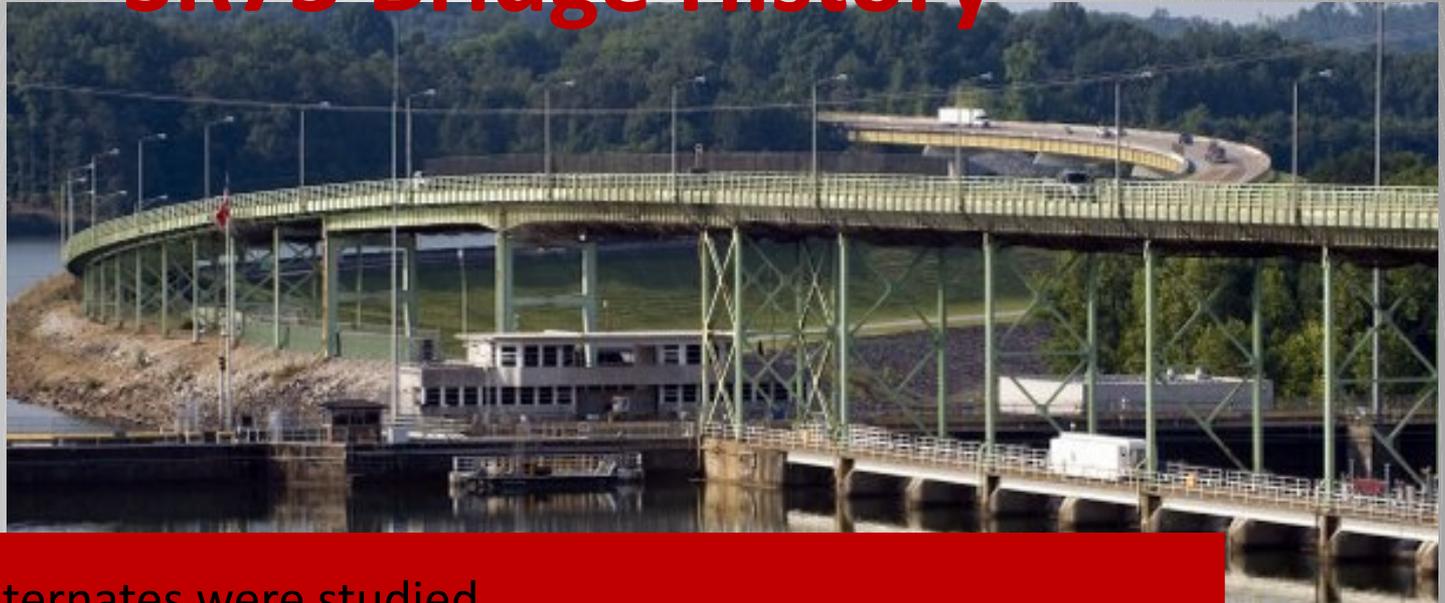


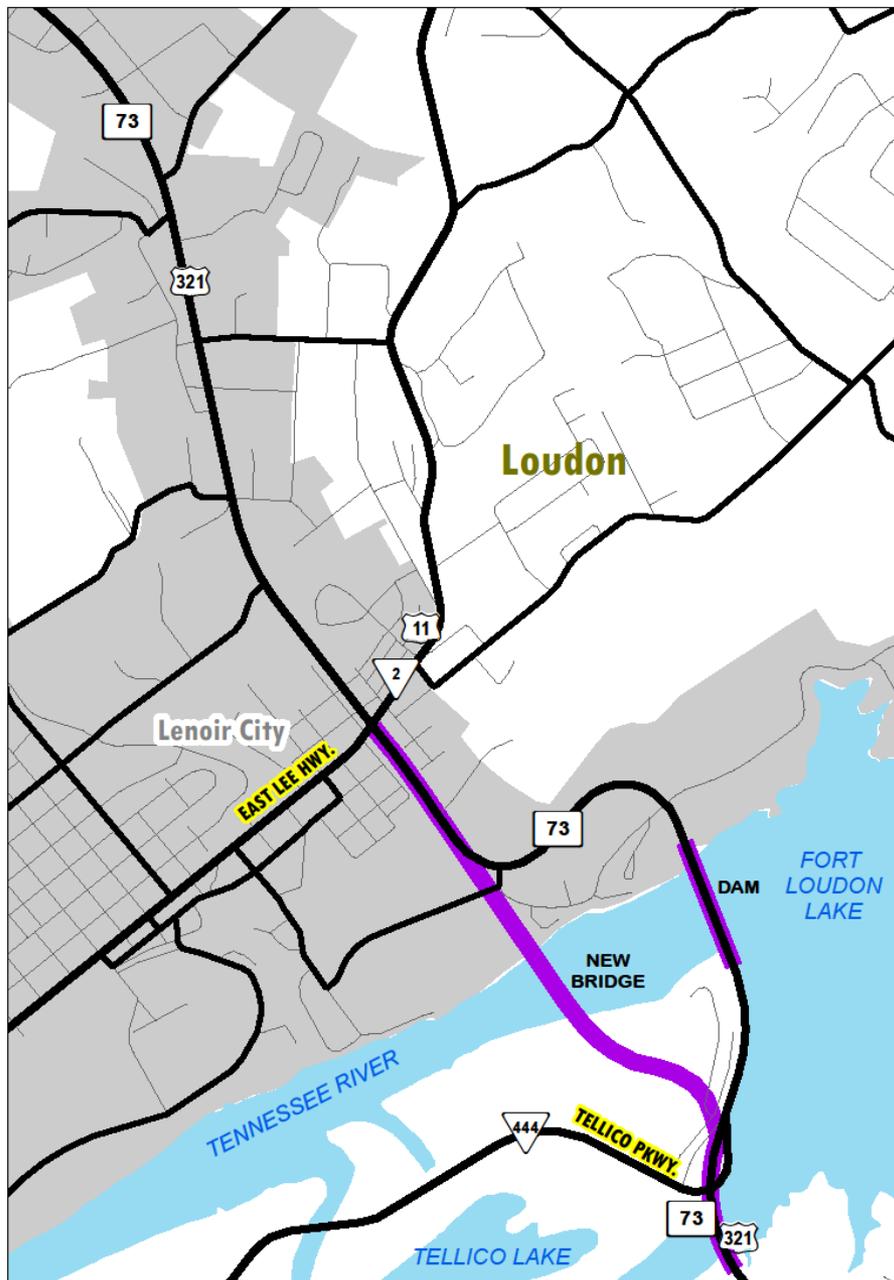


# SR 73 Loudon County Bridge

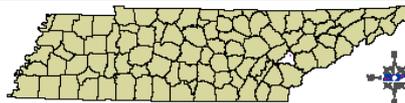
# SR73 Bridge History



- Several alternates were studied
- TVA expressed a desire not to replace or widen the existing bridge on the dam
  - the bridge hampers access
  - requires stopping and controlling traffic maintenance operations
  - a new bridge would keep TVA facilities separated from public access.
- US-321 will be four lane highway from I-40 and I-75 to Maryville.

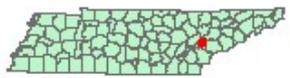


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Project Location Map  
 State Route 73  
 From SR-2 to E. of Little Tennessee River  
 Loudon County, Tennessee





**Location Map**  
SR-73 from SR-2 to east of Little Tennessee River,  
Loudon Co., TN

Lenoir City 130-SE and Concord 138-SW

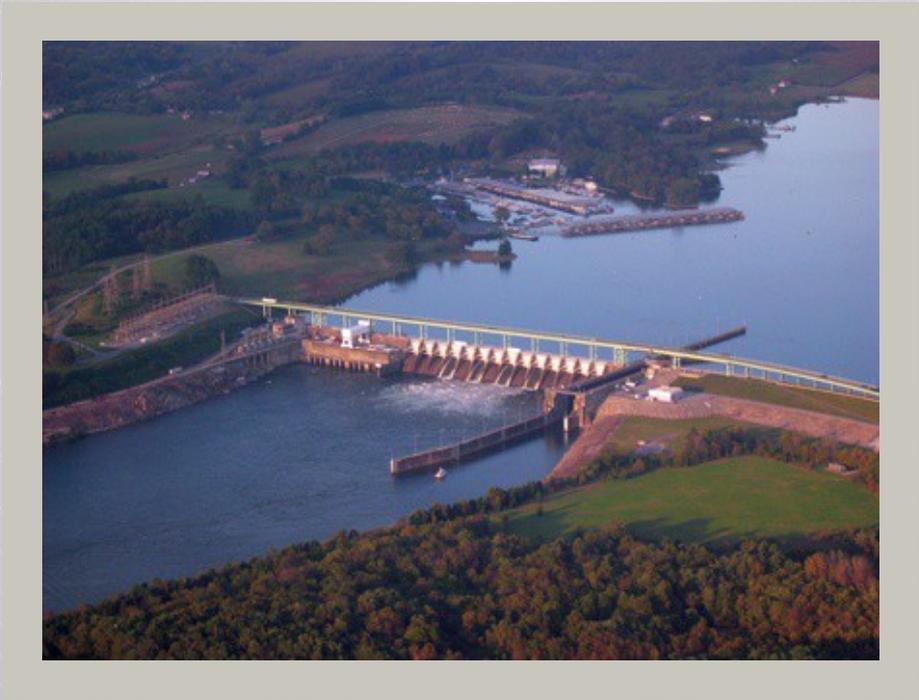
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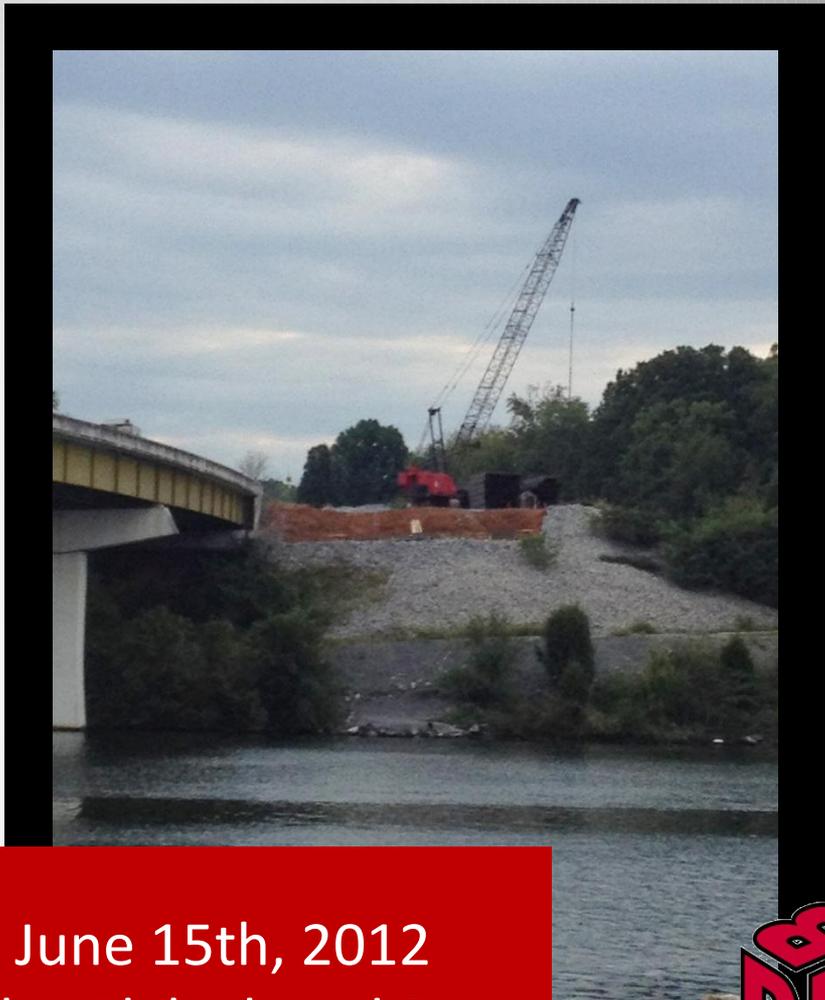




Construction of 3 bridges on us-321 (SR-73) from US-11 (SR-2) to the Little Tennessee river; 2 welded steel girder bridges and a concrete I-beam bridge



**Project Length: 2.75 KM (1.7 Miles)**



Project Let to Construction June 15th, 2012  
Contract was awarded to Charles Blalock and Sons  
Contract Estimated Costs: \$69,361,720.70  
Estimated Completion: June 14th, 2016





## **Progress Made to Date**

- **55% of earth fill is in place (370,000 cubic meters)**
- **75% of storm drain installation is complete**
- **Installation of utilities (water, sewer, and gas): almost done**
- **Bridge #1: Phase I is complete; Phase II is underway**
- **Bridge #2: Abutment #1 is complete; Fill for #2 abutment is ongoing, but temporarily halted due to inclement weather**
- **Bridge #3: Abutment #1 and #2 are complete**

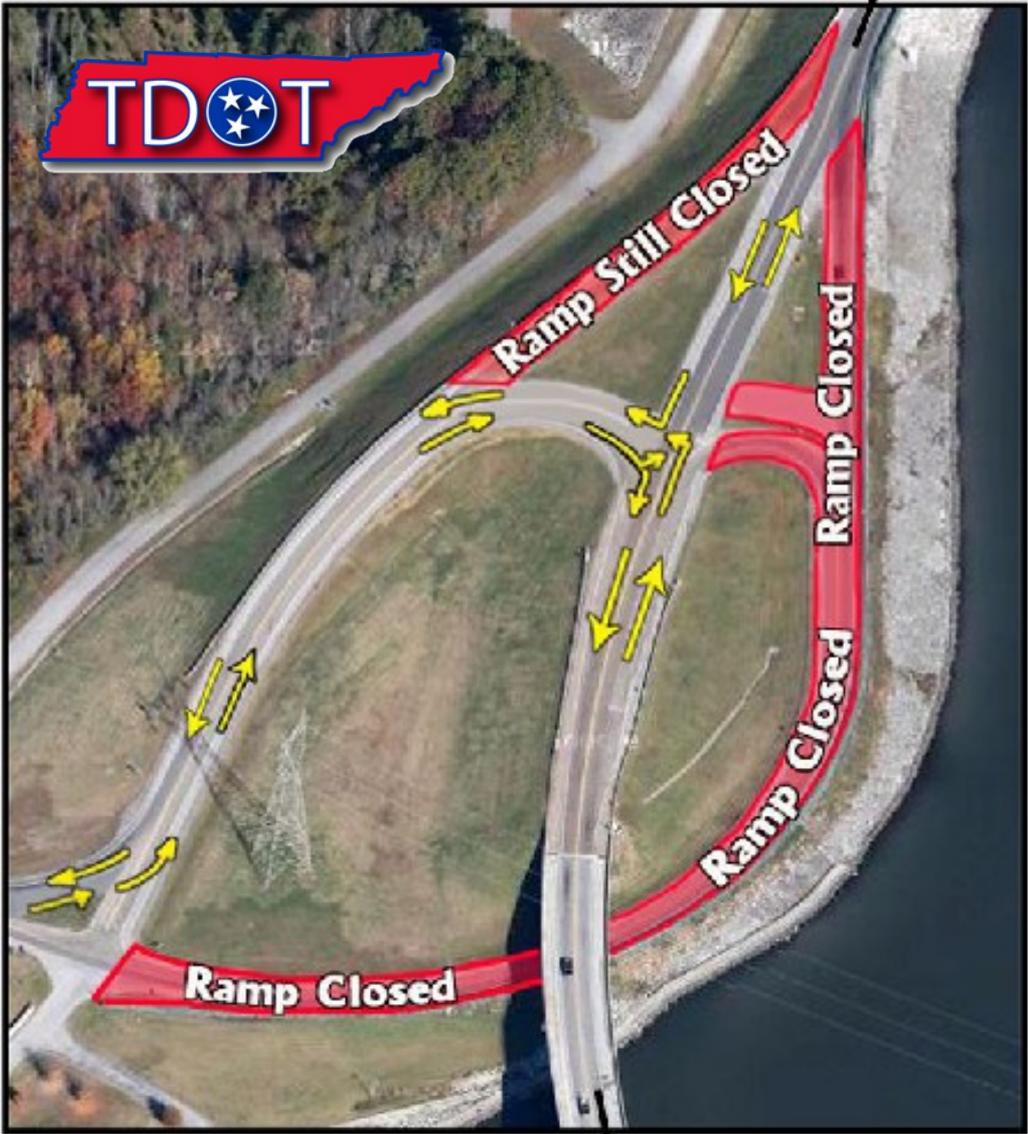
## **Plans for Future Work**

- **Continue to place fill material between Bridge #2 and Bridge #3**
- **Continue the construction of Phase #2 of Bridge #1 over N&S Railroad; the construction of Bridge #2 over the TN River; and the construction of Bridge #3 over the Little TN River**



TO LENOIR CITY

TO MARYVILLE



To Lenoir City



Ramp Still Closed

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To Maryville



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