



## Loop 9, Segment A: US 67 to IH 35E

Dallas and Ellis Counties, Texas



## July 2019 Public Scoping Meeting

Open House Format

6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Thursday, July 11, 2019

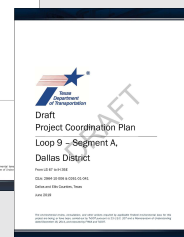
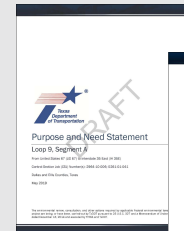
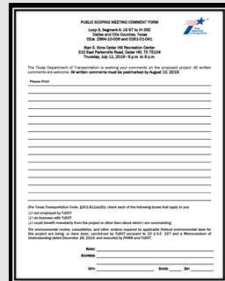
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## Purpose of Public Scoping Meeting



Inform the public of  
the project, gather  
public input and  
answer questions

Provide comments  
on project

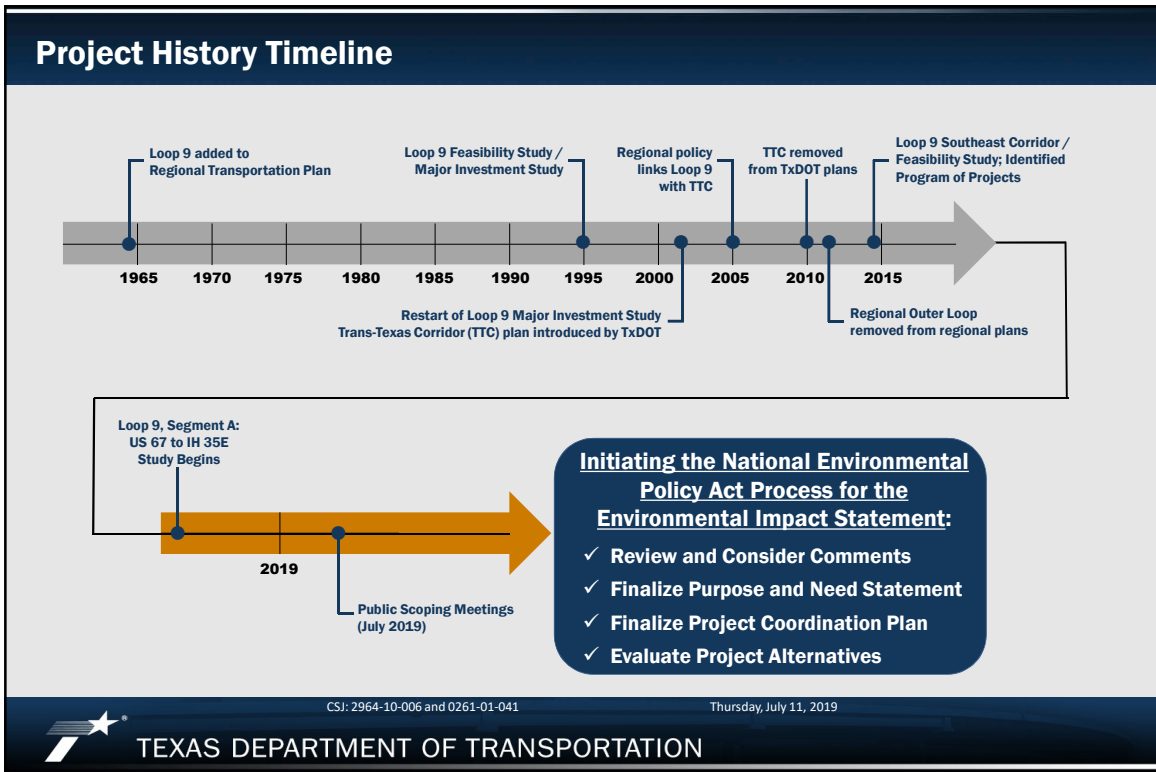
Review and comment  
on Purpose and Need  
Statement and Project  
Coordination Plan



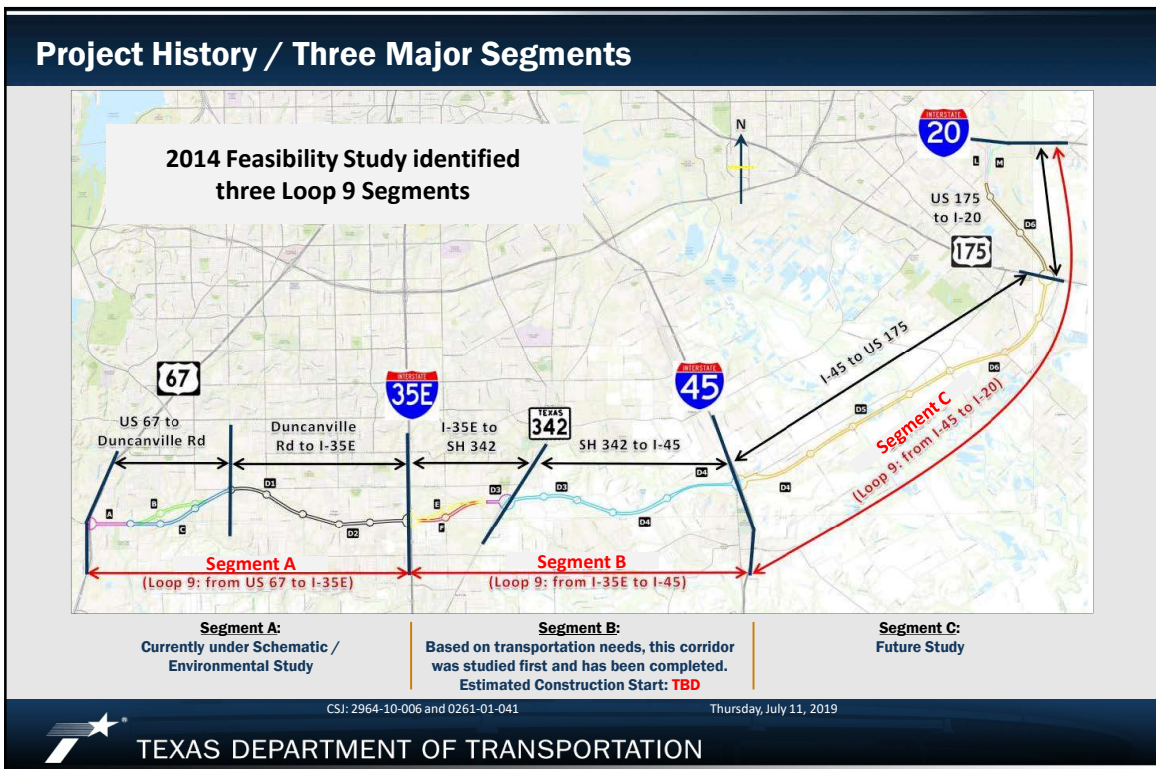
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## Project Purpose and Need

### Project Needs

- ✓ Transportation demand resulting from population and economic growth in the region
- ✓ System linkage
- ✓ Connectivity of existing roadway facilities

### Project Purpose

- ✓ Accommodate regional growth
- ✓ Address transportation demand
- ✓ Provide system linkage
- ✓ Improve connectivity of existing roadway facilities



### Purpose and Need Statement

#### Loop 9, Segment A

From United States 67 (US 67) to Interstate 35 East (IH 35E)  
Control Section Job (CSJ) Numbers: 2964-10-006; 0261-01-041

Dallas and Ellis Counties, Texas  
May 2019

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.



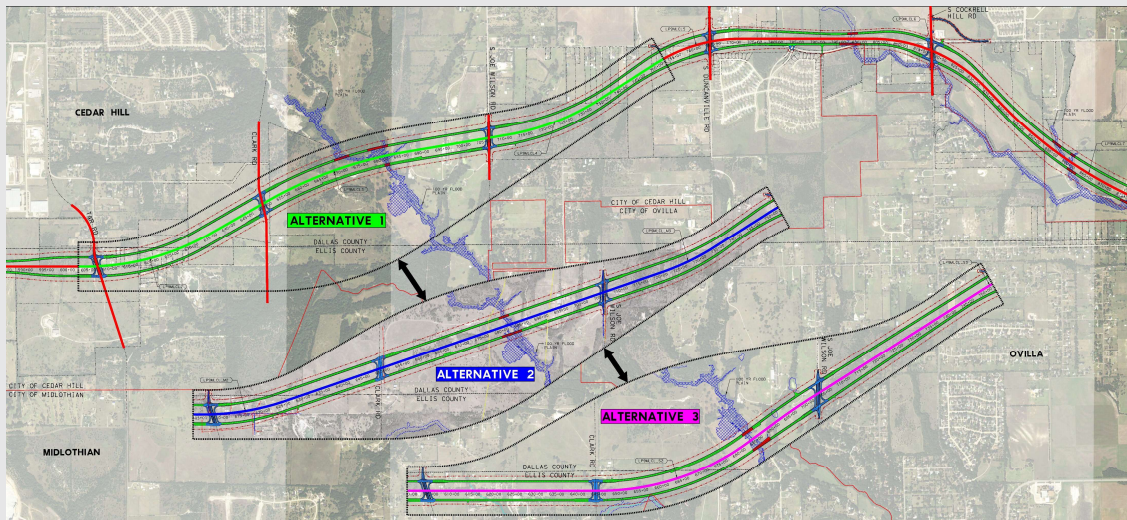
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## Preliminary Project Alternatives



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# Preliminary Project Alternatives – Alternative 1

CEDAR HILL

MIDLOTHIAN

ALTERNATIVE 1


DALLAS COUNTY  
ELLIS COUNTY

CITY OF CEDAR HILL  
CITY OF MIDLOTHIAN

OVILLA

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## Preliminary Project Alternatives – Alternative 2

CEDAR HILL  
DALLAS COUNTY  
ELLIS COUNTY  
CITY OF CEDAR HILL  
MIDLOTHIAN  
OVILLA  
S COCKRELL HILL RD

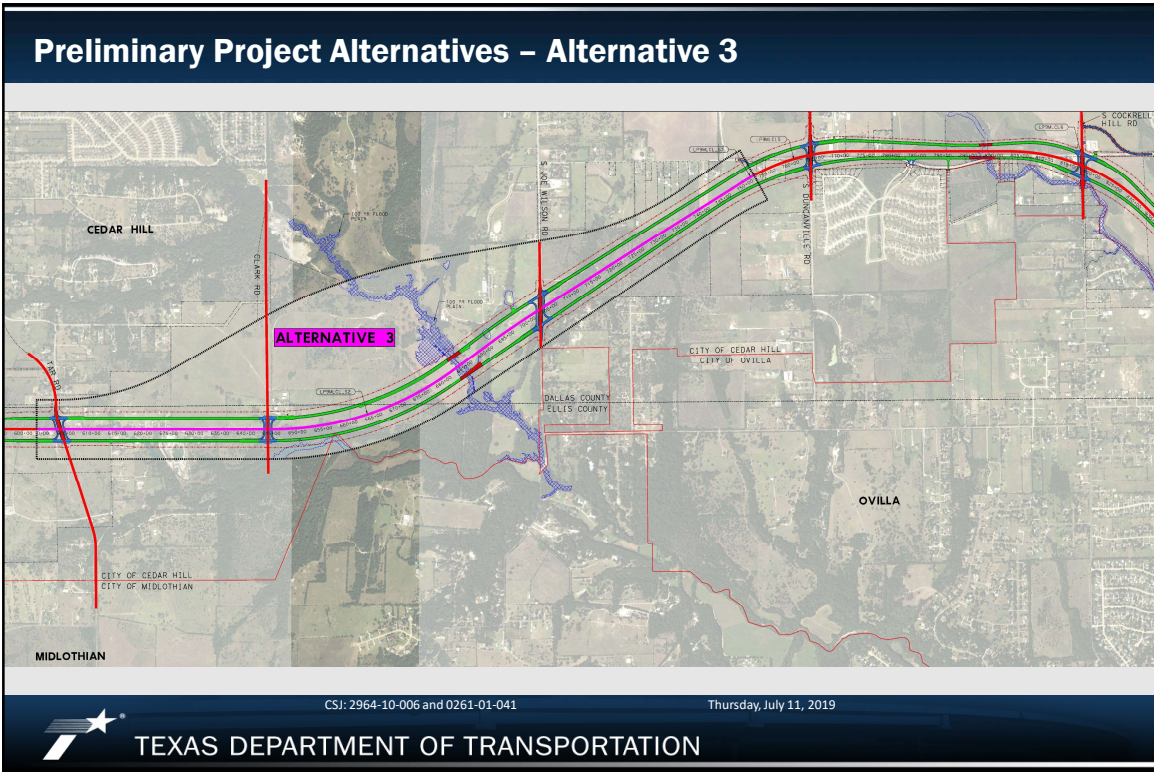
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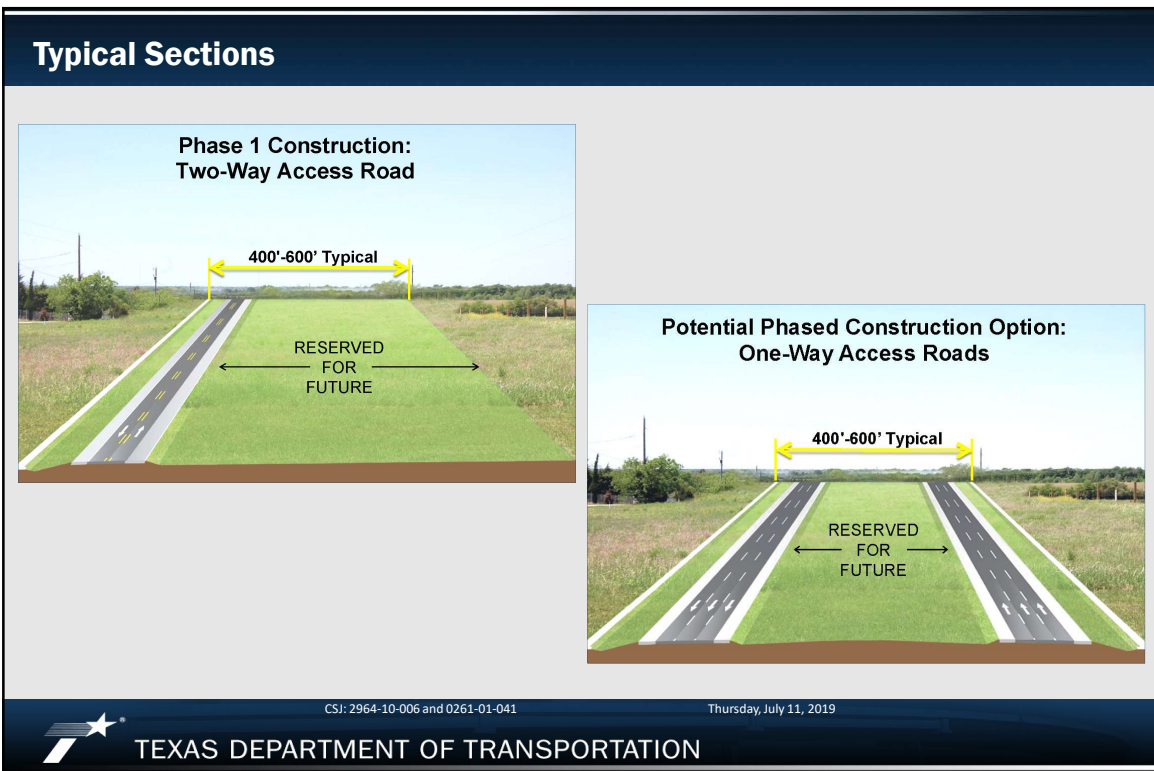
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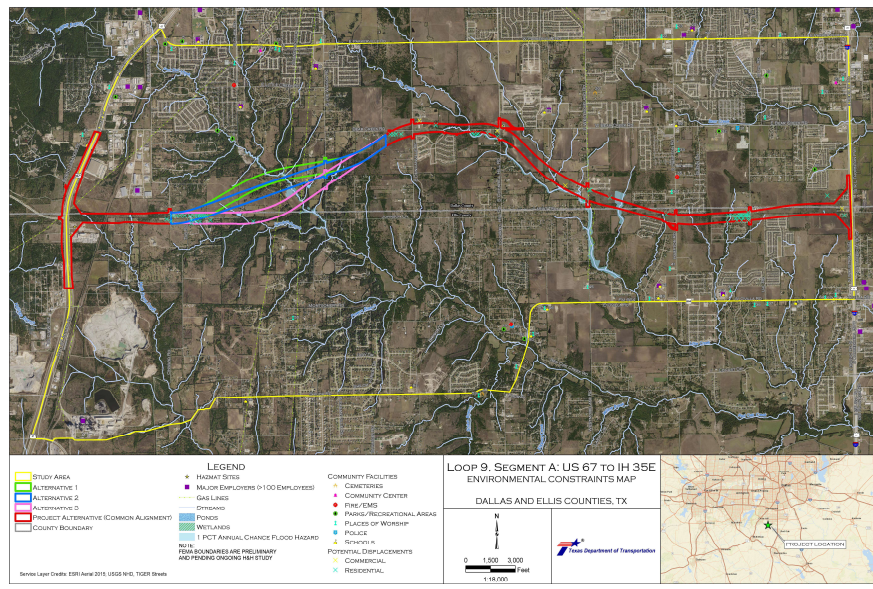


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## Environmental Constraints Map



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## Criteria Evaluated during the Environmental Impact Statement Process

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| ✓ Air Quality  | ✓ Land Use   |
| ✓ Bicycle and Pedestrian Facilities                      | ✓ Permits  |
| ✓ Biological Resources                                   | ✓ Traffic Noise  |
| ✓ Community Impacts                                      | ✓ Relationship of local short-term uses vs. long-term productivity |
| ✓ Construction Impacts                                   | ✓ Safety   |
| ✓ Cultural Resources                                     | ✓ Social Characteristics   |
| ✓ Displacements  | ✓ Threatened and Endangered Species                                |
| ✓ Energy   | ✓ Traffic Noise  |
| ✓ Floodplains  | ✓ Utilities/Emergency Services                                     |
| ✓ Geology, Farmlands, and Soils                          | ✓ Vegetation and Wildlife Habitat                                  |
| ✓ Hazardous Materials                                    | ✓ Visual Impacts   |
| ✓ Historic / Archeological Preservation                  | ✓ Water Quality  |
| ✓ Indirect and Cumulative Impacts                        | ✓ Wetlands and Waters of the U.S.                                  |
| ✓ Irreversible and irretrievable commitment of resources |  |

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## Current Status and Next Steps

- **Finalize Purpose and Need** (Summer 2019)
- **Prepare Draft Environmental Impact Statement** (Winter 2019 – Summer 2020)
- **Circulate Draft Environmental Impact Statement** (Agency / Public Review) (Summer 2020)
- **Conduct Public Hearings** on Draft Environmental Impact Statement (Summer 2020)
- **Select Preferred Alternative** (Summer 2020)
- **Prepare and Circulate a Combined Final Environmental Impact Statement / Record of Decision** (Fall 2020 – Summer 2021)
- **Final Environmental Clearance** (Winter 2022)
- **Begin Right-of-Way Acquisition** (Following Environmental Clearance)
- **Begin Construction** (To be determined)



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## How to Stay Involved with the Project

Thank you for joining our Scoping Meeting today – be a part of the planning team by engaging in any or all of the following:

### Submit Comments In Writing

- ✓ Place in **comment box** at Scoping Meeting tonight, or

- ✓ **Mail/Email** comments to:

Matthew Atkinson, PE  
TxDOT Dallas District  
4777 E. Highway 80  
Mesquite, Texas 75150

Matthew.Atkinson@txdot.gov

### Project Information Online

- ✓ Under “Upcoming Public Hearing/Meeting” at: [www.KeepItMovingDallas.com](http://www.KeepItMovingDallas.com), or

- ✓ At TxDOT’s project website: <https://www.txdot.gov/inside-txdot/projects/studies/dallas/loop9.html>

- ✓ Sign up for project updates online

### Complete the Project Survey

Go to online survey link at:

- ✓ <https://www.txdot.gov/inside-txdot/projects/studies/dallas/loop9.html>, or

- ✓ Scan the Quick Response (QR) code with your smartphone or tablet



**All comments to be considered must be submitted or postmarked by:  
August 10, 2019**



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# **THANK YOU!**

We appreciate you taking time out of your  
busy schedule to join us tonight.

***Please travel safely!***

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