



Major construction projects planned in township

Several projects will affect daily travels

Several road construction projects are taking shape across Miami Township this spring/summer and beyond. With so many projects in various stages of planning, now is the time to fill you in about how they will benefit motorists, bicyclists, and pedestrians:

2018 –

1. Just finished: The Ohio Department of Transportation oversaw the paving of approximately ½ mile of Washington Church Road, south of Spring Valley Pike. Drivers were assisted through the construction zone by flaggers. (**Map 1**)
2. Safety improvements along Lyons Road between Byers Road and State Route 741 should begin this fall. A new sidewalk will be installed, including a buffer zone from traffic. The sidewalk will then head northward on SR 741 to connect to an existing sidewalk, allowing for easier access to the Miami Crossing District. The addition of pedestrian crossing signals and markings at the intersection of Lyons Road and SR 741 are also in the plans for 2019. The project is a collaboration between the township, the Montgomery County Transportation Improvement District and the Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission. (**Map 2**)
3. Three paving projects are planned through the Montgomery County Partnership Pool Program. Parts of Byers Road, Spring Valley Pike and Kingsridge Drive will be resurfaced.

2019 –

4. ODOT is making improvements along State Route 741 just north of State Route 725 to the Miamisburg city limit, just beyond Bauer Elementary School. The road will be re-surfaced and new sidewalks will be installed along with curbs and gutters. The good news is traffic will be maintained along this busy stretch, but there will be nightly lane closures. The traffic signal at the intersection will be upgraded and signage improved. Construction is expected to begin in spring 2019. (**Map 3**)

5. Improvements are in the planning stages along Austin Boulevard near Interstate 75. To alleviate congestion, ODOT proposes that dual right turn lanes be added on westbound Austin Boulevard onto the I-75 northbound entrance ramp. Austin Boulevard would be widened to accommodate the improvement. Dual left turn lanes from SR 741 to westbound Austin Boulevard would also be added. Traffic would be maintained, but pedestrian walkways and the bike trail would require a detour. The bike path needs to be shifted about 10 feet to accommodate the roadway improvements. The project is expected to begin in summer 2019. (*Map 4*)

6. Another ODOT project is scheduled to begin during summer or fall 2019. I-75 from the Warren County line northward to SR 725 will be re-paved. Traffic will be maintained, but there may be ramp detours that become necessary during construction, including exits into the township. (*Map 4*)

ODOT is a great resource for reviewing constructions projects as work dates often change. Miami Township is part of [ODOT District 7](#).

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Map 1



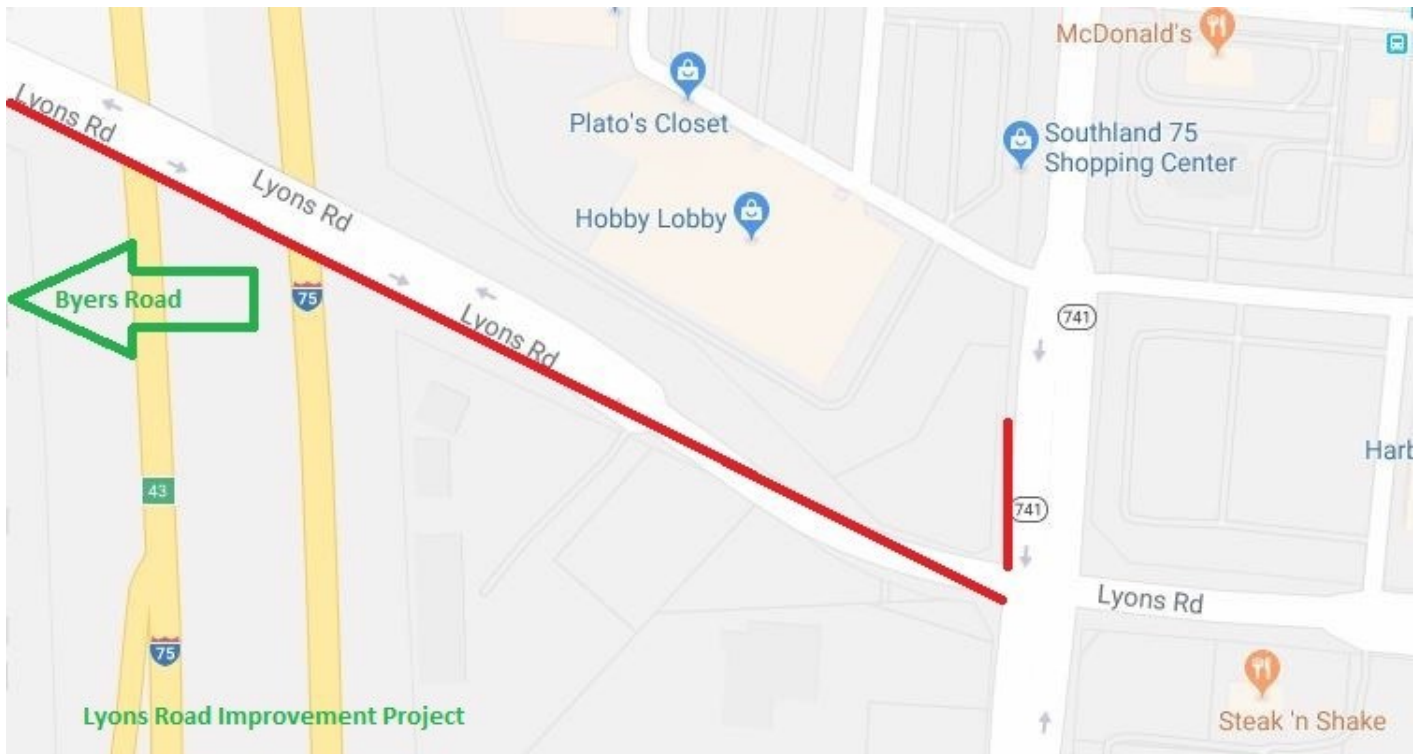
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Map 2



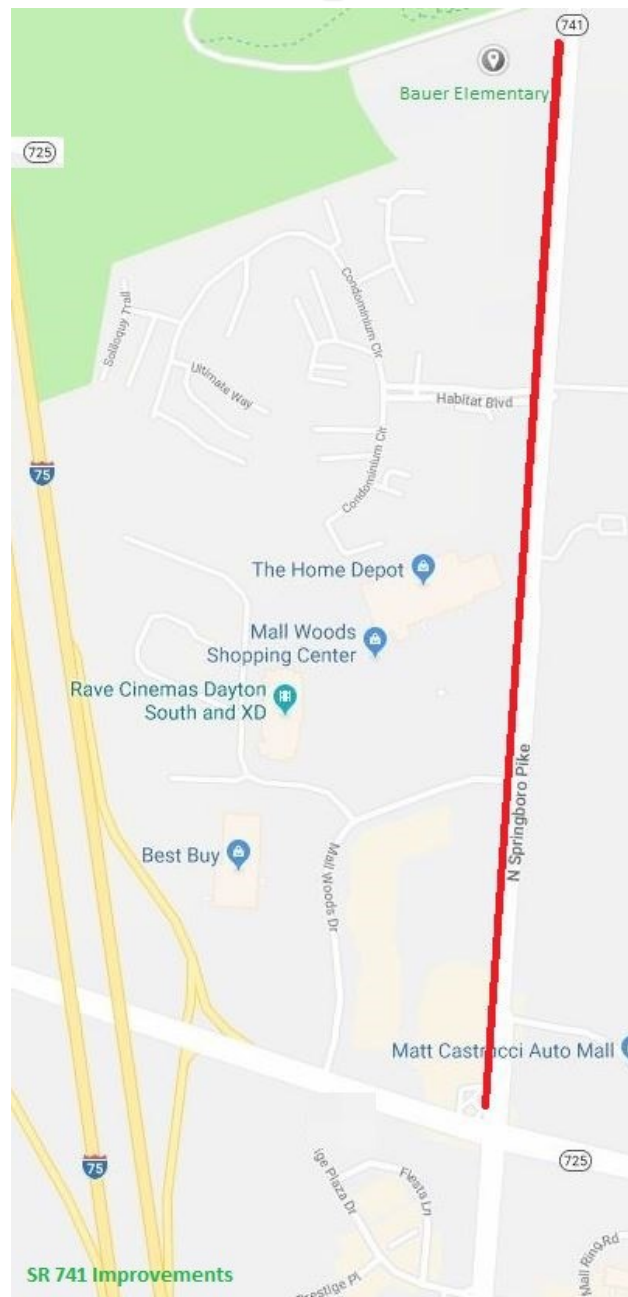
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Map 3



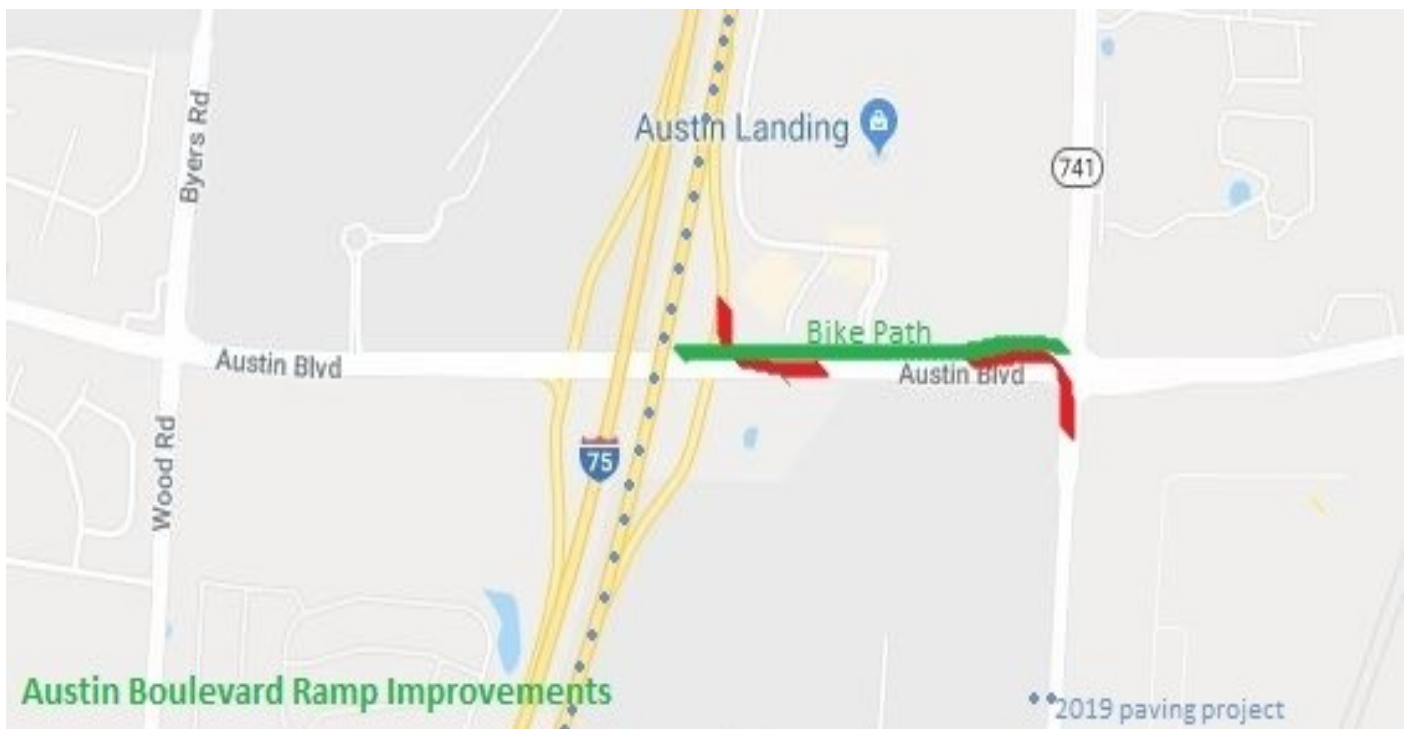
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Map 4



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