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MRB team turns on new construction camera

ST. LOUIS – People watching the construction of the main span of the new Mississippi River Bridge now have a new view of the work – this time from the Illinois side of the project.

This additional camera brings the total number of cameras on the project to three – one on the Missouri and Illinois banks of the Mississippi and one pointed toward the construction of the Missouri approach.

The camera takes pictures about every 20 minutes and people view a time lapse of the work on the project so far.

“This is a great way for people to be able to watch construction on the main span,” said Andrew Gates, Mississippi River Bridge community relations coordinator. “As we continue through the construction process, people will practically be able to watch the bridge be built, piece by piece.”

Camera views can be obtained in the Gallery on the Mississippi River Bridge webpage (www.newriverbridge.org) or directly at <http://oxblue.com/pro/open/modot/mrbp>.

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