

Notice of Public Meeting FARM TO MARKET ROAD (FM) 455 FEASIBILITY STUDY From Dallas Parkway to Shady Brook Lane Project ID: A00188517 Collin County, Texas

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) is conducting a feasibility study for improvements to FM 455 from Dallas Parkway to Shady Brook Lane in Collin County, Texas. This notice advises the public that TxDOT will be conducting an in-person public meeting on the feasibility study with an online virtual public meeting option. The same information will be available at both the in-person and virtual meeting, including a pre-recorded video presentation with audio and visual components.

In-Person Meeting (Open house format)
Tuesday, April 30, 2024, 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Jerry and Linda Moore Middle School
300 East G.A. Moore Pkwy., Celina, TX 75009

Virtual Meeting (*Not a live event)
Tuesday, April 30, 2024, 5:30 p.m. through
Wednesday, May 15, 2024, at 11:59 p.m.
www.keepitmovingdallas.com/projects/fm-roads/fm455FS

The in-person meeting will begin at 5:30 p.m. and will be an open house format where the public may come and go at their convenience. In-person attendees will be able to view the same presentation delivered in the online public meeting which will be playing on a screen, review hard copies of project materials, ask questions of TxDOT staff and/or consultants, and leave written comments. The virtual meeting can be viewed beginning Tuesday, April 30, 2024, starting at 5:30 p.m. through Wednesday, May 15, 2024, at 11:59 p.m. The virtual public meeting materials will be posted to the project website listed above and will consist of a pre-recorded video presentation that includes both audio and video components, along with other exhibits. **The virtual public meeting is not a live event.** If you do not have internet access, you may call (214) 320-4469 between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, to ask questions and access study materials. Please note the materials will not be available until Tuesday, April 30, 2024, at 5:30 p.m.

The purpose of the feasibility study is to analyze potential roadway options to improve FM 455, including improving an existing alignment or developing new alignments. The proposed study could potentially result in projects that require additional right of way and include construction in wetlands and an action in a floodplain. The study area is within the City of Celina and ends just west of the City of Weston.

Any maps and drawings showing the study area and preliminary alternatives, tentative schedule, and other information regarding the proposed study are on file and available for inspection Monday through Friday between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. at the TxDOT Dallas District Office located at 4777 E. Highway 80, Mesquite, Texas 75150. Study materials are also available online at the study website. These materials will also be available in hard copy form for review at the in-person option.

The virtual public meeting and in-person option will be conducted in English. If you need an interpreter or document translator because English is not your primary language or you have difficulty communicating effectively in English, one will be provided to you. If you have a disability and need assistance, special arrangements can be made to accommodate most needs. If you need interpretation or translation services or you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation to attend and participate in the virtual public meeting or in-person option, please contact the TxDOT Public Information Office, at (214) 320-4480 no later than 4 p.m., Tuesday, April 23, 2024. Advance notice is required as some services and accommodations may require time for the Texas Department of Transportation to arrange.

Written comments from the public regarding the feasibility study are requested and may be submitted by mail to the TxDOT Dallas District Office, c/o Stephen Endres, P.E., RE: FM 455 Feasibility Study, 4777 E. U.S. Highway 80, Mesquite, TX 75150 or by email to Stephen.Endres@txdot.gov. Verbal comments may be submitted by leaving a voicemail at (469) 920-2505. **All comments must be received on or before Wednesday, May 15, 2024**. Responses to comments received will be available online at the study website once they have been prepared. If you have any general questions or concerns regarding the feasibility study or virtual meeting or in-person option, please contact the TxDOT Project Manager, Stephen Endres, P.E., at (214) 320-4469 or by email at Stephen.Endres@txdot.gov.

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 9, 2019, and executed by FHWA and TxDOT.