



**Public Meeting for a Corridor Study on
State Highway 29 from Southwestern Boulevard to SH 95**

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) Austin District has scheduled a public meeting to discuss possible SH 29 corridor improvements between Southwestern Boulevard in Georgetown and SH 95 near Circleville in Williamson County. The public meeting is scheduled for:

**September 1, 2015 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.
East View High School Cafeteria
4490 East University Avenue, Georgetown, Texas 78626**

The purpose of the proposed project is to accommodate existing and projected traffic volumes and to improve the safety of the existing facility by upgrading the roadway to meet current design standards, constructing a new roadway in a new location between SH 130 and SH 95, or a combination of the two. Improvements to the roadway are needed to accommodate increased traffic volumes resulting from the past and future projected population growth in the city of Georgetown and Williamson County.

SH 29 was originally constructed between 1932 and 1934. Since that time, only routine maintenance or operational improvements have been made to the roadway. The existing roadway does not meet current design standards for the volume of traffic it currently carries and the projected traffic volume it would carry in the future. This increase in traffic volumes has led to an above average crash rate on the facility. In addition, portions of the existing SH 29 roadway are located within the 100-year floodplain and the roadway is occasionally overtopped by flood waters.

The purpose of the meeting is to provide information about the proposed study and gather input from the public. Maps of the study area and other displays will be available for review and comment. TxDOT staff will be available during the open house to answer questions.

Maps and other displays that will be available at the public meeting are available for review prior to the public meeting at the Georgetown Area Office located at 2727 South Austin Avenue, Georgetown, Texas 78626.

Persons interested in attending the meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to contact Jon Geiselbrecht at the Austin District of TxDOT at (512) 832-7218 at least two working days prior to the meeting. TxDOT will make every reasonable effort to accommodate these special needs.

Verbal and written comments from the public regarding the corridor study are encouraged. Comments may be submitted either at the public meeting or in writing within 10 days after the public meeting and must be postmarked by September 11, 2015, to be included as part of the official public meeting record. Written comments not submitted at the public meeting should be mailed to: District Environmental Coordinator, P.O. Box 15426, Austin, Texas, 78761-5426 or faxed to 512-832-7157.

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.