Problem Statement Compilation

The existing US 51 highway does not provide an easy and safe connection between local communities and commercial centers or a (good way for long distance travel/means for efficient travel.)

The existing US 51 highway hinders the movement of travelers, people, goods, services, and commerce north of Centralia, and (possibly) limits future tourism, business, residential commercial, industrial, and tax base expansion.

The existing US 51 highway is potentially unsafe at some locations for cars, trucks, busses, pedestrians, bicycles and farm equipment, and other forms of transportation to cross, access and be on the road at the same time.