

Purpose and Need

PURPOSE

An alternative route to existing US 67/US 87 through the city of San Angelo and Tom Green County has been planned and constructed in phases. The purpose of the alternative connection between existing US 67 and US 87 is to reduce congestion, enhance mobility and improve safety through the city of San Angelo and Tom Green County.

NEED

An alternative route to the existing US 67/US 87 is needed due to congestion, mobility, and safety issues associated with traffic, including local, through, and freight, being routed through downtown San Angelo.

The Ports-to-Plains Corridor Advisory Committee recommended a relief route around San Angelo for the future I-27 corridor. The relief route may serve as that future I-27 corridor as determined through additional environmental studies.