



NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING US 83

From 0.255 Mi. North of Starr/Zapata County Line
To Loma Blanca Road.
CSJ: 0038-06-045, etc.
Starr County, Texas

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) is hosting a public meeting to present proposed improvements to US 83 in Starr County, Texas. The project limits on US 83 are from 0.255 miles North of Starr/Zapata County line to Loma Blanca Road. The proposed project will be completed in two segments. Segment 1 will start at 0.255 Miles North of Starr/Zapata county line to 0.31 miles north of FM 2098 and Segment 2 will start at 0.31 miles south of Placido Road ending 0.09 miles north of Loma Blanca Road. The total distance of the project is approximately 10.47 miles.

Meetings Details:

Thursday, June 8, 2017

Roma Middle School –Lecture Hall
2047 N. Hwy 83
Roma, TX 78584

Open House: 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Presentation and Public Comment: 6:00pm

The purpose of this meeting is to allow the public the opportunity to view project related information and provide comments on the proposed improvements to the US 83 Highway.

The proposed improvements include constructing a four-lane divided rural highway with a grass median within a proposed right of way (ROW) width that varies between 300-450 feet.

The proposed project would require approximately 157 acres of additional roadway ROW. It is anticipated that the proposed project would require one business and three residential relocations. Relocation assistance is available for those displaced through TxDOT's Relocation Assistance Program. The relocation process would be conducted according to the Title II and Title III of the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970. Information about the benefits, services and Right of Way Acquisition schedule can be obtained at the TxDOT District Office, located at 600 W. I-2, Pharr Texas

Location maps, geometric design, and other information concerning this project will be presented at the meeting and are available for public viewing from Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.at the TxDOT Roma Area Office located at 2654 US 83, Roma, Texas 78584.

All interested citizens are invited to attend this meeting to provide input regarding the proposed project. Verbal and/or written comments may be presented at the public meeting. Written comments must be submitted by June 23, 2017 to TxDOT, either in person or by mail to TxDOT, Attn: Pharr District Engineer, 600 W. I-2, Pharr, TX 78577. Comments may also be submitted by fax to (956) 702-6110 or by e-mail to Robin.Gelston@txdot.gov. For additional information on the project, please call Romualdo Mena Jr., P.E., Project Manager with TxDOT at (956) 702-6246.

The public meetings will be conducted in English, with Spanish translation services also available. Persons interested in attending the meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to contact Norma Robledo with TxDOT at (956) 702-6161. Requests should be made at least five days prior to the public meetings. Every reasonable effort will be made to accommodate these needs. For more information about the project please visit www.txdot.gov, keyword: "US 83 from the Starr-Zapata County Line".

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.