



**Notice of Public Meeting**  
**FM 359 from FM 1093 to Mason Road**  
**CSJ: 0543-02-075**

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT), Houston District, will hold a public meeting regarding the proposed roadway reconstruction and widening along FM 359 from FM 1093 to Mason Road in Fort Bend County, Texas. The meeting will be held Tuesday, October 8, 2019 at Briscoe Junior High School, 4300 FM 723, Richmond, TX 77406. The meeting will be held in an open house format from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. No formal presentation will be made.

The purpose of the public meeting is to present the proposed project to the public and receive comments. The proposed improvements to FM 359 include the reconstruction and widening of the existing roadway from two lanes to four lanes, and construction of sidewalks. The improvements include 12-foot-wide left turn lanes in various locations, and construction of a typical 18-foot-wide raised median (the proposed median width varies). The lane configurations (e.g. number of lanes) vary along the project limits to accommodate turning movements at various intersections and driveways. The proposed project would require additional right-of-way and could displace residential and commercial structures. The project area includes the area of an interim project proposed by Fort Bend County that would realign FM 359 on new location from Fulshear-Gaston Road/McKinnon Road to approximately 0.25 mile north of Bentley Elementary School to improve safety.

Maps showing the proposed project's location and preliminary design drawings will be available for review at the public meeting. This information will also be available by appointment for review Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., excluding state holidays, at the TxDOT Houston District Office, located at 7600 Washington Avenue, Houston, TX 77007. To schedule an appointment at the Houston District, please contact Sam Ainabe at (713) 802-5260. Information will also be available at TxDOT's area office located at 4235 SH 36, Rosenberg, Texas, 77471, (281) 238-7900. The project information can also be viewed at TxDOT's website: <https://www.txdot.gov/inside-txdot/projects/studies/houston/fm359-fort-bend-county.html>.

All interested persons are invited to attend this public meeting. Written comments must be postmarked or submitted electronically by October 23, 2019. Written comments may be submitted at the meeting. Written comments may also be submitted either in person or by mail to the TxDOT District Office, Director of Project Development, P.O. Box 1386, Houston, TX 77251 or submitted electronically at [HOU-PIOWebMail@txdot.gov](mailto:HOU-PIOWebMail@txdot.gov) or at the project website: <https://www.txdot.gov/inside-txdot/projects/studies/houston/fm359-fort-bend-county.html>.

Materials for the public meeting will be presented in English. Persons interested in attending the meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs, or need an interpreter, are encouraged to contact TxDOT's Public Information Office (713) 802-5076. Requests should be made at least two days prior to the public meeting. Every reasonable effort will be made to accommodate these needs.

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.