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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING CONFLANS ROAD From State Highway 161 (SH 161) to Valley View Lane CSJ: 0918-45-812 Dallas County, Texas

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT), in conjunction with the City of Irving, proposes the extension of existing Conflans Road, on new location, from State Highway 161 (SH 161) to Valley View Lane, in Dallas County, Texas. Pursuant to Texas Administrative Code, Title 43, Part 1, Chapter 2, Subchapter E, §2.105 and Code of Federal Regulations, Title 23, Chapter I, Subchapter H, §771.111 and Title 40, Chapter V, §1506, this notice advises the public that TxDOT will be conducting a public meeting to discuss and receive public comments on the proposed project. The meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 17, 2017, at the City of Irving City Hall, City Council Chambers, 825 W. Irving Boulevard, Irving, TX 75060. Representatives from TxDOT, the City of Irving, and project consultants will be available to answer questions about proposed improvements for this project. Displays and project information will be presented at the public meeting. The meeting will be held in an open house format from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. with no formal presentation.

Currently, existing Conflans Road is a major collector in the southwest portion of Irving, which ends at SH 161. The proposed improvements for this project would extend existing Conflans Road approximately 0.8-mile west of SH 161, on a new location roadway and bridge structure, to connect to Valley View Lane at F.A.A. Boulevard. The proposed bridge structure would cross over a tributary of Bear Creek. The new location roadway and bridge structure would consist of one 12-foot wide inside travel lane and one 14-foot wide outside shared-use lane (for bicycle accommodation), curb and gutter, and one 12-foot shared use path along the outer lanes of the roadway on the eastbound direction. The proposed shared-use path would meet ADA design criteria. Approximately 16 acres of new right of way and 6.5 acres of temporary easements would be acquired for construction of the project. Although additional right of way is required, no residential or non-residential structures would be displaced. Information concerning services and benefits available to affected property owners and information about the tentative schedule for right-of-way acquisition may be obtained from the district office at the address listed below.

Maps depicting the location of proposed improvements and the geometric design will be available for viewing at the public meeting. This information will also be available for inspection Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. at the TxDOT Dallas District Office, 4777 E. Highway 80, Mesquite, TX 75150. This information will also be available online at www.keepitmovingdallas.com under Upcoming Public Hearing/Meeting.

All interested persons are invited to attend the public meeting. Written comments from the public are requested and will be accepted for a period of 15 calendar days following the meeting. Written comments may be submitted either in person at the public meeting or by mail to the TxDOT Dallas District Office, Attention: Ms. Grace Lo, P.E., 4777 E. Highway 80, Mesquite, TX 75150-6643. Written comments must be postmarked on or before Wednesday, February 1, 2017, to be included in the documentation of the public meeting.

The public meeting will be conducted in English. Persons interested in attending the meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs, or need an interpreter, are encouraged to contact the TxDOT Dallas District Public Information Office at (214) 320-4480. Requests should be made at least two days prior to the public meeting. Every reasonable effort will be made to accommodate these needs. If you have general questions or concerns regarding the proposed project, you may contact the TxDOT Project Manager, Ms. Grace Lo, P.E. at (214) 320-6627 or by email at grace.lo@txdot.gov. You may also contact the Consultant Project Manager, Mr. Naser Abusaad, P.E. at (214) 703-5151 or by email at naser@civilassociates.com.

The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable Federal environmental laws for this project are being, or have been, carried-out by TxDOT pursuant to 23 U.S.C. 327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated December 16, 2014, and executed by FHWA and TxDOT