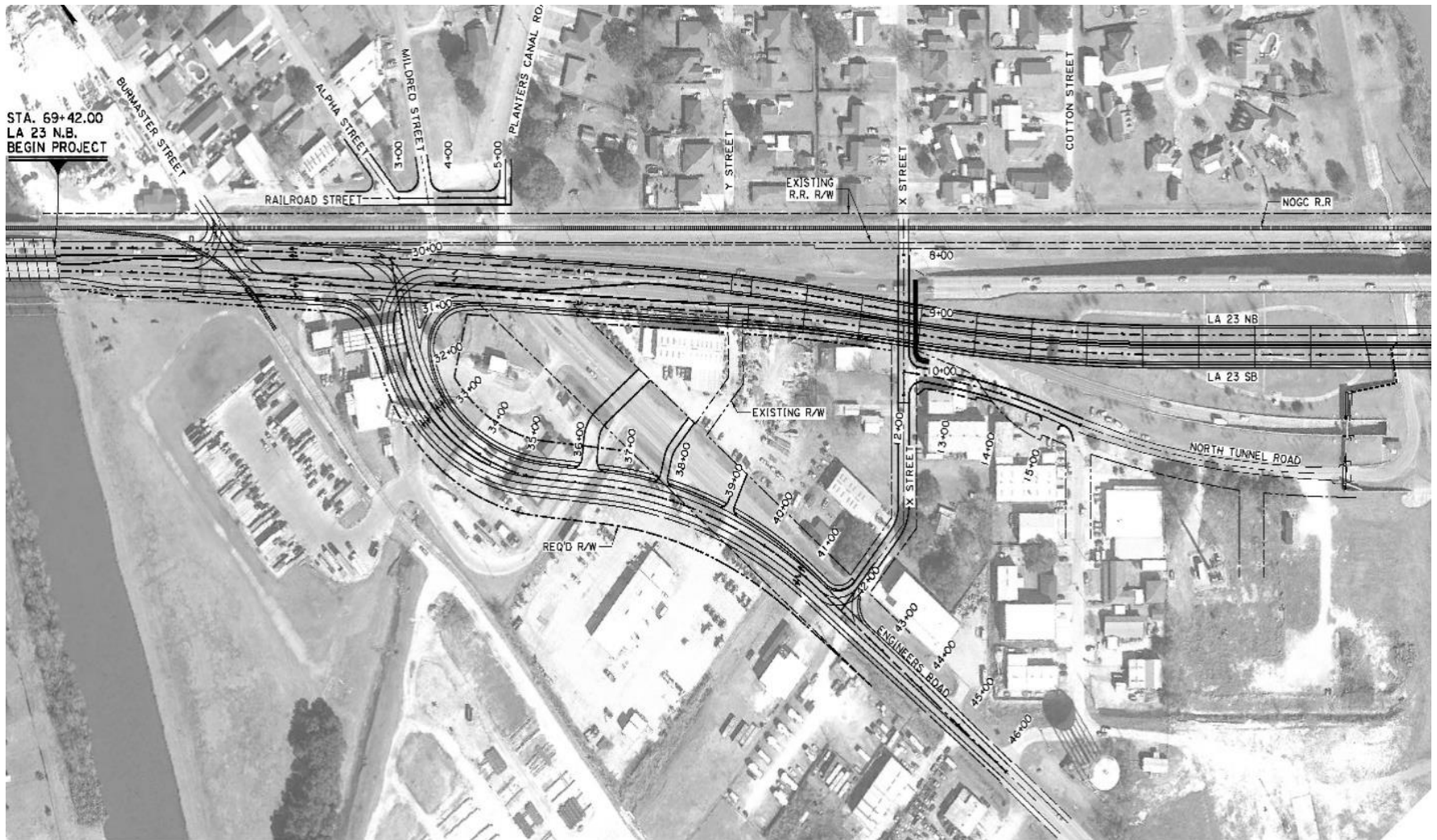
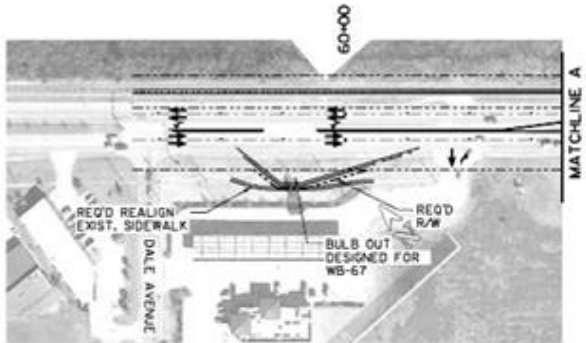
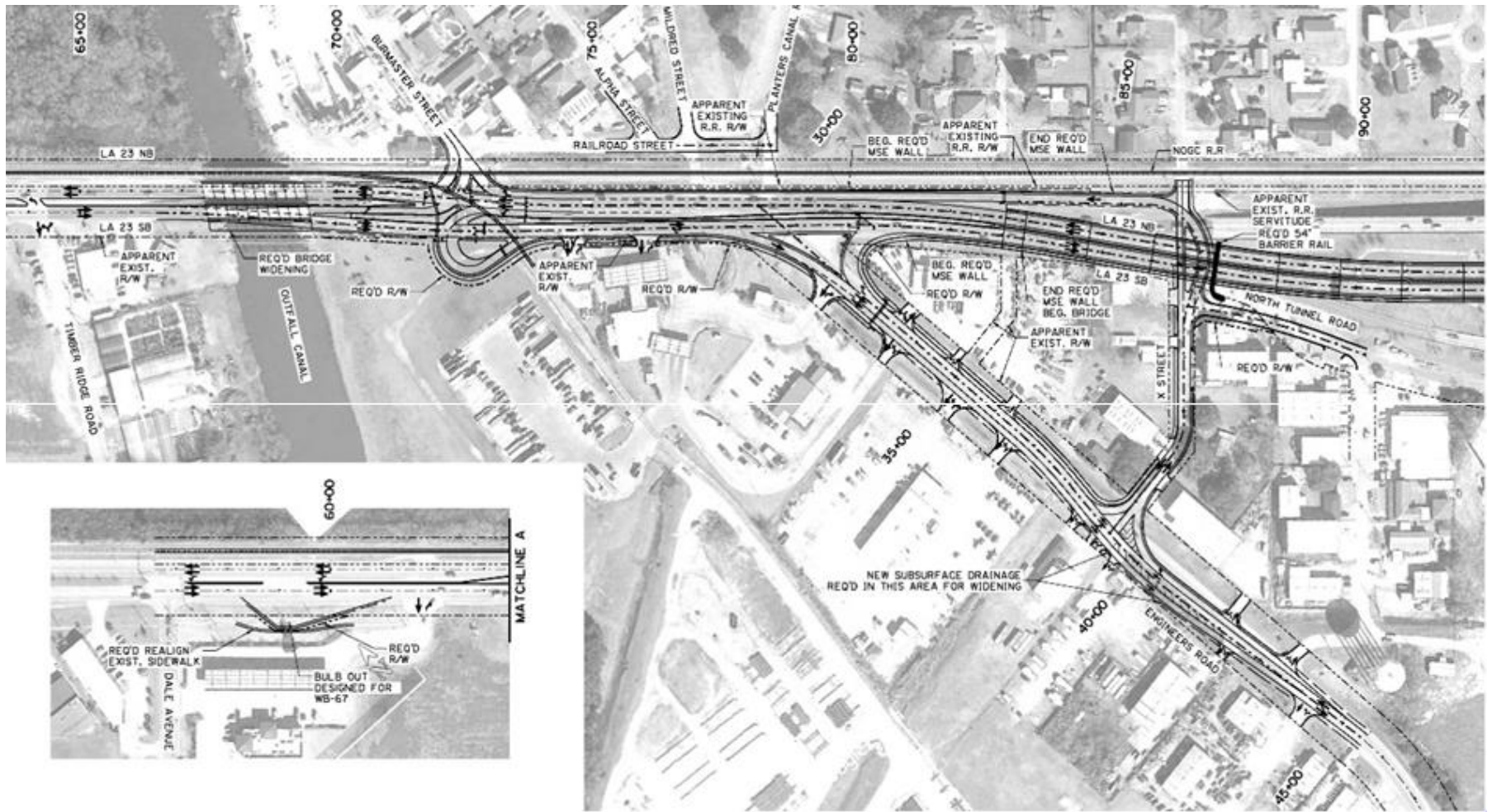


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The Regional Planning Commission (RPC) on September 10, 2012 sent out Solicitation of Views letters for the captioned project on LA 23 crossing the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway (GIWW). A general project description and vicinity map were attached to the letter. The proposed project will consist of the construction of a new 4-lane fixed bridge on LA 23/Belle Chasse Hwy at 73 feet above the high water line of the GIWW. The proposed project occurs at the site of the existing 2-lane Judge Perez Bridge (also identified locally as the Belle Chasse Bridge) and 2-lane Belle Chasse Tunnel crossing the GIWW. There will be minor modifications to the LA 23 corridor between Lapalco Boulevard/Behrman Highway (LA 428) in Jefferson Parish to Woodland Highway (LA 46) in Plaquemines Parish. The scope of the proposed project has not changed. However, there have been changes within a portion of the proposed project resulting in a smaller footprint. These changes include a bulb-out on LA 23/Belle Chasse Hwy located northeast of the Race Trac fueling station at 30000 Belle Chasse Hwy, Terrytown, LA 70056; the addition of a LA 23 bulb-out located south of Burmaster Street; and an intersection improvement at Engineers Road and LA 23/Belle Chasse Highway.



Previous Project Limits



Updated Project Limits