



Notice of Virtual Public Meeting
Texas Department of Transportation
Available for Viewing on Thursday, June 25, 2020 at 4 p.m.
2021 - 2024 Rural Transportation Improvement Program (Rural TIP)
Atlanta District

To combat the spread of COVID-19, the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will be conducting a virtual public meeting for the proposed 2021-2024 Rural Transportation Improvement Program (Rural TIP) for the Atlanta TxDOT District.

The virtual public meeting pre-recorded presentation will be available for viewing on Thursday, June 25, 2020 at 4 p.m. This virtual meeting format (no in-person meeting) includes a pre-recorded video presentation and comment opportunity. To view the pre-recorded video presentation and meeting materials, please visit www.txdot.gov and **Search:** Atlanta Rural TIP. The presentation will include both audio and visual components.

The purpose of this virtual public meeting is to receive comments on the proposed projects of the 2021-2024 Rural TIP for the Atlanta TxDOT District. The Atlanta District includes Bowie, Cass, Marion, Harrison, Panola, Titus, Morris, Camp, and Upshur counties. The Rural TIP includes all regionally significant projects to be funded within a TxDOT District during the next four years, including those eligible for funding. As such, these meetings offer the public an opportunity to review and comment on the proposed priorities. A project in the Rural TIP is a project coming to your community. The Rural TIP is the first step on the road to producing a Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP).

The 2021-2024 Rural TIP meetings are being held pursuant to *Title 43, Texas Administrative Code, Section 16.102*, which calls for an opportunity for public comment concerning the program. Presentation materials will show how the Rural TIP operates along with associated/prioritized projects.

Comments must be postmarked or otherwise received by Monday, July 6, 2020 to: Texas Department of Transportation, Atlanta District, Attn: Rural TIP, 701 E. Main St., Atlanta, Texas 75551; by email to Katie.Martin@txdot.gov, with Attention: 2021-2024 Rural TIP Comment in the subject line; or submit your comments online by going to the meeting page on www.txdot.gov (**Search:** Atlanta Rural TIP).

If you do not have internet access or have general questions regarding the proposed projects or the virtual public meeting, please contact Katie Martin, Advance Planning Engineer, at (903) 799-1342 or Katie.Martin@txdot.gov.

Special accommodations: TxDOT makes every reasonable effort to accommodate the needs of the public. This meeting will be conducted in English. If you have special communication or accommodation needs, or have a need for an interpreter, a request can be made. If you have a disability and need assistance, special arrangements can also be made to accommodate most needs. Please call (903) 799-1342 at least two business days prior to the meeting. Please be aware that advance notice is requested as some accommodations may require time for TxDOT to arrange.