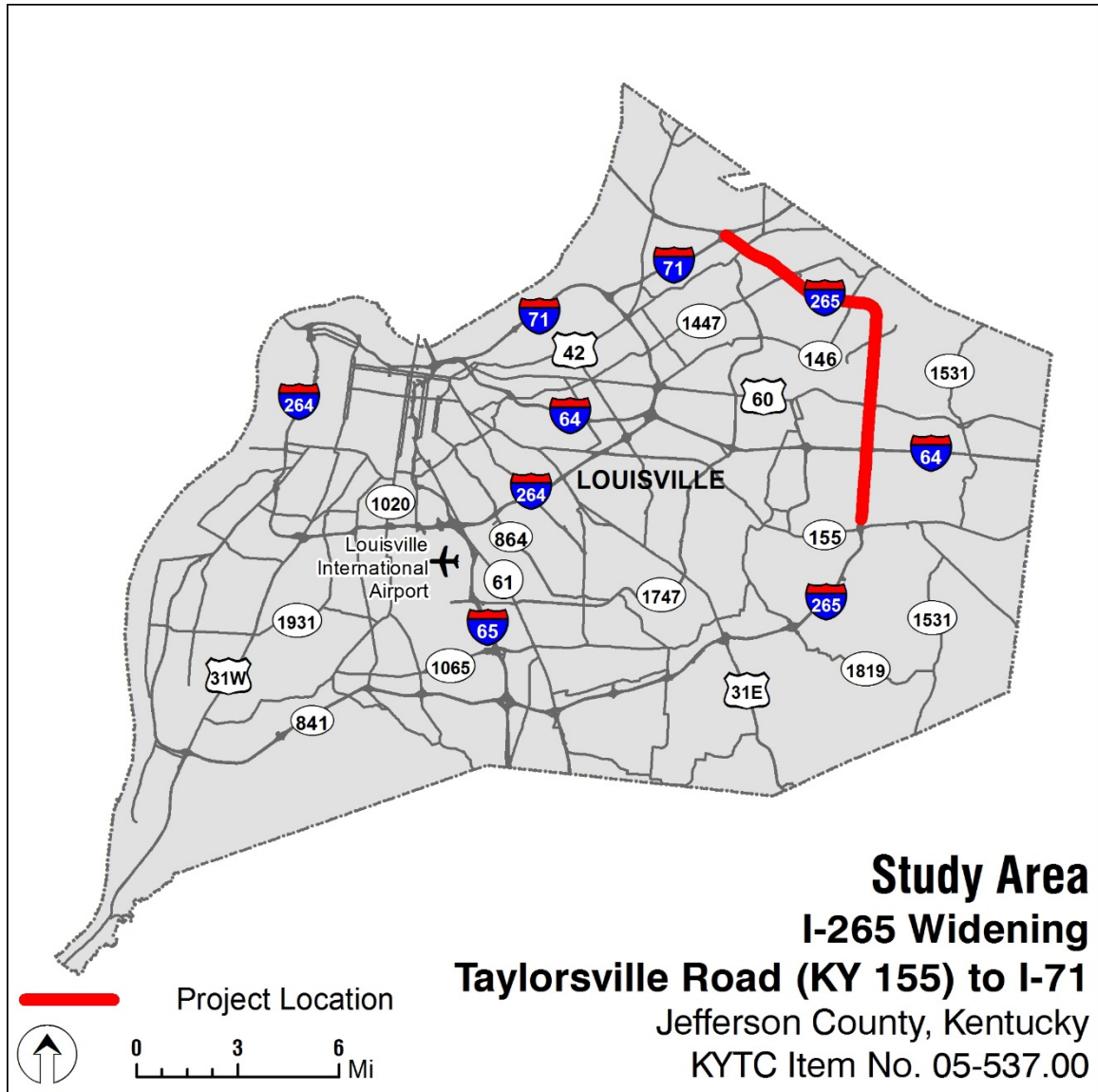


Interstate 265 Widening Project

The widening of Interstate 265 (Gene Snyder Freeway) in Jefferson County is the Commonwealth's top priority. During 2017, the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC) implemented a statewide ranking system of highway projects based on needs, including traffic volumes, congestion, safety, economic benefits and other factors. The widening of I-265 from four lanes to six lanes ranked the highest priority project in the state.

To implement this top priority, KYTC is advancing a project to add one 12-foot travel lane in each direction of I-265 between KY 155 (Taylorsville Road) and I-71 (mile markers 23.1 to 34.7). The purpose of this project is to decrease existing congestion on the mainline of I-265 in this area.



A public meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 8 at Ascension Lutheran Church, 13725 Shelbyville Road, Louisville KY 40245. The meeting will be an open house format and citizens are encouraged to stop by anytime between 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Citizens can also share their opinions about the project online by completing a short survey at <https://qk4.typeform.com/to/mZAE1C> . For any other questions, please contact our KYTC District 5 project manager, Patrick Matheny, at 502-210-5400 or at patrick.matheny@ky.gov .

KYTC is currently advancing other interchange projects on I-265, including interchange improvements at I-64 and I-71, but those will not be presented at the public meeting. These improvements are being developed as separate projects on different schedules.