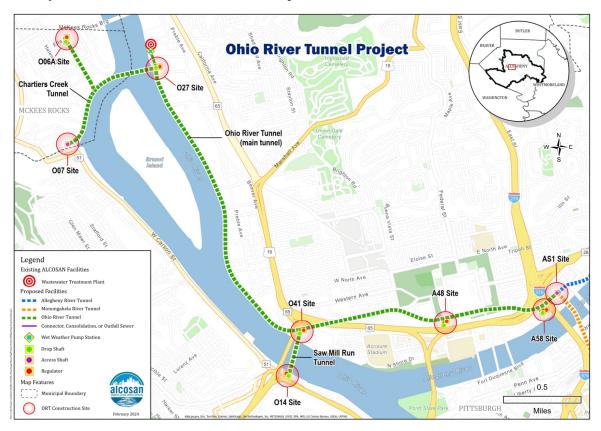
Ohio River Tunnel Contract - Advance Notice to Potential Contractors

The Allegheny County Sanitary Authority ("ALCOSAN") will be soliciting bids for the construction of the **tunnel contract associated with the Ohio River Tunnel (ORT) project**.

The ORT tunnel contract is anticipated to include the following key facilities:

- Launch and retrieval shafts, and access shafts for construction.
- ORT main tunnel, 18-foot finished diameter (segmental lining), approx. 20,000 feet long, 120 to 150 feet below ground surface.
- Chartiers Creek Tunnel river crossing, 14-foot finished diameter, approx. 4,500 feet long.
- Saw Mill Run Tunnel river crossing, 14-foot finished diameter, approx. 1,600 feet long.
- Dewatering tunnel (i.e., connector tunnel to the new wet weather pump station) 8-foot finished diameter, approx. 600 feet long.
- Six drop shafts with internal structures and mined adit connections.
- Near surface facilities at several sites, including regulators, diversion chambers, conveyance sewers, and modified outfalls as well as two aboveground control buildings and a riverwall.

Location of the key facilities (as well as other facilities not part of the ORT tunnel contract) is illustrated on the map below.



Procurement and Construction Schedule

- Request for Bids
- Bids Due
- Notice of Award (tentative)
- NTP (tentative)
- Substantial Completion (tentative)

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