

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY

Widening of State Route (SR)-170 from SR-62 (Oak Ridge Highway) interchange to SR-9 (US-25W, Clinton Highway) Anderson County, Tennessee, PIN 124121.00

The Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) is announcing the availability of the Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) environmental document for public inspection. The FONSI was approved by the Federal Highway Administration on February 10, 2026, for the State Route (SR) 170 (Edgemoor Road) widening project, from the SR-62 (Oak Ridge Highway) interchange to SR-9 (US-25W, Clinton Highway), in Anderson County, Tennessee.

The Selected (Build) Alternative will widen the existing two to three-lane typical section to a four-lane typical section (two 12-foot travel lanes in each direction) with a variable median and eight-foot shoulders west of Walnut Valley Road, and a five-lane section (two 12-foot travel lanes in each direction and a center 12-foot two-way left-turn lane) with eight-foot shoulders east of Walnut Valley Road. The Selected (Build) Alternative will also include curb and gutter, a five-foot sidewalk to the north, a 10-foot shared-use path to the south, and guardrails as needed. Improvements will also include adding turn lanes at strategic intersections, realigning and reconfiguring several intersections along the corridor, and replacing the existing two-lane bridge over the Clinch River with a four-lane bridge with a painted median.

The project is intended to address the following transportation needs that have been identified through coordination with local officials, agencies, and the public:

- Existing roadway geometric deficiencies,
- Insufficient mobility/connectivity,
- Traffic congestion, and
- Consistency with the legislative intent of the “Improving Manufacturing, Public Roads, and Opportunities for a Vibrant Economy” (IMPROVE) Act and the “Transportation Modernization Act” (TMA).

The purpose of the project is to:

- Correct geometric deficiencies,
- Improve connectivity and mobility,
- Reduce traffic congestion, and
- Meet the Legislative Intent of the IMPROVE Act and the TMA.

The FONSI is available for download electronically via the TDOT SR-170 Project Website at:
<https://www.tn.gov/tdot/projects/projects-region-1/sr-170-widening.html> (or scan the QR code)

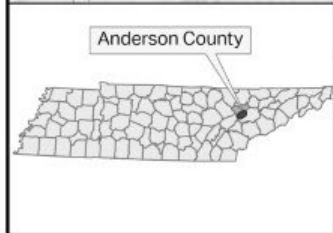
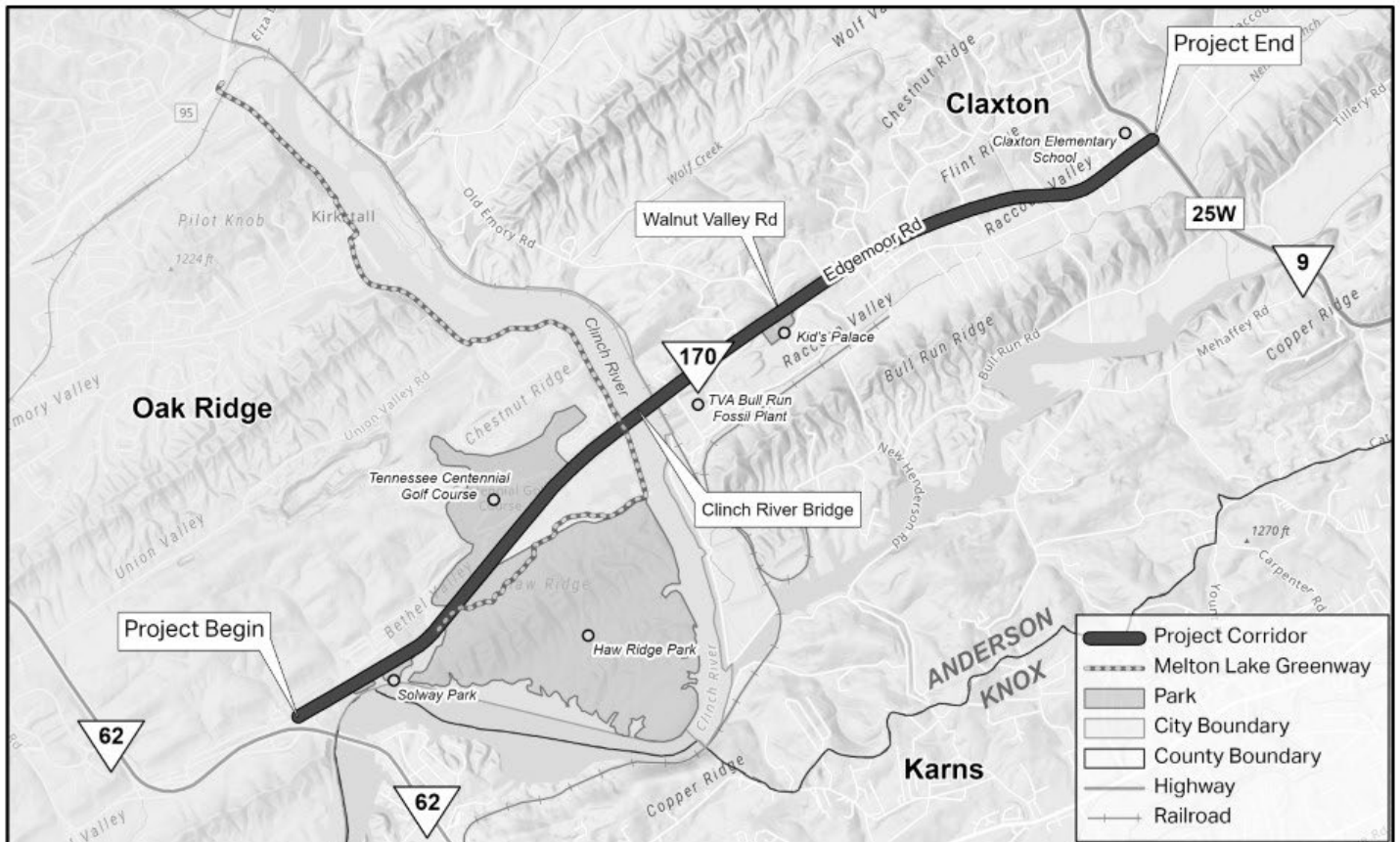


Hard copies of the FONSI are also available for public inspection at the following locations:

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| • TDOT Region 1 Office
7345 Region Lane, Knoxville, TN 37914 | • Clinton Public Library
118 S Hicks Street, Clinton, TN 37716 |
| • Oak Ridge Public Library
1401 Oak Ridge Turnpike, Oak Ridge, TN 37830 | • Tennessee Centennial Golf Course
101 Centennial Boulevard, Oak Ridge, TN 37830 |

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Project Location Map

State Route (SR) 170 from SR 62 to SR 9/US Highway (US) 25 West
 PIN 124121.00
 Anderson County, TN

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