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## **Media Alert**

### **Preliminary Work on Campbell County U.S. 27 Project Starts Week of August 18, 2008**

**Cincinnati Ohio** – Preliminary work is expected to begin the week of August 18 on the U.S. 27 project between Interstate 471 near the Perkins Restaurant in Highland Heights and 11<sup>th</sup> Street in Newport. Construction on the U.S. 27 mainline is expected to start the week of August 25. Daytime and nighttime construction is expected for the nearly five-mile, \$700,000 project. The project is being overseen by the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet.

A part of the five-mile project includes converting 1.8-miles of U.S. 27 from a four-lane section to three lanes from Perkins Restaurant to South Ft. Thomas Avenue at Woodfill Elementary School.

The U.S. 27 project is one of the recommended improvements from the I-471 Corridor Study conducted by the Ohio-Kentucky-Indiana Regional Council of Governments.

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