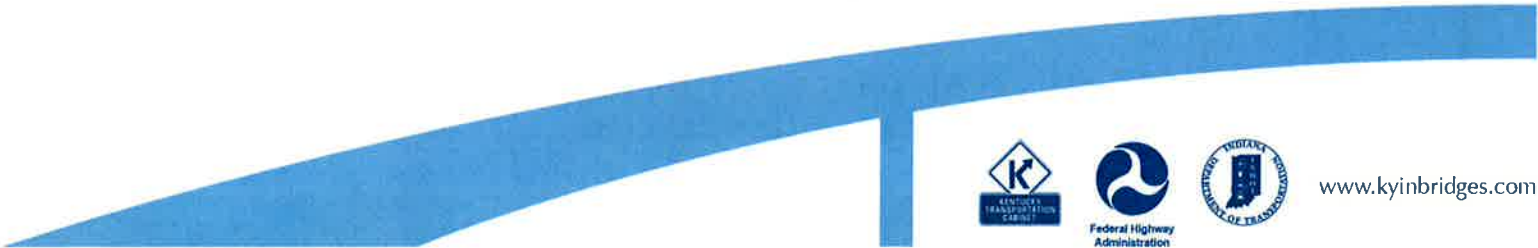
KYTC is committed to listening to your thoughts and opinions on the construction of the sound barrier. If you have any questions, or if we can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

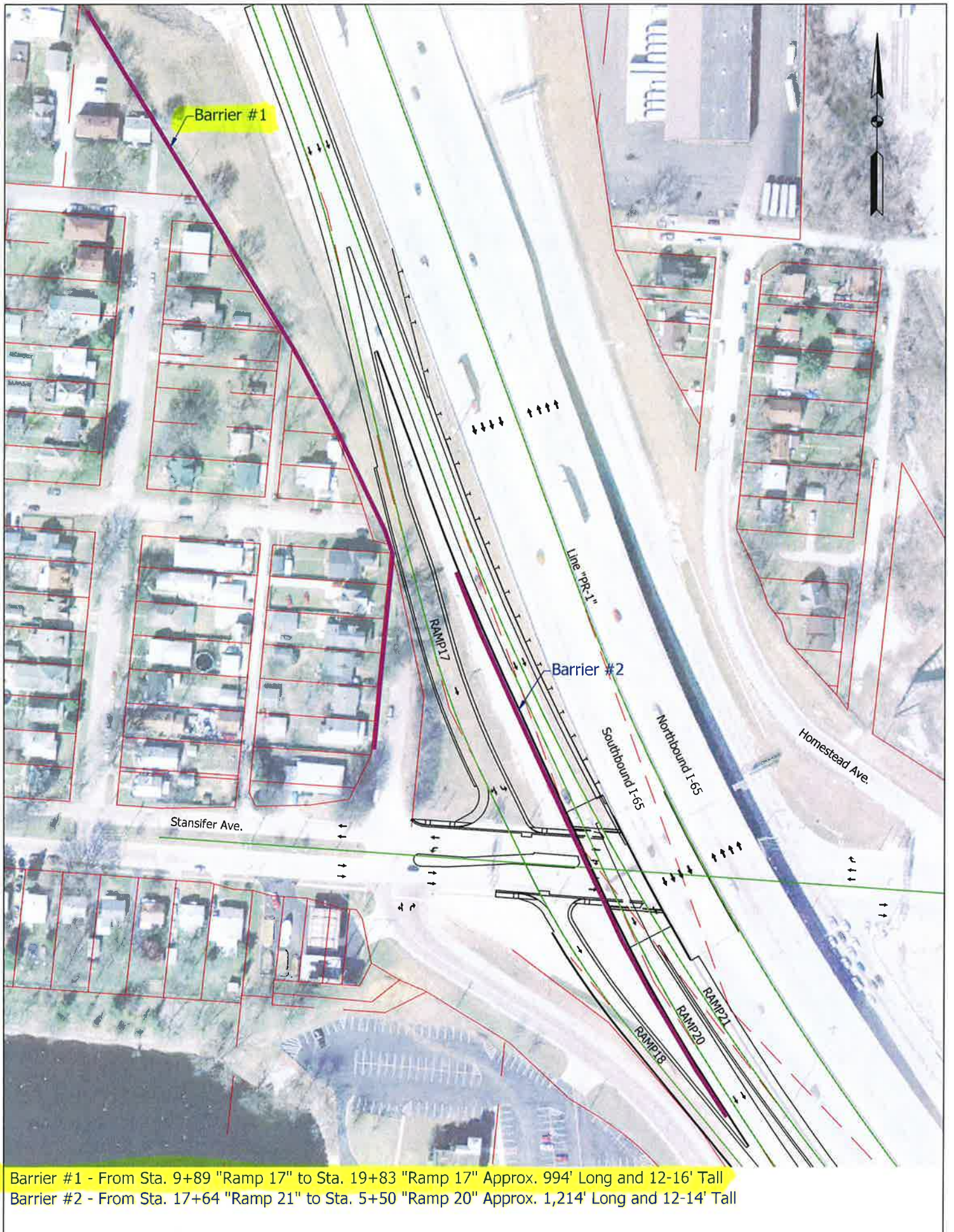
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Project Controls





Barrier #1 - From Sta. 9+89 "Ramp 17" to Sta. 19+83 "Ramp 17" Approx. 994' Long and 12-16' Tall  
Barrier #2 - From Sta. 17+64 "Ramp 21" to Sta. 5+50 "Ramp 20" Approx. 1,214' Long and 12-14' Tall