

HOW TXDOT PLANS AND BUILDS ROADS



TXDOT'S TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PROCESS



Get Involved

Connecting all of Texas takes years of planning and collaboration with the public. TxDOT provides a variety of public outreach opportunities to get feedback on projects. We also want to hear about the resources that may be impacted by our projects. Help us identify what is important in your community!

Attend a Meeting or Engage Online

Learn about a project and provide your comments on design, cultural, economic, historical and environmental impacts.

Scan this QR code to access a list of hearings and meetings on projects that need your feedback.



Project Tracker

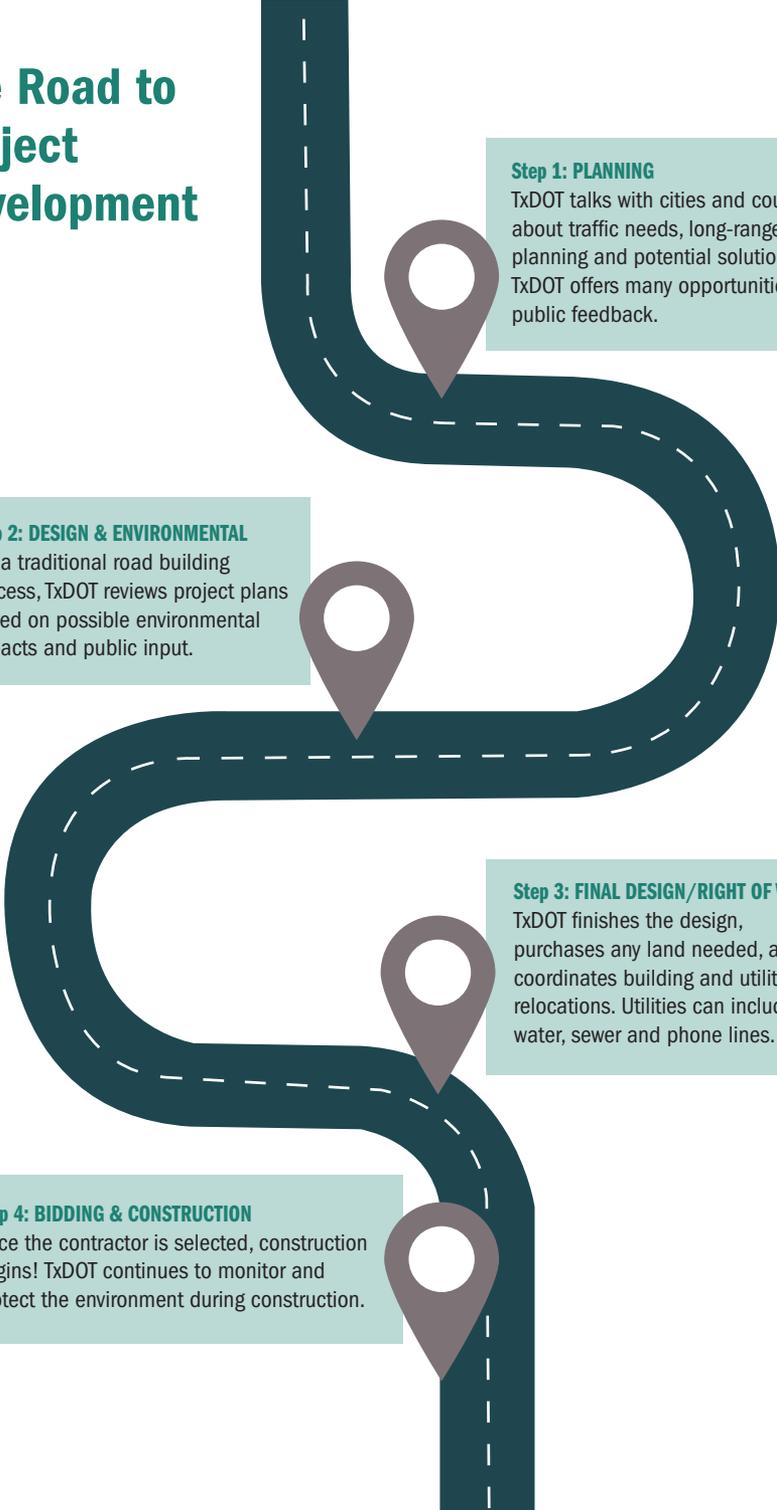
Check the status of projects online. This interactive map shows how much projects cost and when you can expect them to be completed. Find it at www.TxDOT.gov, keywords “Project Tracker.”

Talk to Your District or Area Engineer

Each TxDOT project has an Area Engineer that oversees the work. Find your Area Engineer at www.TxDOT.gov, keywords “Locate a District.” Call, visit or email the area engineer with your input.



The Road to Project Development



Step 1: PLANNING

TxDOT talks with cities and counties about traffic needs, long-range planning and potential solutions. TxDOT offers many opportunities for public feedback.

Step 2: DESIGN & ENVIRONMENTAL

For a traditional road building process, TxDOT reviews project plans based on possible environmental impacts and public input.

Step 3: FINAL DESIGN/RIGHT OF WAY

TxDOT finishes the design, purchases any land needed, and coordinates building and utility relocations. Utilities can include water, sewer and phone lines.

Step 4: BIDDING & CONSTRUCTION

Once the contractor is selected, construction begins! TxDOT continues to monitor and protect the environment during construction.



About Us

As part of our mission of connecting you with Texas, TxDOT engineers, planners and environmental scientists strive to balance the needs of the state and also protect, enhance and preserve the human and natural environment.

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