Documentation of Open House

Report Date:
August 17, 2018

Project Location
Bexar County

FM 1516
CSJ: 1477-01-043

Project Limits
I-10 E. to FM 78

Meeting Location
Judson High School
9142 FM 78, Converse, TX 78109

Meeting Date and Time
May 22, 2018 from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Translation Services
Spanish Interpreter Available

Presenters
None

Elected Officials in Attendance
Joan Lindgren, Converse City Council
Joey Pawlik, Representative for Barbara Gervin-Hawkins,
Texas House of Representatives

Total Number of Attendees
45

Total Number of Commenters
24

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A.
Comment/Response Matrix

Comment Number	Commenter Name	Date Received	Source	Comment	Response
1	Denise Descoteaux	5/16/2018	Email	I live in the Key Largo subdivision which is the closest to I10. While I do not relish more construction going on when the we have not even finished the I10 construction that will redo the bridge at 1516, we desperately need road improvement. With all of the new housing construction, I have a very hard time getting out the subdivision in the morning and as there is only one entrance to the subdivision, I must use 1516. With the widening of the lanes I would like to request street lighting at the entrance of the subdivision because there are no lights on the entrance and it is very dangerous at night. Is this something that can be accommodated? There is no HOA in this subdivision and only 150 houses so covering the cost independently is not an option but with more traffic we some assistance in the form of lighting and maybe even traffic lights	TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design. There is not currently a traffic signal at the entrace to the Key Largo Subdivision, therefore a signal study would have to be conducted after construction is complete to determine if one is warranted at that location.
2	Joseph Agnew	5/23/2018	Email	I would like to have illumination lights placed in our subdivision which is on fm1516. Please assist if you can.	TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design.
3	Sunny Punjani	5/22/2018	Email	Hello, I was there at the meeting this evening and I want to ensure that there will be an ability to make a left turn on 1516 heading towards I-10 for our customers. I don't understand the drawing fully. Please advise and see attached image explaining the left turn in red within the blue circle.	A left turn at the specified location would not be legal nor advisable. It would be safer and more appropriate to exit the establishment on Mayfair Drive and turn left on Shafer Road, then a left at the light onto FM 1516.
4	Kristi Booth	5/23/2018	Email	Good afternoon. Thank you for providing information on the expansion of FM 1516. I would like to add that street lights at the entrance of the Key Largo subdivision is needed and would be welcomed by the community. Thank you.	TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design.
5	Laura Martinez	5/23/2018	Email	I live at Parc at Escondido off of 1516 and am sending this email to request more street lights.	TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design.
6	Reyna Peterson	5/23/2018	Email	Could we please get street lights in Key Largo subdivision it is a safety issue and huge inconvenience without illumination.	TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design.
7	Reyna Peterson	5/25/2018	Email	Could we please get street lights with this project	TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design.
8	Dawn Oris	5/23/2018	Email	Please add lights to the entrance of the Key Largo subdivision the visibility during hours of darkness is poor.	TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design.
9	Susan Bosquez	5/23/2018	Email	1. Hi my name is Susan Bosquez and I live in the Key Largo subdivision off of 1516. I'm requesting illumination in or around my subdivision. It's very dark without lights and it's very unsafe. 2. Thank you for any upgrades in the area.	TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design.

10	Emily Jarmon	5/23/2018	Email	Hello, I'm asking if we could please get some illumination in the Key Largo Subdivision.	TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design.
11	Frank Vega	5/23/2018	Email	We live in the Key Largo Community and yes we would like to have some street lights.	TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design.
12	Michael Dittrich	5/22/2018	Email	Looking at the intersection of I10 and 1516, there will be at five lanes and when you look over the fence (1516 south of I-10), there are no plans. It would be nice to stub out at minimum of 100 or more feet to match up 1516 to the north. With at least four lanes.	Four lanes will be extended south of I-10 during the current reconstruction of the frontage roads. This extension will be approximately 1000' before tapering back to the existing two-lane section.
13	Michael Dittrich	5/22/2018	Email	On the north side of I10 for the south bound traffic (1516) to add a right hand turn lane (for at least 30 to 100 feet) and allow a double right hand turn at the intersection. That should be over fifty percent of the traffic flow.	The designs for FM 1516 include a exclusive right hand turn lane at that location and a signal to improve the capacity of the roadway.
14	Michael Dittrich	5/22/2018	Email	Looking at the plans I10 at 1516 it is draw as a four lane freeway. What are the real plans for I10 at I10 is it going to be a six or eight lane freeway. I10 should be at least eight lanes to 1604 or 1516. Then six lanes to the county line, Sequin or SH130.	Currently I-10 is being constructed as six lane highway. Thank you for your feedback.
15	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	This section of Texas is Karst Topography.	This area of FM 1516 is south of any U.S. Fish and Wildlife Services (USFWS) Karst Zones in Bexar County.
16	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	Certain sections of Astoria Place and adjacent areas are seeing issues based on drainage (see slide 6)	Comment noted.
17	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	Increasing capacity of FM 1516 will draw some commercial traffic from IH-35 and FM 1604.	The roadway improvements to FM 1516 have been designed based on future traffic projections for the year 2044, including through truck traffic.
18	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	Major development is planned for land adjacent to FM 1516 (slide 5)	The roadway improvements to FM 1516 have been designed based on future traffic projections for the year 2044.
19	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	Replacing soil with residential/commercial construction will change drainage "Time of Concentration" and will impact "Place of Concentration."	TxDOT follows all rules to convey the water that comes through the facility. The proposed roadway contributes a minimal amount to the overall water shed.
20	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	There already exists "Special Flood Hazzard Areas as defined by the US Geological Service (USGS, slides 3/4)	The proposed project intersects the 100-year flood plain at Escondito Creek and Salitrillo Creek.
21	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	The environmental considerations (drainage) for this project HAVE NOT (according to the sources at the TxDOT Open House) been coordinated with like analysis from Converse planned or envisioned development.	The City is responsible for regulation the drainaige that comes from development in the area. The proposed roadway contributes a minimal amount to the overall water shed. This project would be coordinated with the local floodplain administrator.
22	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	Although bike and pedestrian paths/sidewalks are part of the plan, they have not been integrated with problematic areas, most notably surrounding Judson High School.	Comment noted.
23	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	In the past year there have been at least two accidents at the intersection of Rocket lane and FM 1516 causing damage to guardrails (1).	The proposed project would improve safety conditions along the corridor by upgrading intersections and providing pedestrian and bicycle accomodations.

24	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	In the past several years there have been several accidents at the intersection of FM 78 and FM 1516, at least one of which required medical air evacuation (1).	The proposed project would improve safety conditions along the corridor by upgrading intersections and providing pedestrian and bicycle accomodations.
25	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	The southwestern end of project area has a significant amount of commercial real estate.	Thank you for your comment. Comment noted.
26	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	This is a robust project. What was the impetis?	The proposed project is needed due to traffic congestion along FM 1516 from I-10 E. to FM 78, which results in traffic time delays, operational inefficiency, and higher than statewide average accident rates.
27	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	Increased traffic will increase risk exposure. What is being done to mitigate risk? (Weight Limits and Speed)	The roadway is being designed and updated to meet TxDOT's safety standards. The proposed project would improve safety conditions along the corridor by upgrading intersections and providing pedestrian and bicycle accomodations. The proposed roadway is designed to accomodate 45 mph along the roadway with a minimum of 35 mph.
28	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	FM 1516 will become increasingly popular for commercial traffic. The city of Converse should limit commercial development and commercial traffic to the southwestern end of FM 1516.	Comment noted. Concerns regarding commerical development in the area should be directed to the City of Converse.
29	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	Will noise abatement measures be built and who will fund them?	A traffic noise analysis will be prepared to assess traffic noise impacts that may result from the proposed project. If noise walls are deemed reasonable and feasible they would be funded by TxDOT.
30	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	Most walking traffic on Crestway appears to be to/from bus stops. Sidewalks and bike paths sound great but who will use them and to go where? Is there a larger plan or vision for recreation?	In accordance with the Federal Highway Administration, pedestrian facilities are required to be evaluated on all roadway projects. FM 1516 has signifigant pedestrian traffic due to two schools along the corridor and other pedestrian destinations, the sidewalks and bike paths will safely accommodate them.
31	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	Drainage and sub-soil implications need to be worked collaboratively with all echelons of government with special emphasis on USGS designated Special Flood Hazard Areas.	Coordination will be done with all required entities, including USACE and the local floodplain administrator who will be notified as neccesary prior to construction.
32	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	Are more traffic control measured (traffic lights, etc.)	A traffic study is being done in conjunction with the roadway design. Existing traffic signals will stay in place, a signal study would need to be conducted after the construction is complete to determine if one is warranted in a new location.
33	Steven Schneider	5/26/2018	Email	Has potential impacts of the lowlands adjacent to FM 1604 and impacted by this project been coordinated with the Texas DNR?	Coordination will be done with all required entities, including USACE and the local floodplain administrator who will be notified as neccesary prior to construction.

34	Gaytono Hernandez	5/22/2018	Written	1. We are concerned about the traffic situation that will exist and exists now. Since the closing/reclosure of IH 10 access roads traffic has become hazardous on Weinchold Road. Speed limit is 30 MPH but traffic most at 40-70 MPH. 2. This road is a 1 1/2 lane old county road. Residents have only access from FM 1516 only to go around IH 10 E to 1604 to get home. Will Txdot widen Weichold to accommodate traffic construction.	1. The roadway improvements to FM 1516 are designed to accommodate future traffic due to population growth in the area. 2. Weichold Road is currently owned by the City of Converse and future improvements to Weichold would be conducted by the City.
35	Sarah Hearn	5/22/2018	Written	We have a construction company right off FM 1516 and widening this road will cause a more dangerous exit for our larger trucks. How can TxDOT help give warning to drivers to be prepared to stop or slow down if the truck is pulling out of our driveway since you will not put up a traffic signal making a safer exit for the larger equipment? Trucks?	There is not currently a traffic signal in place at that location and signal study would have to be conducted after construction is complete to determine if one is warranted at that location.
36	David Covington	5/22/2018	Written	Am concerned about the change in drainage with potential to concentrate runoff not previously received into a storm drain out fall on our property. Would like to see proposed estimated flow in peak rain and area of pavement that is being drained to this outfall. Thanks.	There are 3 x 30" CMP cross-culverts at ~sta 216+00 near your property. Since the roadway is being widened and lowered at this location, we are replacing the 3 culverts with a single 5'x2' box culvert. Sections of FM 1516 that we previously running off the side of the roadway are now being captured in a storm sewer and proposed to be drained to the 5'x2' box culvert. Additional paved area of 1.5 acres will now drain via storm sewer and tie-in to this culvert. A very conservative estimate for flow calculation for the 10-yr design event put this flow at ~11cfs. The existing culverts receiving ~87cfs in the 10-yr event. Our proposed peak flow from offsite areas is slightly lower at ~75 cfs. After adding the 11cfs from proposed FM1516 storm sewer, the total flow that will outfall at the culvert is ~86cfs. This is 1cfs less than the existing flow for the design event.
37	Denise Descoteaux	5/22/2018	Written	Please consider a streetlight at the entrance of Key Largo subdivision. It is very dark at night and there is no lighting at the entrance. There have been numerous serious accidents at the location both north and southbound.	TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design.
38	Eve Brown	5/22/2018	Written	1. I am concerned about lighting on FM 1516 especially into our subdivision - Key Largo. 2. I am happy about the 4 lanes and turn lane and walking and bicycle path.	1.TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design. 2. Thank you for your feedback.
39	Stephen Diss	5/22/2018	Written	1. Improvements to align the FM 1516 - Binz Ingleman intersection to eliminate the dog leg turn. 2. This project should happen sooner than planned. Over 1000 new homes are going to be built before the planned start. Thank you	1. The design for the FM 1516/Binz Ingleman intersection was created to tie into a existing city roadway (Binz Ingleman). Any future improvements to Binz Ingleman will be coordinated by the City of Converse. 2. Comment noted.
40	Dale Kane	5/22/2018	Written	Note the thoroughfare plan for Walzem extension into intersection with 1516/Binz Ing. Property is currently under development for single family.	Comment noted.
41	Warren Hubert	5/22/2018	Written	These improvements are greatly needed. There are several new subdivisions being built off 1516 and traffic is greatly congested. Traffic signals at 1516 and I10 are needed immediately.	Traffic signals are planned for the intersection of FM 1516 and I-10 E.

42	Lisa Pfeiffer	5/22/2018	Written	1. Drainage engineers need to seriously look at the flooding that occurs at the entrance to Astoria Place community where Donalan Dr. and FM 1516 intersect. If not, continued flooding/water accumulation will deteriorate any improvements made in that area. 2. Thanks for doing the open house, very well staffed and set up!	1. The roadway improvements to FM 1516 include curb and gutter with a underground underground storm sewer system. The existing drainage ditches would be graded to improve drainage in the area. 2. Thank you for your feedback.
43	Sheena Clark	5/22/2018	Written	1. Thank you for hosting this open house. The diagrams were very informative and the TxDOT employees I conversed with were eager to answer any and all question I had. 2. I'm not happy about the road expansion because of the increased traffic noise I will experience, but I understand the necessity of facilitating new ways to manage traffic volume. Thank you for your time!	1. Thank you for your feedback. 2. A traffic noise analysis will be prepared to assess traffic noise impacts that may result from the proposed project.
44	Dennis Starnes	5/22/2018	Written	1. Street lights on corner of Largo and 1516. 2. Nice Presentation (Much needed improvements)	1.TxDOT is currently in the beginning stages of design for FM 1516 and lighting along the roadway will be investigated next year during final design. 2. Thank you for your support.
45	James Grace Jr.	5/22/2018	Transcript	(See Appendix D-3 for full comment) 1. Would like to get it done sooner rather than later. 2. How will they address floodplains?	1. Comment Noted. 2. The roadway improvements to FM 1516 include curb and gutter with a underground underground storm sewer system. The existing drainage ditches would be graded to improve drainage in the area.

B.
Notices

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Newspaper Advertisements

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La Prensa	May 13, 2018
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Ante ti vengo con la fe de mi alma, a buscar tu sagrado consuelo en mi difícil situación, no me desampares de las puertas que se me deben de abrir en mi camino, sea tu Brazo Poderoso el que las abra para darme la tranquilidad que ansío (tres peticiones difíciles). Súplica que te hace un corazón afligido por los duros golpes del cruel destino que lo han vencido siempre en la lucha humana, ya que sin tu poder divino no intercede en mi favor sucumbiré por falta de ayuda. Brazo poderoso, asísteme, ampárame y condúceme a la gloria celestial. Gracias dulce Jesús (rezar quince días empezando viernes). Publicar antes de los ocho. Confío en Dios Padre y en su misericordia divina, por eso pido a Él que ilumine mi camino y me otorgue la gracia que tanto deseo. Gracias Padre por oírme. Mande publicar y observe lo que ocurrirá el cuarto día.

YG, MR

Prayer to Saint Jude

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be adored, gloried, loved and preserved throughout the world now and forever. Oh, Sacred Heart of Jesus, pray for us. St. Jude, worker of miracles, pray for us. St. Jude, helper of the helpless, pray for us. Say this prayer nine times a day. By the eight day your prayer will be answered. It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised. Thank you St. Jude.

Prayer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

O most holy heart of Jesus, fountain of every blessing, I adore you, I love you, and with lively sorrow for my sins I offer you this poor heart of mine. Make me humble, patient, pure and wholly obedient to your will. Grant, Good Jesus, that I

Request for Proposals

#1803-962-69-4777

The **SAN ANTONIO HOUSING AUTHORITY** and its Affiliates request proposals for:

Temporary and Contract Personnel Services. Submittals will be received until 2:00 p.m. (CST) on May 31, 2018 and publicly opened at that time at the offices of the SAHA Procurement Department, 818 S. Flores, San Antonio, Texas 78204. A pre-submittal meeting will be held on May 15, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. (CST) at the SAHA Central Office, 818 S. Flores, San Antonio, Texas 78204

Specifications packages are available online at http://www.saha.org, or at http://www.nahro.economicengine.com, or at SAHA's Office of Procurement, located at 818 S. Flores, San Antonio, Texas 78204 or by calling (210) 477-6059.

San Antonio Housing Authority
By: David Nisivoccia
President and CEO

Request for Qualifications

#1804-925-41-4783

The **SAN ANTONIO HOUSING AUTHORITY** and its Affiliates request qualifications for:

Architectural, Engineering and Other Forensic Consulting Services. Qualifications will be received until 2:00 p.m. (CST) on, May 25, 2018 and publicly opened at that time at the offices of the SAHA Procurement Department, 818 S. Flores, San Antonio, Texas 78204. A pre-submittal meeting will be held on May 8, 2017 at 10:00 a.m. (CST) at the SAHA Central Office, 818 S. Flores, San Antonio, Texas 78204

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AVISO DE FORO INFORMATIVO
FM 1516 desde I-10 E. hasta FM 78, Converse
Condado de Bexar, Texas
CSJ: 1477-01-043

El Departamento de Transporte de Texas (TxDOT, por sus siglas en inglés) hospedará un foro informativo el 22 de Mayo de 2018, para presentar las mejoras propuestas a FM 1516 desde I-10 hasta FM 78, en Converse, Condado de Bexar, Texas. El foro informativo se llevará a cabo en la Secundaria Judson (Judson High School), ubicada en la siguiente dirección: 9142 FM 78, Converse, Texas 78109, de 5:00 pm a 7:00 pm, el día Martes 22 de Mayo de 2018. Las mejoras propuestas incluyen la ampliación del ancho de la vía añadiendo un canal en cada dirección a FM 1516 entre I-10 y FM 78, además de añadir canales de cruce a la izquierda, canales para bicicletas y aceras.

Foro Informativo

Cualquier persona interesada en el proyecto está invitada a asistir al foro informativo. No habrá una presentación formal, los asistentes podrán ir y venir a su conveniencia. Los asistentes tendrán la oportunidad de ver esquemas del proyecto propuesto, conocer a los miembros del equipo, hacer preguntas y compartir sus comentarios sobre el proyecto.

El foro informativo se realizará en inglés. Se recomienda que las personas que esten interesadas en asistir al foro informativo y que tengan necesidades especiales de comunicación o que requieran de acomodaciones especiales que se comuniquen con Courtney Blechle al (832) 351-7918 al menos cinco días antes del foro informativo. Se realizarán todos los esfuerzos razonables para satisfacer estas necesidades. Para cualquier pregunta general del proyecto, favor de comunicarse con Richard De La Cruz, P.E. al (210) 615-6434.

Para enviar comentarios

- Llene una tarjeta de comentario escrita
- Enviar comentarios por correo a la siguiente dirección:
  FM 1516 Improvement Plan
  Attn: Courtney Blechle
  P.O. Box 53495
  Houston, Texas 77052
- Correo electrónico: fm1516project@gmail.com

Todos los comentarios deben de recibirse o ser sellados por el servicio postal a más tardar el **Miercoles 6 de Junio de 2018.**

La revisión del impacto ambiental, las consultas y otras acciones requeridas por las leyes federales ambientales vigentes para este proyecto se están llevando a cabo o se han llevado a cabo por TxDOT conforme al 23 U.S.C. 327 y a un memorando de entendimiento de fecha 16 de Diciembre de 2014. Asimismo, estas han sido ejecutadas por la Administración de Carreteras Federales y TxDOT.

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Señor joven, de 5'10 de estatura, con buen trabajo. Busco una dama que sea fiel. La edad no me importa. Que no fume ni eche mentiras, que le guste el baile de vez en cuando. Que sea bien formada y piernuda. No te arrepentirás. ¡Gracias!

C-321

My name is Mario Garcia. 5'6, 159. I love going to flea markets, I love to listen oldies songs and I like pets. I'm looking for a long term relationship to share my life. I like also pen pals. Women only from 55 to 65 year old, any race. Only women call or write to me in English. I can only read English. If you call me, I know both English and Spanish.

C-322

¡Hola! Soy papá soltero con una hija, trabajador, con dos trabajos, honesto, sincero, noble, muy limpio, detallista, sin vicios y temeroso de Dios. Me gustan los deportes, salir a comer a algún restaurante, ver películas en casa y con deseo de encontrar una dama con similares características para una relación seria, sin juegos, ni mentiras, que seamos el uno para el otro, espero tu carta para conocernos.

C-323

Mi nombre es T.P. Tengo 48 años de edad, peso 200 libras. Mido 5,5. Me gusta ir al cine, a cenar. Busco un compañero entre las edades de 50 y 55 años, que se responsable, cariñoso, detallista y trabajador.

D-324

Dama. Soy Mexicana, vivo en San Luis Potosí (México). Soy una persona honrada, responsable, hogareña y romántica. Tengo 51 años. Soy blanca, delgada, de ojos grandes color café. Busco un hombre serio, trabajador, sin vicios ni problemas familiares, ni económicos, con fines serios, que tenga entre 48 y 60 años. Soy soltera actualmente. Llámame. Esperaré llamada porque soy fiel y estoy sola.

D-325

¡Hola! Soy una dama de 59 años de edad. Soy alta, mido 5.6", de regular peso, bien parecida, clara, ojos cafés y sin compromiso de pareja. Me considero una persona seria, trabajadora y respetuosa. Me gusta bailar. Viví muchos años en California y hace un año vine a vivir a San Antonio. No conozco muy bien todavía el área. Deseo conocer caballero alto, sin vicios, respetuoso y con buenos valores de 60 a 65 años de edad. Primero deseo comenzar una amistad y después podría ser algo serio. Vivo en el área de Leon Valley.

D-326

Hola, soy un hombre de 58 años. Mido 5'6. Peso 190. Deseo conocer una damita de 58 a 60 años, delgada, que pese entre 100 y 115 libras, que no tenga hijos. No importa su estado migratorio. Del área de San Antonio, TX. Gracias.

C-327

¡Hola! Soy una mujer divorciada de 47 años. Estoy en busca de un buen hombre que quiera una relación seria de 50 a 55 años. Si te interesa, mándame tu cartita.

D-328

¡Hola! Soy un caballero de 80 años, pero active. Soy limpio y me gusta vestirme siempre bien. Camino para hacer ejercicio. Soy católico y espiritual. No estoy interesado en cosas materiales. Tengo mi propia casa y transportación. Me gusta vivir en paz y alegre. Me gusta el baile y la música. Me gusta toda la naturaleza y también me gustan las plantas de flores y vegetales. También me gusta leer y aprender constantemente. Ando buscando buenas amistades. Soy educado en inglés pero entiendo español. Espero que me llames pronto.

C-330

Soy un hombre Maduro, Cristiano, limpio y trabajador en busca de una buena mujer que quiera unir su vida con un buen hombre. Sin compromisos, que sea libre como yo, limpia, trabajadora, honesta, fiel, amorosa, sin vicios ni tatuajes. Escríbeme pronto para conocernos y así comenzar una nueva vida juntos. Te estaré esperando.

C-331

Caballero divorciado, 51 años, sin vicios, alto, cuerpo normal, ojos cafés, piel clara, temeroso de Dios y con deseos de luchar por un amor verdadero, busca dama sencilla, de sentimientos nobles y con deseos de una relación sería, sin mentiras y sin juego. Que sea de Centroamérica, no de México.

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Mi anuncio es una dama sin compromisos, divorciada o viuda. Soy un hombre viudo de 58 años de edad, 5'6 de altura, delgado, no fumo, no tomo o uso drogas. Soy una persona que siempre me gusta conocer nuevas personas y tratar cosas nuevas. Soy positivo, en buen estado físico y un buen oyente. Deseo encontrar una dama delgada de 110 a 130 libras. Edad de 40, 50 o 60 años. No importa su raza o si tiene hijos. Lo que importa es que sea de buen corazón. Solo si es viuda o divorciada y está cansada de buscar y no hallar un hombre que la comprenda, no se desanime. En mí va a encontrar la alegría, la ternura de alguien que la comprenda. También un amor que busca para seguir adelante en la vida. Escríbame si le interesa mi anuncio. Por favor mándeme una foto suya. Ponga su nombre, edad y número de teléfono detrás de la foto. Si quiere ver una foto mía visite www.migueliomusica.com. ¡No juegue! No contesto cartas sin foto.

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¡Hola! Me gustaría conocer a un caballero entre 55 a 65 años, si es texano, mejor, pero es requisito, solo que sea trabajador y honesto. Yo soy señora ciudadana americana, tengo 60 años, soy blanca, bajita, bien formada, guapa, no tengo vicios, me gusta salir a pasear, a comer, de tiendas, soy muy hogareña. Si tú te sientes solo y quieres empezar una buena amistad, llámame y nos conocemos. No mentiras, por favor.

D-334

¡Hola! Soy un hombre sin vicios, busco una amistad o empezar una bonita relación. Me gusta hacer ejercicio, la música de toda clase e ir al cine. No importa su estado migratorio. Busco una dama de 30 a 45 años sin compromisos. Estoy en mis cuarenta años. Soy 5'10 de alto, peso 190 libras. Si se puede mándame una foto. Muchas gracias por leerme. Gracias. ¡Dios le bendiga!

C-335

Me llamo Ignacio M. Nací en Monterrey, pero tengo 50 años en San Antonio, TX. Tengo 65 años, jubilado. No tomo, fumo poquito. Si te interesa, háblame. Amigos primero.

C-336

Caballero, 39 años, 5'4. Deseo conocer dama sencilla, honesta, para poder empezar una bonita relación. Te espero.

C-337

¡Hola! Soy una dama de 70 años. Deseo conocer un caballero honesto con quien compartir lo que nos quede de vida. Te espero.

D-338

Tengo 69 años, mido 5'3, peso 160 libras, ojos cafés oscuro, cabello liso café oscuro, soy morena aperlada. No tomo, no fumo, soy una mujer muy hogareña, estoy en buena salud. Busco un caballero de 60 a 70 años que sea amable, que no fume, que sea trabajador, que no sea mentiroso, que viva aquí en San Antonio. Primero busco una amistad con fines de una relación, que esté en buenas condiciones de salud, no enfermo. Si es retirado no importa. Te estaré esperando porque te voy a hacer muy feliz.

D-339

Tengo 49 años. Busco un caballero entre 50, 55 y 65 años. Soy una mujer color piel aperlada, ojos cafés oscuro. Mido 5'4. Soy una mujer romántica, detallista y apasionada. Busco un hombre responsable, amoroso y con fines de buscar una relación seria.

D-340

¡Feliz Año Nuevo! ¿Eres una mujer soltera? ¿52 a 62 años? ¿Inteligente? ¿Honrada? ¿Romántica? ¿Disfrutas cosas diferentes? Estoy buscándote. Soy un hombre soltero, sin niños. Tengo 58 años, 5'10, 200 libras. Soy calvo, tengo ojos azules. Sin vicios. Disfruto libros, cine, música y hacer ejercicios. Aprendiendo español. Escríbeme.

C-341

Soy caballero, soy Cristiano. Me gustaría conocer una señora o señorita, edad no me importa, para una relación seria. Me gusta el cine, la iglesia y todo en general. Favor de mandarme su teléfono en la primera carta. Soy retirado del servicios.

C-342

Caballero en sus 50's busca dama para una relación serie. Me gustan muchas cosas como cine, baile y parques. Por favor, mándeme una nota con su teléfono para comunicarme con usted. Soy cristiano y me gusta ir a la iglesia. También estoy retirado de Seguro Social.

C-343

¡Hola! Hombre de 66 años busca pareja para relación seria, que sea divorciada para evitar problemas. Yo soy serio, bien parecido, respetuoso, sincero, limpio, educado y mido 5'3, 160 libras. Soy mexicano 100%. Si eres esta mujer, si te interesa lo que te digo háblame para ponernos de acuerdo y así conocernos cara a cara. Yo tomo y fumo, pero moderadamente. Si comprendes lo que digo, te lo agradezco y te repito: si te intereso, con mucho gusto espero tu llamada. Muchas gracias.

C-344

Soy una dama de 55. Me gustaría conocer un señor de 55 a 62 años; caballero limpio, sincero, alto (5.9' o más), honesto, soltero, sin compromisos de nada. Por favor que sea serio, que le gusten las actividades al aire libre (parque, playa, cine, ir a comer, caminar), que no tenga problemas con el alcohol y cigarro. Soy ciudadana americana y trabajo tiempo completo, en buen estado de salud. Soltera, no tomo licor, no fumo, me gusta caminar en el parque, ir al cine, la playa, ir de campamento, viajar los fines de semana, ir a comer. Soy limpia, honrada, me dicen que soy muy atractiva, no soy gorda, pero tampoco muy delgada, soy alta. Si te interesa, comunícate hoy. Sé feliz.

D-345

¡Hola a todas las damitas entre la edad de 45 hasta 65 con buena presentación y de mente abierta y con mucha disposición. Yo soy un hispano de 69 años, pero muy activo en todos los aspectos. Mido 5'11. Peso 250 libras, no obeso, solo fornido. Ojos cafés, pelo plateado, no fumo, no tomo drogas, tomo con mi pareja, me gusta todo tipo de músico, el baila, bachata, vallenato, cumbia, merengue; dar paseos alrededor de San Antonio. Soy retirado, pero sigo trabajando, muy romántico y cariñoso y me gusta hacer lo que sea para complacer a mi pareja y busco lo mismo. Si escuchaste algo que te gusta no esperes para comunicarte conmigo, la vida es hermosa corta para desperdiciarla. ¿Qué esperas? Comunícate ya. ¡Muchas gracias por leer mi anuncio. Suerte y te espero. Te garantizo no te arrepentirás.

C-346

Mujer de 62 años. Peso 150 libras, 5'4 de estatura. Me gustan las diversiones sanas, soy súper trabajadora, pero con tiempo para salir a pasear. Me gustaría conocer a un buen hombre sin vicios, trabajador, sin compromisos, buenos sentimientos, admiro a los hombres que saber hacer un poco de todo o mucho como los handyman. Ojalá que te intereses en mi anuncio. Puedo comunicarme in both languages, Spanish and English, of course in Spanish better. No te arrepentirás de contactarme. Vivo en San Antonio.

D-347

Soy hombre divorciado sin hijos de 49 años, dicen que me veo joven para mi edad. Busco mujer delgada, de aprox. Entre 35-41 años de edad porque quiero la posibilidad de poder tener hijos en un futuro. No fumo ni tomo, peso 152 lb (69 kg), mido 5'7" (1.70). Soy nacido en EEUU, tengo educación a nivel doctorado y económicamente muy estable. Me gusta escuchar música y tocar instrumentos musicales, viajar, ir al gimnasio, salid a cenar, a algún concierto, comer saludable. Prefiero mujer sin hijos o con solo un hijo. Requiero que absolutamente no fume, no use drogas, y solo tome muy rara vez. No me gustan los tatuajes. Busco mujer que le importe su salud y apariencia, y que sea responsable, con bonita personalidad, cariñosa y fiel. Yo soy bien tranquilo, responsable, respetuoso, generoso, con buen sentido del humor, pero soy serio y algo introvertido.

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NOTICE OF OPEN HOUSE
FM 1516 FROM I-10 TO FM 78,
CONVERSE, BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS
CSJ: 1477-01-043

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will host an open house on May 22, 2018, to present proposed improvements to FM 1516 from I-10 to FM 78 in Converse, Bexar County, Texas. The open house will be held at Judson High School, located at 9142 FM 78, Converse, Texas 78109 from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm on Tuesday, May 22, 2018. The proposed improvements include roadway widening by adding a lane in each direction on FM 1516 between I-10 and FM 78, adding continuous left turn lanes, bicycle lanes, and sidewalks.

Open House

Anyone interested in the project is invited to attend the open house. There will be no formal presentation, so attendees can come and go at their convenience. Attendees will have the opportunity to view schematics of the proposed improvements, visit with team members, ask questions and share their comments on the project.

The open house will be conducted in English. Persons interested in attending the meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to contact Courtney Blechle at (832) 351-7918 at least five days prior to the open house. Every reasonable effort will be made to accommodate these needs. For any general project questions, please contact Richard De La Cruz, PE. at (210) 615-6434.

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Wednesday, June 6, 2018.

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TxDOT Website Announcement

www.txdot.gov keyword search "I-10 from North Creek Road to US 87"

Open House - FM 1516 from I-10 to FM 78

Where: Judson High School
9142 FM 78
Converse, Texas 78109 (Map)

When: Tuesday, May 22, 2018
5:00 – 7:00 p.m.

Purpose: The purpose of this open house is to present proposed improvements to FM 1516 from I-10 to FM 78 in Converse, Bexar County, Texas.

Description: Proposed improvements include:

- Expand FM 1516 from two-lanes to four-lanes with left turn lanes and raised medians
- Add dedicated bike lanes and sidewalks on both sides of FM 1516
- Drainage improvements – drainage ditches and underground storm sewer
- Proposed project would require additional right of way and utility adjustments

Special accommodations: TxDOT makes every reasonable effort to accommodate the needs of the public. The open house will be in English with Spanish translators available. If you have special communication accommodations, need an interpreter, or if you have a disability and need assistance, special arrangements can be made to accommodate most needs. Please call (832) 351-7918 at least five days prior to the hearing. Please be aware that advance notice is requested as some accommodations may require time for TxDOT to arrange.

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- Display Boards
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- Schematic 2

Contact: TxDOT San Antonio District
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Posted: May 7, 2018

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Elected Officials Letter

Mailed to Elected Officials on May 3, 2018

Elected Official	Organization
Michael J. Lynd Jr.	Alamo Regional Mobility Authority
Hope Andrade	VIA Metropolitan Transit
Mayor Al Suarez	City of Converse
Kathy Richel, Mayor Pro Tem	City of Converse
Chris Clark, City Council	City of Converse
Shawn Russel, City Council	City of Converse
Christopher Boyd, City Council	City of Converse
Joan Lindgren, City Council	City of Converse
Deborah James, City Council	City of Converse
Commissioner Tommy Calvert	Bexar County
Judge Nelson Wolff	Bexar County
Representative Barbara Gervin-Hawkins	Texas State House of Representatives
Representative Roland Gutierrez	Texas State House of Representatives
Representative Tomas Uresti	Texas State House of Representatives
Senator Jose Menendez	Texas State Senate
Senator Donna Campbell	Texas State Senate
Senator Carlos Uresti	Texas State Senate
Representative Henry Cuellar	U.S. House of Representatives
Senator Ted Cruz	U.S. Senate
Senator John Cornyn	U.S. Senate

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May 3, 2018

Senator John Cornyn
Senator
U.S. Senate
517 Hart Senate Office Bldg.
Washington, D.C. 20510

Re: FM 1516 Project from I-10 to FM 78
Bexar county, Texas
CSJ: 1477-01-043

Dear Senator Cornyn:

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will host an Open House for proposed transportation improvements to Farm-to-Market Road (FM) 1516 in Converse from I-10 to FM 78 in Bexar county, Texas. The proposed project includes roadway widening by adding a lane in each direction on FM 1516 between I-10 and FM 78, adding left turn lanes, bicycle lanes, and sidewalks.

The purpose of the project is to improve mobility, reduce traffic delays and improve safety conditions along the corridor.

The FM 1516 Open House will be held on Tuesday, May 22, 2018 at the following location:

Judson High School
9142 FM 78
Converse, Texas 78109

The Open House will be conducted from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. Preliminary project exhibits will be available for public viewing. The maps and drawings reflecting the project location and geometric design will also be displayed at the meeting. Attendees are encouraged to attend the public meeting and are welcome to come at their own convenience. TxDOT staff will be available to answer questions and will accept public comments regarding the proposed project improvements.

You (or a representative from your office) are cordially invited to attend the Open House. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Richard De La Cruz, P.E., TxDOT Project Manager, at (210) 615-6434, or via email to fm1516project@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

Mario R. Jorge, P.E.
District Engineer
Texas Department of Transportation
San Antonio District

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Date: May 22, 2018

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FM 1516 desde I-10 hasta FM 78, Converse
Condado de Bexar, Texas
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El Departamento de Transporte de Texas (TxDOT, por sus siglas en inglés) hospedará un foro informativo el 22 de Mayo de 2018, para presentar las mejoras propuestas a FM 1516 desde I-10 hasta FM 78, en Converse, Condado de Bexar, Texas. Las mejoras propuestas incluyen la ampliación del ancho de la vía añadiendo un carril en cada dirección a FM 1516 entre I-10 y FM 78, además de añadir carriles de viraje a la izquierda, carril de bicicletas y aceras.

Foro Informativo

Cualquier persona interesada en el proyecto está invitada a asistir al foro informativo. No habrá una presentación formal, los asistentes podrán ir y venir a su conveniencia. Los asistentes tendrán la oportunidad de ver esquemas del proyecto propuesto, conocer a los miembros del equipo, hacer preguntas y compartir sus comentarios sobre el proyecto.

Detalles del Foro Informativo

Fecha: 22 de Mayo de 2018

Hora: 5:00 -7:00 p.m.

Ubicación: Judson High School
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El foro informativo se realizará en inglés. Se recomienda que las personas que esten interesadas en asistir al foro informativo y que tengan necesidades especiales de comunicación o que requieran de acomodaciones especiales que se comuniquen con Courtney Blechle al (832) 351-7918 al menos cinco días antes del foro informativo. Se realizarán todos los esfuerzos razonables para satisfacer estas necesidades. Para cualquier pregunta general del proyecto, favor de comunicarse con Richard De La Cruz, P.E. al (210) 615-6434.

Para enviar comentarios

- Llene una tarjeta de comentario escrita
- Enviar comentarios por correo a la siguiente dirección:
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Todos los comentarios deben de recibirse o ser sellados por el servicio postal a más tardar el **Miercoles 6 de Junio de 2018.**

La revisión del impacto ambiental, las consultas y otras acciones requeridas por las leyes federales ambientales vigentes para este proyecto se están llevando a cabo o se han llevado a cabo por TxDOT conforme al 23 U.S.C. 327 y a un memorando de entendimiento de fecha 16 de Diciembre de 2014. Asimismo, estas han sido ejecutadas por la Administración de Carreteras Federales y TxDOT.

FM 1516 Adjacent Property Owners

Parcel #	Owner	ADDRESS	CITY	STATE
1099684	Casa Chicken 1, LLC	[redacted]	Hewitt	TX
311426	Texstar Bank N.A., a National Bank	[redacted]	Universal City	TX
311394	The Robert P. Stern Trust	[redacted]	Austin	TX
311358	Jerry Douglas West	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
311361	Grunwell & Grunwell (DBA-Converse Christian School)	[redacted]	Windcrest	TX
1135457	Judson Ind. School District	[redacted]	Live Oak	TX
311662	Ann Darnell	[redacted]	Beaumont	TX
312415	Converse Real Estate, LLC	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
312415	Rashad Holdings, LLC	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
312359	Herman Sons Cemetery			TX
312393	Bobby K Huskey & Joann C Huskey	[redacted]	Seguin	TX
1062995	Sage Western Investments	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
312793	Greater Randolph Area	[redacted]	Universal City	TX
1062995	Sage Western Bouchie, LP	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
312363	Cayetano Pina and Angelita Pina	[redacted]	Judson	TX
312387	David A. Prinz and Tania L. Prinz	[redacted]	Converse	TX
1103509	Judson Ind. School District	[redacted]	Live Oak	TX
316868	Texas Conference Association of Seventh Day Adventists	[redacted]	Alvarado	TX
1061235	Wayne E. Harris and Rose Harris	[redacted]	Converse	TX
	Kristopher Lee Hearn	[redacted]	Converse	TX
338429	New Dimensions Ministries	[redacted]	Converse	TX
312374	Dwyatt O. Hearn	[redacted]	Converse	TX
991086	Napoleon B. Orange and Ruta S. Orange	[redacted]	Converse	TX
991087	Michael C. Hardin Theresa C. Hardin	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
338424	Minerva LP	[redacted]	Raymond	TX
311965	Dirt Dealers II, Ltd.	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX

1252225	Larry W Hunt & Karen M Hunt (DBA-Storage King)	[redacted]	Converse	TX
311967	Audrey Rita Covington	[redacted]	Austin	TX
311968	Dina J. Kocian and Arthur J. Kocian	[redacted]	Converse	TX
311963	Michael S. Passmore and Lisa Ann Passmore	[redacted]	Converse	TX
311990	Miles R. Engelke and Robert J. Staudt	[redacted]	La Vernia	TX
323284	RCG & INH, LLC	[redacted]	Houston	TX
	N/A			TX
	N/A			TX
1238372	Flotex Developers, LLC	[redacted]	Converse	TX
323300	Clifton Lee Pape	[redacted]	Converse	TX
323299	Ernest Coleman and Twyla Alexander	[redacted]	Converse	TX
685427	ADPOCO, LLP	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
685435	Arrow Investments, Ltd.	[redacted]	Converse	TX
1232098	TJ Elite Properties, LLC	[redacted]	Universial City	TX
1029202	O'Reilly Auto Enterprises, LLC	[redacted]	Springfield	TX
997668	RDJ Properties, LLC	[redacted]	Las Vegas	TX
311611	Archland Property II, LP	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
311610	Wade & Graves Limited Partnership, LP	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
311609	Big Diamond, Inc.	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
311184	Joyce Sanchez	[redacted]	Converse	TX
310512	McManus Family Trust	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
	No Info			TX
311608	Deborah A. Soele	[redacted]	Spring Branch	TX
311604	Andy Herrera and Joylene Herrera	[redacted]	Schertz	TX
310513	Judson ISD	[redacted]	Live Oak	TX
31196	Saul Arizpe and Jodi Arizpe	[redacted]	Austin	TX
311185	Sukhcharan Kaur Long-Term Family Trust	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
311186	Mumaw and Robinson, LLC	[redacted]	Converse	TX
311192	Mary Elizabeth Mumaw	[redacted]	Converse	TX
311189	United States Government	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
313127	Plugh LLC	[redacted]	Converse	TX
1207232	Converse Mexican Cemetery	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX

312809	City of Converse	[redacted]	Live Oak	TX
312812	Hoff Family Investments, LLC	[redacted]	Winton	TX
	N/A			TX
312817	Melanie Marie Hennis	[redacted]	Converse	TX
312907	Fields of Dover Association Inc.	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
312370	Pedro P. Gomez, Denisse Gomez	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
316890	Laredo Westover Hills, LTD	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
316903	Beatrice W. Trimble	[redacted]	Converse	TX
316904	Larry P. Schuster and Melvina Schuster	[redacted]	Albany	TX
1088399	Be Corner, JV	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
1075982	H. Dale Kane	[redacted]	San Antonio	TX
312007	Richard J. Green	[redacted]	Converse	TX
312002	Bradshaw Real Estate, LTD	[redacted]	Corpus Christi	TX
312003	Mark Lindig & Leonard Snocker	[redacted]	Converse	TX
312004	Muhammad A. Choudary & Khurshid A. Choudary	[redacted]	Converse	TX
311995	Brian K. Whitaker and Terri L. Whitaker	[redacted]	New Braunfels	TX
1076285	John S. Leigh	[redacted]	Spring	TX
	N/A			TX
685422	Utility Trailer Sales Southeast Texas, Inc.	[redacted]	Houston	TX
685387	MBCI Operating, LP	[redacted]	Houston	TX
685423	DJK, Inc.	[redacted]	Odessa	TX

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El Departamento de Transporte de Texas (TxDOT, por sus siglas en inglés) hospedará un foro informativo el 22 de Mayo de 2018, para presentar las mejoras propuestas a FM 1516 desde I-10 hasta FM 78, en Converse, Condado de Bexar, Texas. Las mejoras propuestas incluyen la ampliación del ancho de la vía añadiendo un carril en cada dirección a FM 1516 entre I-10 y FM 78, además de añadir carriles de viraje a la izquierda, carril de bicicletas y aceras.

Foro Informativo

Cualquier persona interesada en el proyecto está invitada a asistir al foro informativo. No habrá una presentación formal, los asistentes podrán ir y venir a su conveniencia. Los asistentes tendrán la oportunidad de ver esquemas del proyecto propuesto, conocer a los miembros del equipo, hacer preguntas y compartir sus comentarios sobre el proyecto.

Detalles del Foro Informativo

Fecha: 22 de Mayo de 2018

Hora: 5:00 -7:00 p.m.

Ubicación: Judson High School
9142 FM 78
Converse, Texas 78109

El foro informativo se realizará en inglés. Se recomienda que las personas que esten interesadas en asistir al foro informativo y que tengan necesidades especiales de comunicación o que requieran de acomodaciones especiales que se comuniquen con Courtney Blechle al (832) 351-7918 al menos cinco días antes del foro informativo. Se realizarán todos los esfuerzos razonables para satisfacer estas necesidades. Para cualquier pregunta general del proyecto, favor de comunicarse con Richard De La Cruz, P.E. al (210) 615-6434.

Para enviar comentarios

- Llene una tarjeta de comentario escrita
- Enviar comentarios por correo a la siguiente dirección:
  FM 1516 Improvement Plan
  Attn: Courtney Blechle
  P.O. Box 53495
  Houston, Texas 77052
- Correo electrónico: fm1516project@gmail.com

Todos los comentarios deben de recibirse o ser sellados por el servicio postal a más tardar el **Miercoles 6 de Junio de 2018.**

La revisión del impacto ambiental, las consultas y otras acciones requeridas por las leyes federales ambientales vigentes para este proyecto se están llevando a cabo o se han llevado a cabo por TxDOT conforme al 23 U.S.C. 327 y a un memorando de entendimiento de fecha 16 de Diciembre de 2014. Asimismo, estas han sido ejecutadas por la Administración de Carreteras Federales y TxDOT.

C.
Sign-in Sheets

PUBLIC SIGN-IN SHEET

FM 1516 from I-10 E. to FM 78
Open House
CSJ: 1477-01-043
Judson High School
Tuesday, May 22, 2018

Name	Affiliation	Mailing Address
Oscar Alvarado		[redacted]
Andy + Joylene Herrera		[redacted]
Mark Punjani		
Ed + Helen Smith		
Steven Schneider		
Sarah Heam		
James Grace, Jr		
Rose Ann Adams		
Leon A Adams		
Warren Hubert		

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Name	Affiliation	Mailing Address
Rebecca Pollock	property owner	[redacted]
Mark Spurrad	PAE HOA	
Douglas Rakowitz	neighborhood	
Bobby Tuttle	.	
Denise Desoteaux	Homeowner	
Jon Lindgren	Homeowner	
Anita Parker	resident	
Jasmine Walkes	home owner	
Angie Peña	homeowner	
Gaytano Hernandez	land/homeowner	

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Name	Affiliation	Mailing Address
Sheena Clark	Resident	[redacted]
Eve Brown	Resident	
Debra McClendon	resident	
Joshua James Steelman	Resident	
Rita Orange	resident	
Julie Wesch-Valdez	resident	
[illegible]	"	
Rick Voske	resident	
Lisa Pfeiffer	RESIDENT	
Lewis Hooker	RESIDENT	

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Name	Affiliation	Mailing Address
JOHN TRUE	PRESIDENT ESD # 11	[redacted]
Delia Jimenez		
Rupesh Patel.	Best Western Plus San Antonio East I-10 & FM 1516	
David Rakowitz		
PAUL LANDA	MTR ENGINEERS	
Steve Sartani	San Antonio Travel Center	

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Name	Affiliation	Mailing Address
DENNIS STARNES		[redacted]
DAVID BOVINGTON		
Tim Toll		
Stephen Diss		
CHARLES COMPARINI		
Michael Dittrich		

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ELECTED OFFICIALS SIGN-IN SHEET

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Name	Affiliation	Mailing Address
DALE KANE	LANDOWNER	[redacted]
Joan Lindgren	Converse City Council	
Joey Pawlik	Rep. Gervin-Hawkins	

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STAFF SIGN-IN SHEET

FM 1516 from I-10 E. to FM 78
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Name	Organization
Lizeth Sandoval	TxDOT
Beiz Columaxi	TxDOT
Mark Mash	TxDOT
Laura Lopez	TxDOT
Juan Alcazar	TxDOT
Javier De La Cerda	TxDOT
Taylor Hibbens	TxDOT
Pat Nolasco	TxDOT

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Name	Organization
EDDIE GONZALEZ	TxDOT
RICH MARTINEZ	TXDOT
Rebecca Fox	TxDOT
Melissa Bernal	TXDOT
DANIEL WORDEN	TXDOT
FERNANDO FLORES	TxDOT
CLAYTON RIPPS	TxDOT
Barrington West	TxDOT
LIANG DING	TxDOT
~~James Grace~~ Brian Witherall	TxDOT

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Name	Organization
Courtney Blechle	Jacobs
Greg Parrent	Jacobs.
Patrick Massey	Jacobs
Bobbie Penrice	JACOBS
Justin Bathe	Jacobs
Leonel Prieto	Jacobs
FARAH ANWAR	JACOBS

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D.
Comments Received

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Email Comments

Gmail

Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

FM1516 from I10 to 78

Denise Descoteaux [redacted] Wed, May 16, 2018 at 6:45 PM
To: "fm1516project@gmail.com" <fm1516project@gmail.com>

I live in the Key Largo subdivision which is the closest to I10. While I do not relish more construction going on when the we have not even finished the I10 construction that will redo the bridge at 1516, we desperately need road improvement. With all of the new housing construction, I have a very hard time getting out the subdivision in the morning and as there is only one entrance to the subdivision, I must use 1516. With the widening of the lanes I would like to request street lighting at the entrance of the subdivision because there are no lights on the entrance and it is very dangerous at night. Is this something that can be accommodated? There is no HOA in this subdivision and only 150 houses so covering the cost independently is not an option but with more traffic we some assistance in the form of lighting and maybe even traffic lights.

Thank you,

Denise Descoteaux

Sent from Mail for Windows 10

Gmail

Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Requesting illumination lights in Key Largo Subdivision

Joseph Agnew [redacted] Wed, May 23, 2018 at 5:20 PM
To: fm1516project@gmail.com

I would like to have illumination lights placed in our subdivision which is on fm1516. Please assist if you can.

Gmail

Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Rocket Plaza Left Turn

Litte Caesars [redacted] Tue, May 22, 2018 at 9:00 PM
To: fm1516project@gmail.com
Cc: Bhaijaan <sapunjani@gmail.com>, Mark Punjani <markpunjani@yahoo.com>, Sunny Punjani <sunnypunjani@yahoo.com>

Hello

I was there at the meeting this evening and I want to ensure that there will be an ability to make a left turn on 1516 heading towards I-10 for our customers.

I don't understand the drawing fully. Please advise and see attached image explaining the left turn in red within the blue circle.

Sunny Punjani
210-386-8177

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Gmail

Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Street lights-Key Largo Subdivision

Kristi Booth[redacted] Wed, May 23, 2018 at 5:27 PM
To: fm1516project@gmail.com

Good afternoon

Thank you for providing information on the expansion of FM 1516. I would like to add that street lights at the entrance of the Key Largo subdivision is needed and would be welcomed by the community.

Thank you
Kristi

Gmail

Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Illumination

Laura Martinez [redacted] Wed, May 23, 2018 at 6:16 PM
Reply-[redacted]
To: "fm1516project@gmail.com" <fm1516project@gmail.com>

I live at Parc at Escondido off of 1516 and am sending this email requesting more street lights.

Thank you,
Laura Banda

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

Gmail

Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Illumination request

Reyna Peterson [redacted] Wed, May 23, 2018 at 6:39 PM
To: "fm1516project@gmail.com" <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Could we please get street lights in Key Largo subdivision, it is a safety issue and huge inconvenience without illumination

Sent from my iPhone
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Gmail

Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Suggestions

Reyna Peterson [redacted] Fri, May 25, 2018 at 7:26 AM
To: "fm1516project@gmail.com" <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Could we please get street lights with this project
Sent from my iPhone
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Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Illumination

Dawn Oris [redacted] Wed, May 23, 2018 at 6:43 PM
To: fm1516project@gmail.com

Please add lights to the entrance of the Key Largo subdivision the visibility during hours of darkness is poor

Sent from my iPhone

Gmail

Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

(no subject)

Susan bosquez [redacted] Wed, May 23, 2018 at 6:52 PM
To: fm1516project@gmail.com

Hi my name is Susan Bosquez and I live in the Key Largo subdivision off of 1516. I'm requesting illumination in or around my subdivision. It's very dark without any lights and it's very unsafe. Thank you for any upgrades in the area.

Susan Bosquez
3834 Bogie Way

Gmail

Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Key Largo Subdivision

Emily Jarmon [redacted] Wed, May 23, 2018 at 7:40 PM
To: "fm1516project@gmail.com" <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Hello, I'm asking if we could please get some illumination in the Key Largo Subdivision

Sent from my MetroPCS 4G LTE Android device

Gmail

Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

(no subject)

Frank Vega [redacted] Wed, May 23, 2018 at 7:07 PM
To: fm1516project@gmail.com

We live in the Key Largo community and yes we would like to have some street lights (illumination).

FM 1516 from I10 to FM78

CSJ 1477-01-043

Michael Dittrich

[redacted]

[redacted]

Self

Comment:

1. Looking at the intersection of I10 and 1516, there will be at five lanes and when you look over the fence (1516 south of I10), there are no plans. It would be nice to stub out at minimum of 100 or more feet to match up 1516 to the north. With at least four lanes.
2. On the north side of I10 for the south bound traffic (1516) to add a right hand turn lane (for at least 30 to 100 feet) and allow a double right hand turn at the intersection. That should be over fifty percent of the traffic flow.

   Other
   Looking at the plans I10 at 1516 it is draw as a four-lane freeway. What are the real plans for I10 at I10 is it going to be a six or eight lane freeway. I10 should be at least eight lanes to 1604 or 1518. Then six lanes to the county line, Sequin or SH130.

Gmail

Courtney Blechle <fm1516project@gmail.com>

Comments

1 message

Steven Schneider <sas2themax@gmail.com> Sat, May 26, 2018 at 1:45 PM
To: fm1516project@gmail.com

Sir/Ma'am,

Attached are my comments and questions.

Please feel free to forward to whomever your counterpart happens to be in the City of Converse.

Respectfully,

--
Steven Schneider
Converse, Texas

FM 1516 Road Project Analysis.pptx
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IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT SOME ISSUES INVOLVE THE CITY OF CONVERSE, HOWEVER, FOR THE PUBLIC TO BE INFORMED OF ALL POSSIBLE OR POTENTIAL IMPACTS, THE ANALYSIS MUST BE A COLLABORATIVE EFFORT WITH ONE CLEARLY DEFINES AND UNDERSTOOD ANALYSIS.

FACTS:

- This section of Texas is Karst Topography.
- Certain sections of Astoria Place and adjacent areas are seeing issues based on drainage (slide 6)
- Increasing capacity of FM 1516 will draw some commercial traffic from IH-35 and FM 1604
- Major development is planned for land adjacent to FM 1516 (slide 5).
- Replacing soil with residential/commercial construction will change drainage "*Time of Concentration*" and will impact "*Place of Concentration*."
- There already exists "Special Flood Hazzard Areas as defined by the US Geological Service (USGS, slides 3/4).
- The environmental considerations (drainage) for this project HAVE NOT (according to sources at the TxDOT Open House) been coordinated with like analysis from Converse planned or envisioned development.
- Although bike and pedestrian paths/sidewalks are part of the plan, they have not been integrated with problematic areas, most notably surrounding Judson High School.
- In the past year there have been at least two accidents at the intersection of Rocket lane and FM 1516 causing damage to guardrails (1).
- In the past several years there have been several accidents at the intersection of FM 78 and FM 1516, at least one of which required medical air evacuation (1).
- The southwestern end of project area has a significant amount of commercial real estate.

ISSUE/QUESTION

- This is a robust project. What was the impetis?
- Increased traffic will increase risk exposure. What is being done to mitigate risk? (weight limits and speed)
- FM 1516 will become increasingly popular for commercial traffic. The city of Converse should limit commercial development and commercial traffic to the southwestern end of FM 1516.
- Will noise abatement measures be built and who will fund them?
- Most walking traffic on Crestway appears to be to/from bus stops. Sidewalks and bike paths sound great but who will use them and to go where? Is there a larger plan or vision for recreation?
- Drainage and sub-soil implications need to be worked collaboratively with all echelons of government with special emphasis on USGS designated Special Flood Hazard Areas (see slide 3).
- Are more traffic control measured (traffic lights etc).
- Has potential impacts of the lowlands adjacent to FM 1604, and impacted by this projec t been coordinated with Texas DNR?

(1) Based on my observations only. The number of accidents at these locations are assuredly higher.

NOTICE OF OPEN HOUSE
FM 1516 from I-10 to FM 78, Converse
Bexar County, Texas
CSJ: 1477-01-043

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will host an open house on May 22, 2018, to present proposed improvements to FM 1516 from I-10 to FM 78 in Converse, Bexar County, Texas. The proposed improvements include roadway widening by adding a lane in each direction on FM 1516 between I-10 and FM 78, adding continuous left turn lanes, bicycle lanes, and sidewalks.

Open House

Anyone interested in the project is invited to attend the open house. There will be no formal presentation, so attendees can come and go at their convenience. Attendees will have the opportunity to view schematics of the proposed improvements, visit with team members, ask questions and share their comments on the project.

Open House Details

Date: May 22, 2018

Time: 5:00 -7:00 p.m.

Location: Judson High School
9142 FM 78
Converse, Texas 78109

The open house will be conducted in English. Persons interested in attending the meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to contact Courtney Blechle at (832) 351-7918 at least five days prior to the open house. Every reasonable effort will be made to accommodate these needs. For any general project questions, please contact Richard De La Cruz, P.E. at (210) 615-6434.

Submitting Comments

- Complete a written comment card at the meeting
- Submit comments by mail:
  FM 1516 Improvement Plan
  Attn: Courtney Blechle
  P.O. Box 53495
  Houston, Texas 77052
- Email: fm1516project@gmail.com

All comments must be received or postmarked by: **Wednesday, June 6, 2018.**

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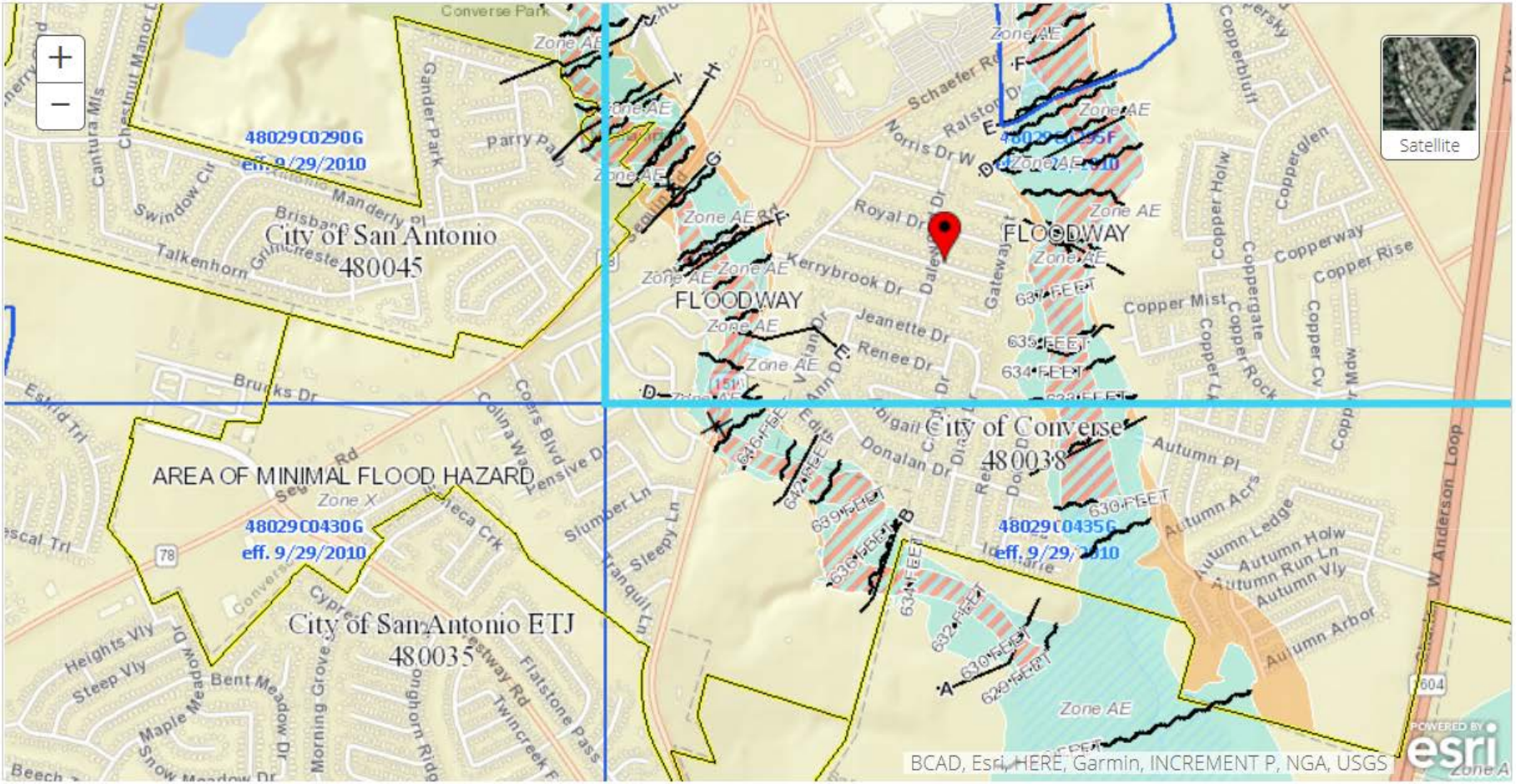

MAP PANELS
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- No Digital Data Available
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OTHER AREAS
- NO SCREEN Area of Minimal Flood Hazard Zone X
- Effective LOMRs
- Area of Undetermined Flood Hazard Zone D

GENERAL STRUCTURES
- Channel, Culvert, or Storm Sewer
- Levee, Dike, or Floodwall

SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREAS
- Without Base Flood Elevation (BFE) Zone A, V, A99
- With BFE or Depth
- Regulatory Floodway Zone AE, AO, AH, VE, AR

OTHER AREAS OF FLOOD HAZARD
- 0.2% Annual Chance Flood Hazard, Areas of 1% annual chance flood with average depth less than one foot or with drainage areas of less than one square mile Zone X
- Future Conditions 1% Annual Chance Flood Hazard Zone X
- Area with Reduced Flood Risk due to Levee. See Notes. Zone X
- Area with Flood Risk due to Levee Zone D

OTHER FEATURES
- 20.2 Cross Sections with 1% Annual Chance
- 17.5 Water Surface Elevation
- Coastal Transect
- 513 Base Flood Elevation Line (BFE)
- Limit of Study
- Jurisdiction Boundary
- Coastal Transect Baseline
- Profile Baseline
- Hydrographic Feature

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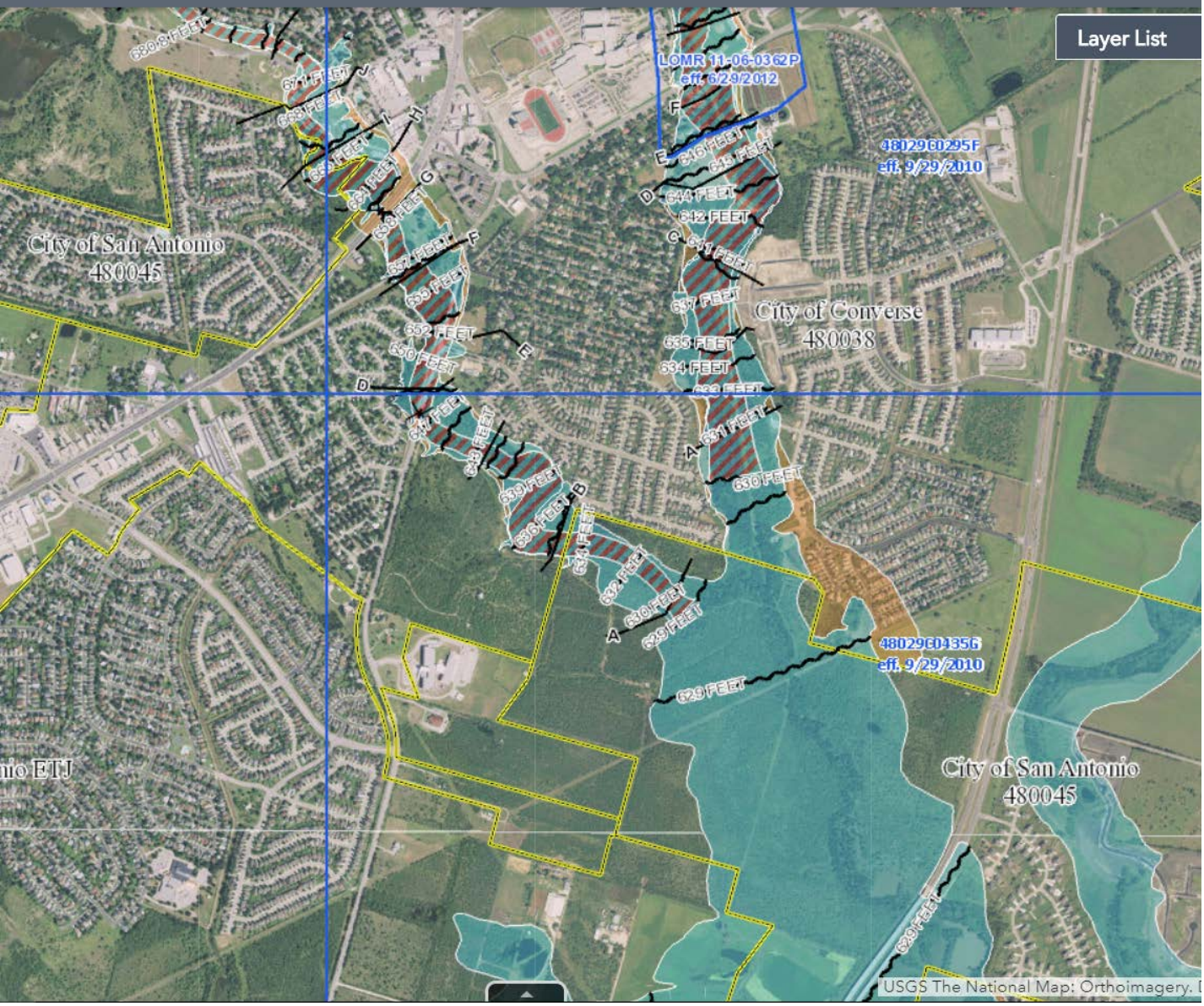

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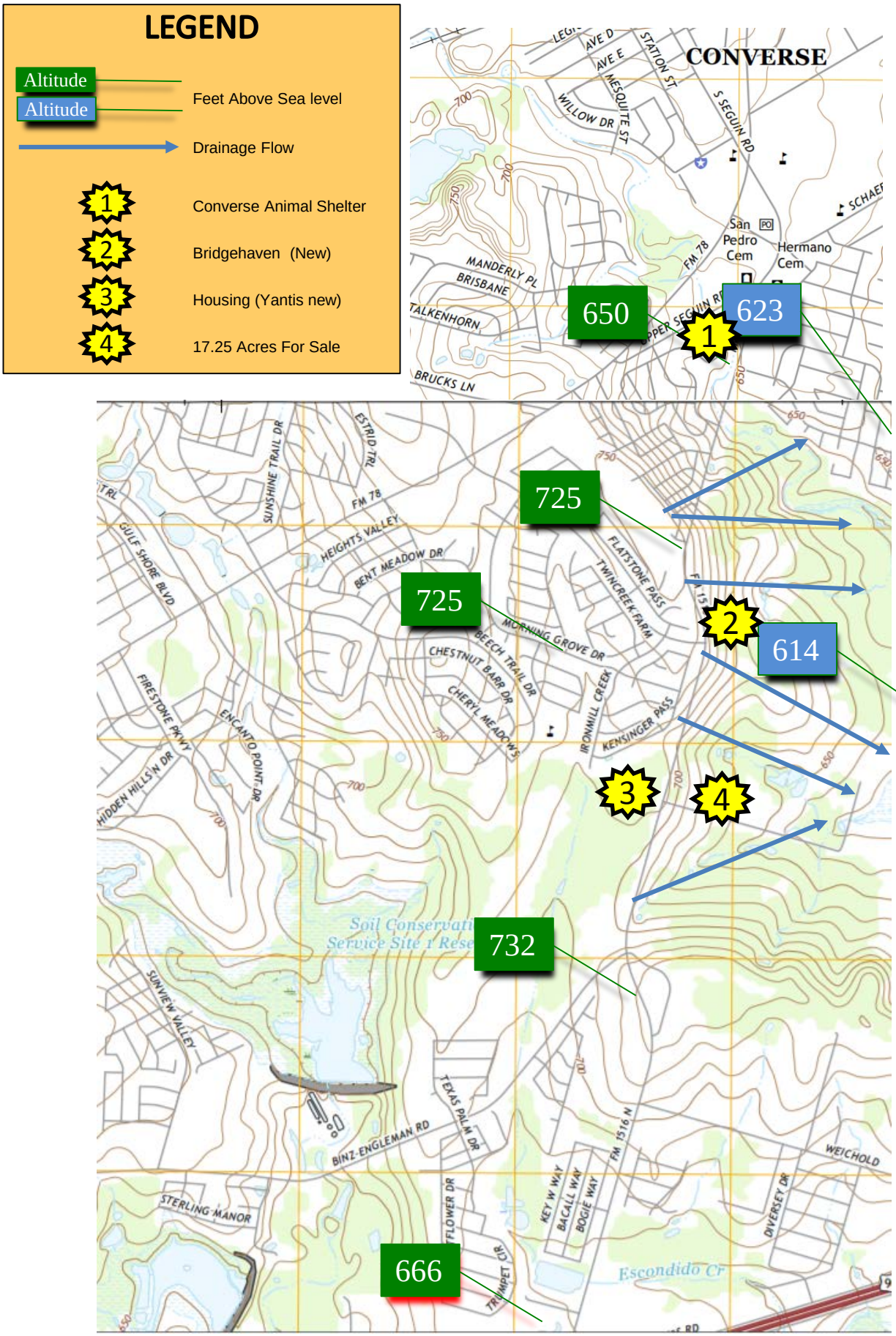

Even new street surfaces (about 1 year old) are starting to fail.

Significant ground shifting seems to be increasing based on recent street/sidewalk work in the past year.

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America's duchess

Newlyweds Prince Harry and Duchess Meghan of Sussex greet well-wishers at Windsor Castle. A22

San Antonio Express-News

Grim Santa Fe details emerging

Still unknown is what led t

By Mark Collette, Samantha Ketterer, Nick Powell and Robert Downen

The Santa Fe baseball team was down 7-0 in Kingwood Park on Saturday night.

"Let's go fellas, let's go!" members of the crowd chanted, stomping their feet on the bleachers.

It could have been a scene from any other soggy late spring night, but for the crowds painted on faces.

The initials of shooting victims were written on tape around wrists, on a tape cross fashioned over the chapel with the words, "missed but never forgotten."

A forest of Santa Fe green packed the stands at Deer Park High, stretching down to packs of people standing along the third base line.

Just 36 hours earlier, many of those people were running out of the deadliest school massacre in Texas in 10 years.

Drainage and soil erosion (surface and sub-surface) should be a collaborative effort between City/ County/State and be based on a 100 year storm.

A student weeps after retrieving her belongings that had been left inside Santa Fe High School.

FIVE YEARS AGO, CITY WAS AWASH IN FLOODING

A portion of U.S. 281 was left underwater in the wake of the deadly Memorial Day weekend deluge in 2015.

And now, work continues to alleviate probems in the future

By Scott Huddleston

In the five years since a record-breaking storm dumped more than a foot of rain in parts of San Antonio, local leaders have stepped up efforts to save lives and property during floods.

The Memorial Day weekend deluge of 2015 killed three people in Bexar County, swamped businesses and homes and dislodged hundreds of residents.

The water rose so fast it lifted a VIA bus traveling along McCullough Avenue off its wheels. Hours and hours of pounding storm submerged part of U.S. 281 near the Alamo Quarry Market, pinching off first major artery for several days.

Farther south, along the San Antonio River, residents of Mission and Espada roads had no idea a

Work continues along a new drainage channel being built as part of the Harbors Drive drainage project.

time they were evacuated.

Nearly, where a massive project was underway to beautify and restore the Mission Reach to its natural contours, the rampaging water had other ideas. It tore into the new river banks, undermined trails and deposited stone than 17,000 pounds of garbage and debris, plus some go

methods to alleviate floods.

Before the 2015 storm, city and county officials already had a design in place to build an underground storm sewer in the Fred Stevens Hills neighborhood near the Olmos Basin. But after seeing the damage wrought by the huge volume of water that passed through the neighborhood that Saturday morning of the holiday weekend, engineers were forced to rethink the earlier design, which would have required tunneling in people's backyards to keep the work within a small footprint, said Peter Green, the county's director of public works.

"There was just no way to make that project work," he said. "We engaged with the city and we said, 'There's got to be a better way to look at this.'"

As part of a 10-year,

Story of colony is in last chapter

By John MacCormack

CHARAL, Mexico — After months of searching for cheap farmland in Mexico, George Ehrlich, a small-town visionary from Oklahoma, in late 2002 found himself looking at a vast barren tract south of Ciudad Victoria.

"Upon my first view of the valley in the company of the agent of the Bosque Hipotecario, I was so impressed by the beauty of the scene before me, by the luxuriance of the foliage and the apparent richness of the land, that I exclaimed to myself, 'Here, still,'" he recalled in his journal.

This began the first chapter of the Ehrlich Mexico Colony, an American settlement approved by the Mexican government that covered almost 300,000 semi-tropical acres in the state of Tamaulipas.

At its peak, early in the last century, Charal, as

the community was called, had between 300 and 600 residents, most from rural Oklahoma.

Over the decades, San Antonio would emerge as a meaningful base for many of them. Some sent their children there to be educated. Others came to San Antonio to find work or safety.

Many descendants of the settlers live in San Antonio today, and in

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Written Comments

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FM 1516 desde I-10 E. hasta FM 78
ORO INFORMATIVO
CSJ: 1477-01-043
Judson High School
Martes, 22 DE MAYO DE 2018

(POR FAVOR USE LETRA DE MOLDE)

NOMBRE: Courtney Hernandez

DIRECCION: [redacted]

REPRESENTANDO: Converse, 78109 / Homeowner

(Código de Transporte de Texas, §201.811(a)(5)): marque todas las casillas que apliquen:

- ❑ Yo trabajo con TxDOT
- ❑ Yo hago negocios con TxDOT
- ❑ Yo podría beneficiarme monetariamente a causa de este Proyecto o a causa de otros detalles sobre los que estoy comentando

COMENTARIOS: We are concerned about the traffic situation that will exist & exist now. Since the closing/redirection of IH10 access roads traffic has become hazardous on Weichold Road. Speed is 30MPH but traffic moves at 40-70 MPH. This road is a 1½ lane old county road. Residents have only access from 1516 only or go around IH10E to 1604 to get home. Will TxDot widen Weichold to accomodate traffic during construction?

Para enviar comentarios

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NAME: Sarrah Hearn

ADDRESS: [redacted]

REPRESENTING: Hearn Co

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COMMENTS: We have a Construction Company right off FM 1516 and widening this Road will cause a more dangerous exit for our larger trucks How can TxDot help give warning to drivers to be prepared to stop or slow down if truck is pulling out of our drive way Since you will not put up a traffic signal making a safer exit for the large equipment? Trucks?

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NAME: DAVID COVINGTON

ADDRESS: [redacted]

REPRESENTING: Covington Property 1516 @ Bruce Engleman

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COMMENTS:

Am concerned about change in drainage with potential to concentrate runoff not previously received into a storm drain outfall on our property. Would like to see proposed estimated flow in peak rain and area of pavement that is being drained to this outfall.

Thanks

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NAME: Denise Descoteaux

ADDRESS: [redacted]

REPRESENTING: Self

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COMMENTS:

Please consider a streetlight at the entrance of Key Large Subdivision. It is very dark at night and there is no lighting at the entrance. There have been numerous serious accidents at the location both north and southbound.

Denise Descoteaux

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NAME: Eve Brown

ADDRESS: [redacted]

REPRESENTING: self

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COMMENTS: I am concerned about lighting on 1516 especially into our subdivision - Key Largo

I am happy about 4 lanes and turn lane and walking and bicycle path

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NAME: Stephen Diss

ADDRESS: [redacted]

REPRESENTING:

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COMMENTS: Improvement to align the 1516 - Binz Ingleman intersection to eliminate the dogleg turn.

This project should happen sooner then planned. over 1000 new homes are going to be built before the planned start.

Thank you

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NAME: DALE KANE

ADDRESS: [redacted]

REPRESENTING: DIRT DEALERS + PLACID INVESTMENTS

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COMMENTS: WALZEM INTERSECTION

NOTE THE THROUGHFARE PLAN FOR WALZEM EXTENSION INTO INTERSECTION WITH 1516/BINZ EG. PROPERTY IS CURRENTLY UNDER DEVELOPMENT FOR SINGLE FAMILY

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NAME: Warren Hubert

ADDRESS: [redacted]

REPRESENTING:

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COMMENTS: THESE IMPROVEMENTS ARE GREATLY NEEDED. THERE ARE SEVERAL NEW SUBDIVISIONS BEING BUILT OF 1516 AND TRAFFIC IS GREATLY CONGESTED. TRAFFIC SIGNALS AT 1516 AND I10 ARE NEEDED IMMEDIATELY

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NAME: LISA PFEIFFER

ADDRESS: [redacted]

REPRESENTING: CONEN (Coalition of NE Neighborhoods)

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COMMENTS: Drainage engineers need to seriously look at the flooding that occurs at the entrance to Astoria Place Community where Donalan Dr. and FM1516 intersect. If not, continued flooding/water accumulation will deteriorate any improvements made in that area.

Thanks for doing the OPEN HOUSE - very well staffed and set up!

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NAME: Sheena Clark

ADDRESS: [redacted]

REPRESENTING: Self

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COMMENTS: Thank you for hosting this open house. The diagrams were very informative and the TDOT employees I conversed with were eager to answer any and all questions I had. I'm not happy about the road expansion because of the increased traffic noise I will experience, but I understand the necessity of facilitating new ways to manage traffic volume. Thank you for your time!

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(POR FAVOR USE LETRA DE MOLDE)

NOMBRE: DENNIS STARNES

DIRECCION: [redacted]

REPRESENTANDO: KEY LARGO SUBDIVISION

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COMENTARIOS: STREET LIGHTS ON CORNER OF LARGO AND 1516

NICE PRESENTATION
(MUCH NEEDED IMPROVEMENTS)

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BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS

JUDSON HIGH SCHOOL (CAFETERIA)

9142 FM 78

CONVERSE, TEXAS 78109

MAY 22, 2018

5:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.

1 MR. JAMES GRACE, JR: So I think it's a
2 very good idea to have the expansion, but they -- they
3 need to -- do they have a great time frame? Would like
4 to get it done soon rather than later. My only concern
5 is about the -- the floodplains, how are they going to
6 address those. Because they're going through a couple
7 of hundred-year floodplains with that road, so how are
8 they going to address that? So that's something that
9 I -- Are they going to put bridges in there? So I -- I
10 don't -- I don't know. That's what -- that's what I'm
11 looking at. Because I've seen a lot of flooding over
12 the years. That's my comment.
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3 COUNTY OF BEXAR)
4 STATE OF TEXAS)
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7 Shorthand Reporter in and for the State of Texas, do
8 hereby certify that this transcript is as true and
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10 computer-aided transcription.
11 And further certify that I am not a
12 relative or employee of any of the parties hereto, nor
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14 session.
15 WITNESS MY HAND, this the 24th day of May,
16 A.D. 2018.
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COMMENTS: _____

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REPRESENTANDO: _____

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COMENTARIOS:_____

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Open House Exhibits

WELCOME

FM 1516: I-10 E. TO FM 78

Open House

Judson High School

Tuesday, May 22, 2018 | 5:00-7:00pm

Why am I here?

- Learn about the proposed project
- Provide comments on the proposed project.

Environmental Statement

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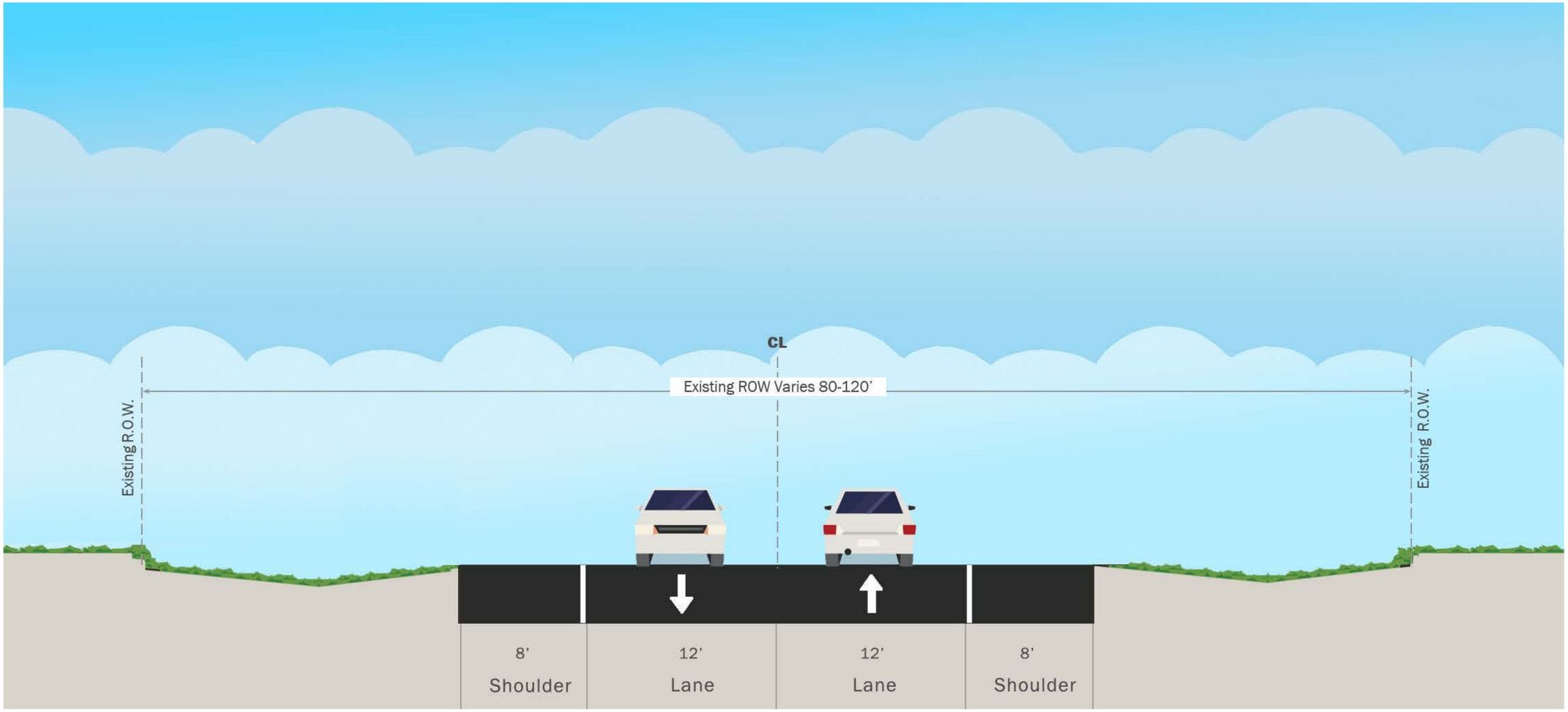
What is Being Proposed

- Expand FM 1516 from two-lanes to four-lanes with left turn lanes and raised medians
- Add dedicated bike lanes and sidewalks on both sides of FM 1516
- Drainage improvements – drainage ditches and underground storm sewer
- Project would require additional right of way and utility adjustments

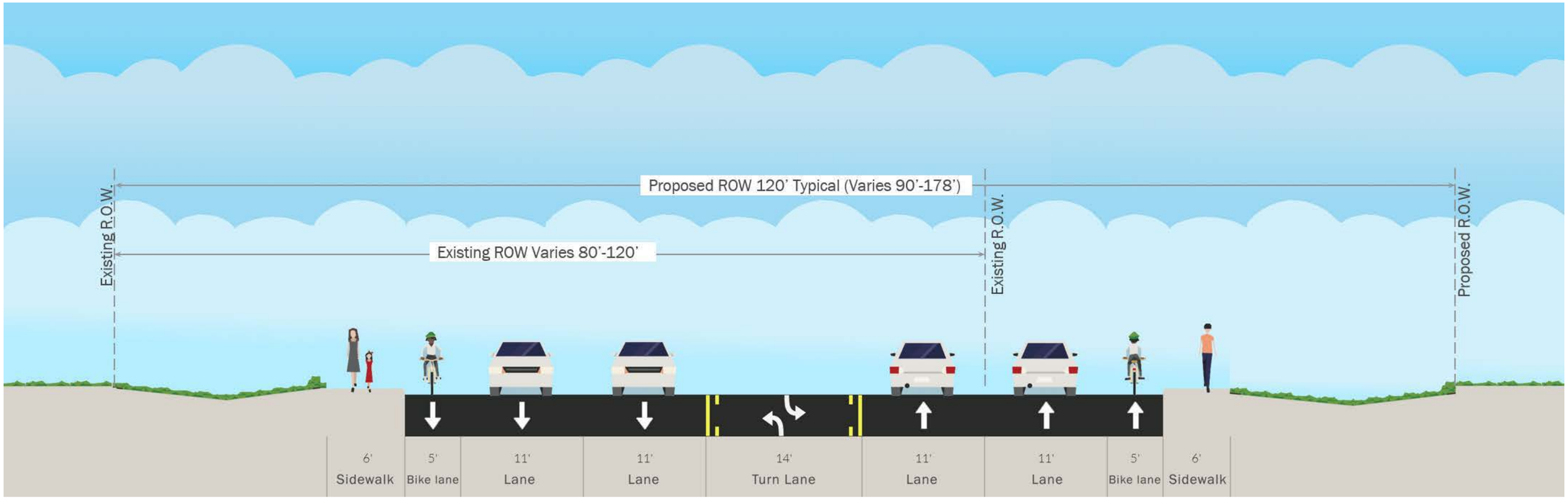
Existing Sections - FM 1516



Existing FM 1516 Includes:

- 12 foot travel lanes
- 8 foot shoulders
- Existing ROW varies from 80 to 120 feet

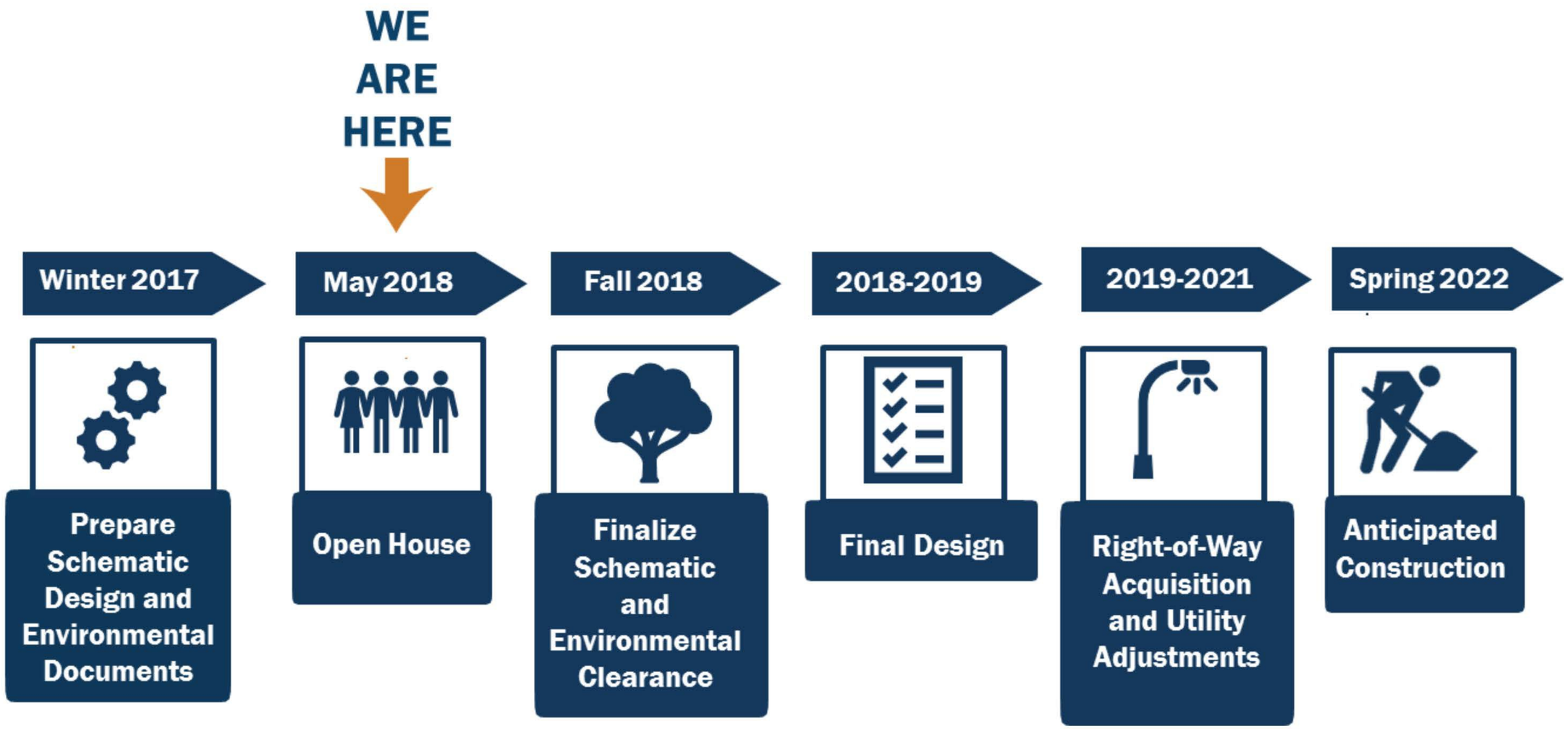
Proposed Sections - FM 1516



Proposed FM 1516 Typical Section Includes:

- 11 foot travel lanes
- 12 foot continuous two-way center left turn lane
- 5 foot bike lanes
- Adding curbs and sidewalks along both sides of the road

Project Schedule*



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How Can I Make Comments?

Placement comment card in **comment box**

Provide **verbal** comments to court reporter

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Open House Presentation

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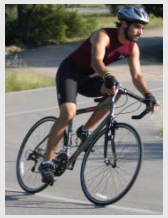
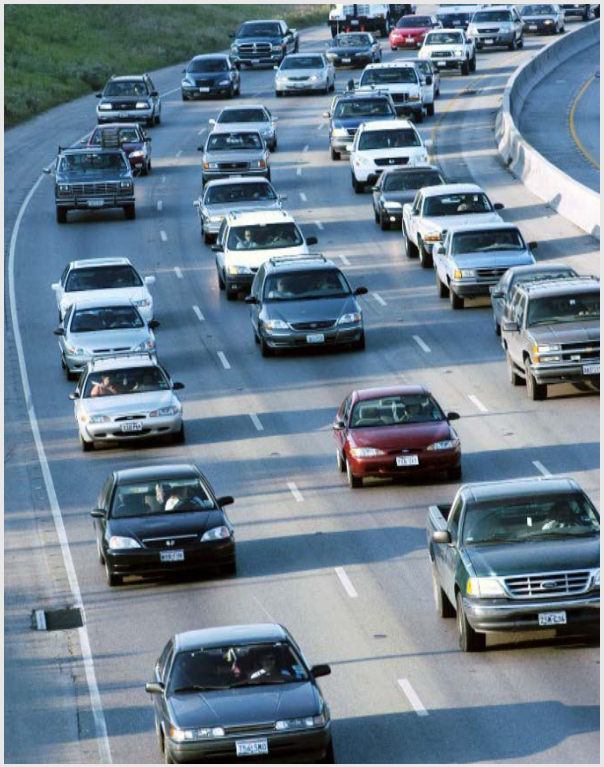




FM 1516

Open House

May 22, 2018

FM 1516

FROM: I-10 E.

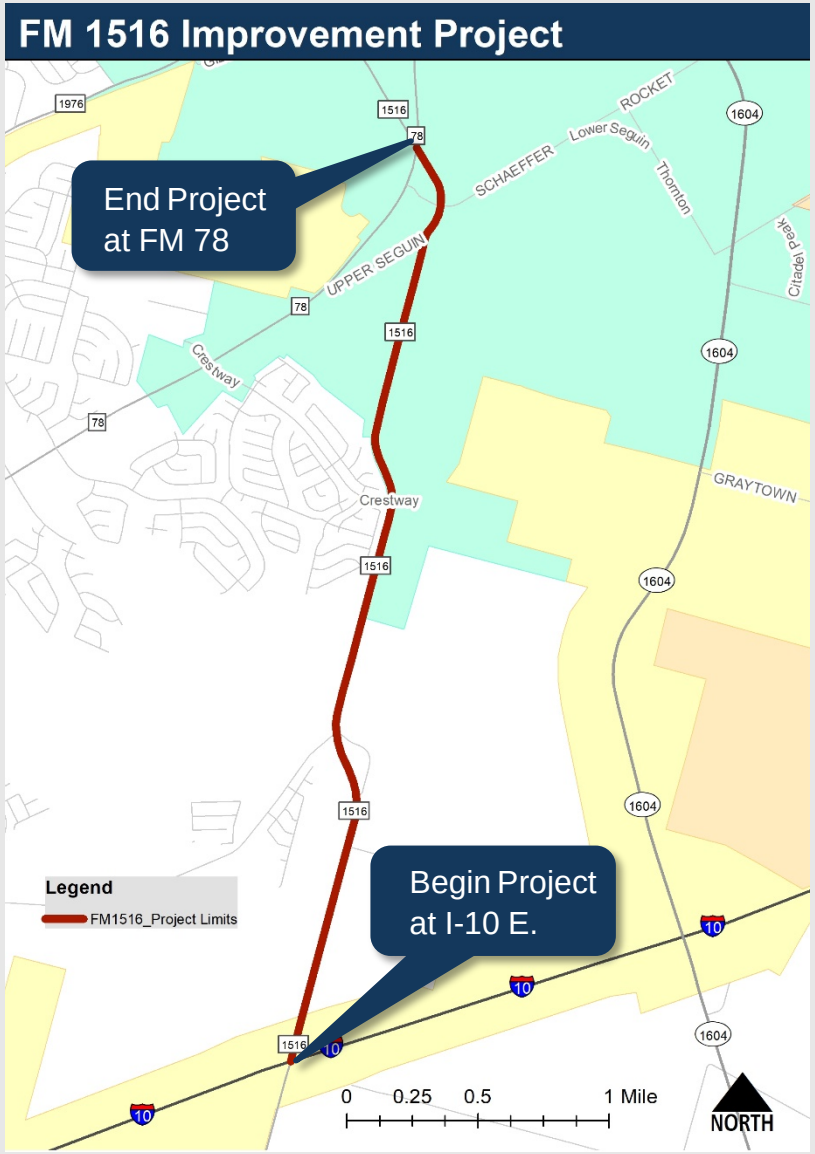
TO: FM 78

BEXAR COUNTY

- OPEN HOUSE
- May 22, 2018
- 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Judson High School
9142 FM 78
Converse, TX

Project Location Map



Proposed Improvement Project

- Expand FM 1516 from two-lanes to four-lanes with left turn lanes and raised medians.
- Add dedicated bike lanes and sidewalks on both sides of FM 1516.
- Drainage improvements – drainage ditches and underground storm sewer.
- Project would require additional right of way and utility adjustments.

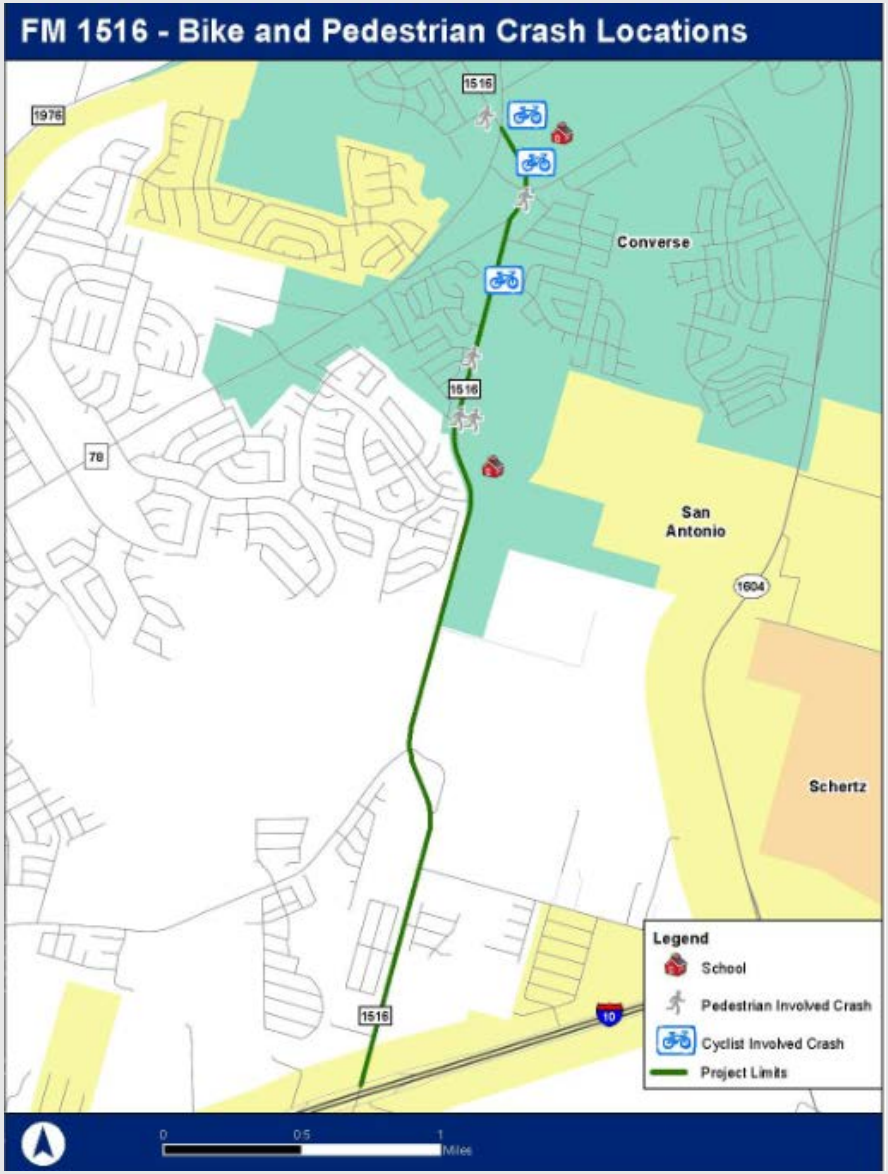
Crash Data

- The crash rate in the project area is identified to be higher than the state average.
- Crash analysis included crash location, date and time, severity, crash type, crash injury classification and other factors.
- Majority of the crashes took place in intersections along the corridor.
- Rear-end crashes are most frequent.

Year	FM 1516 Crashes – explain total or all types	Length (mi)	Annual Daily Traffic	FM 1516 Crash Rates (per 100M vehicle miles)	Statewide Average Crash Rates (per 100M vehicle miles)
2011	31	3.77	9,850	228.7	180.06
2012	35	3.77	9,400	270.6	187.87
2013	46	3.77	11,185	298.9	183.74
2014	38	3.77	9,617	287.2	209.86
2015	53	3.77	12,174	316.4	250.50

Bike and Pedestrian Crash Locations on FM 1516

- From 2011-2015 there were 81 injury related crashes.
- Eight of which, or 10%, of the total injury-related incidents involved bicyclists and pedestrians. (2011-2015)

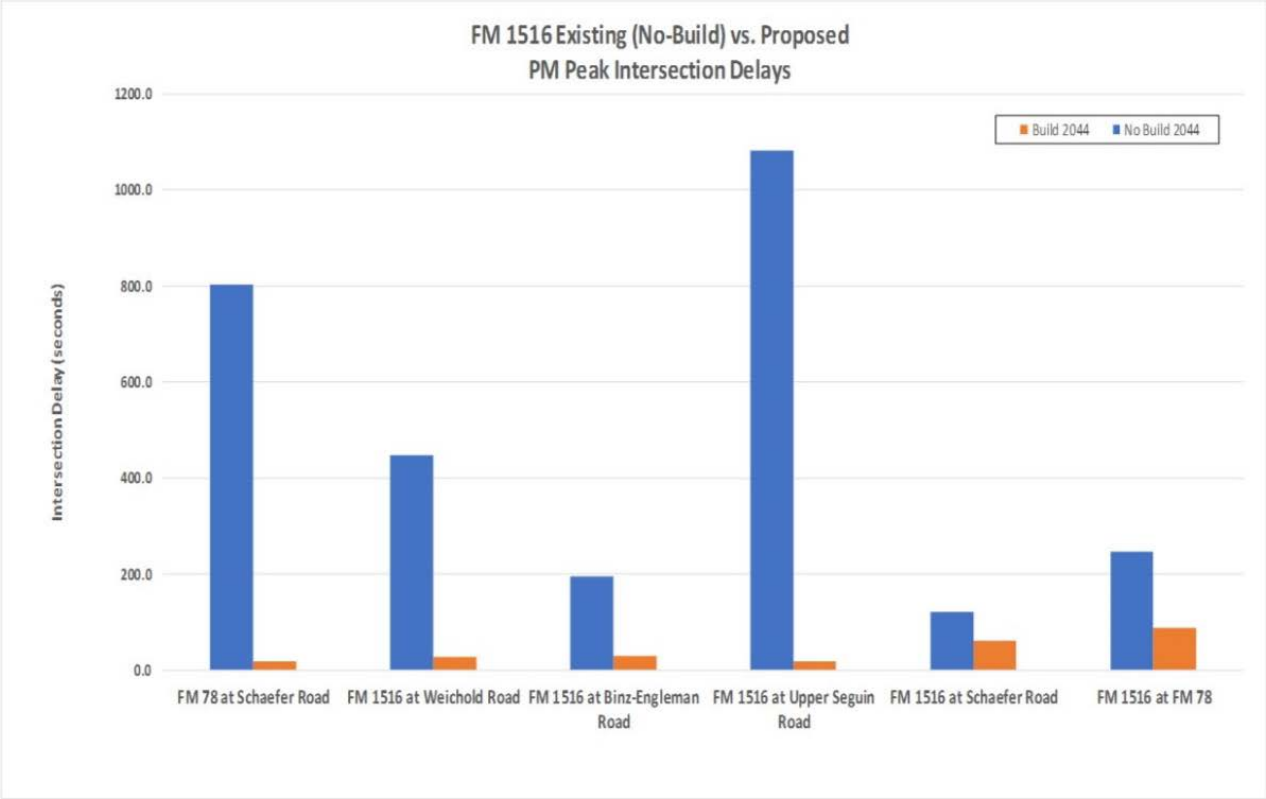


Future Traffic Predictions

Current (2016) 13,300 vehicles per day;

Projected (2044) 26,900 vehicles per day

FM 1516 Existing (No-Build) vs. Proposed
PM Peak Intersection Delays



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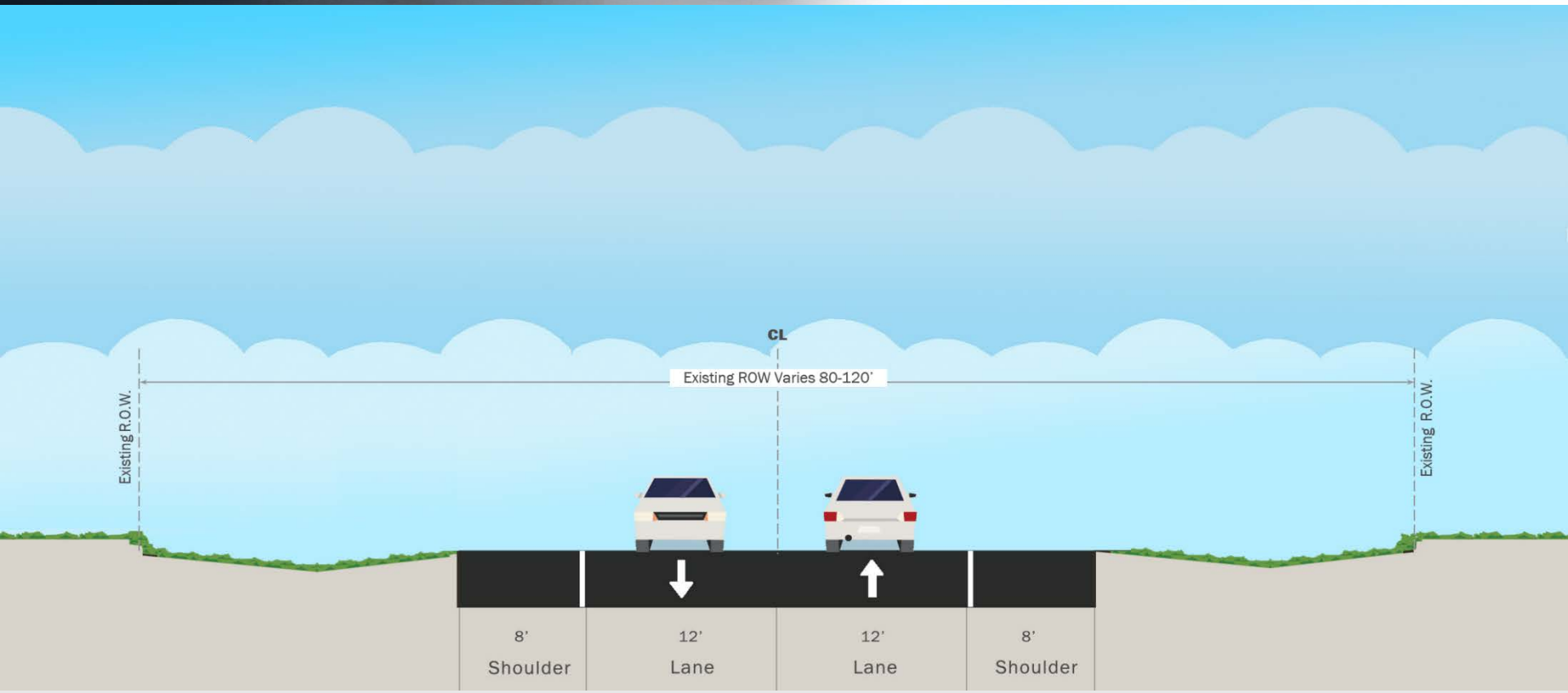

Existing FM 1516 Includes:

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- 8 foot shoulders
- Existing ROW varies from 80 to 120 feet

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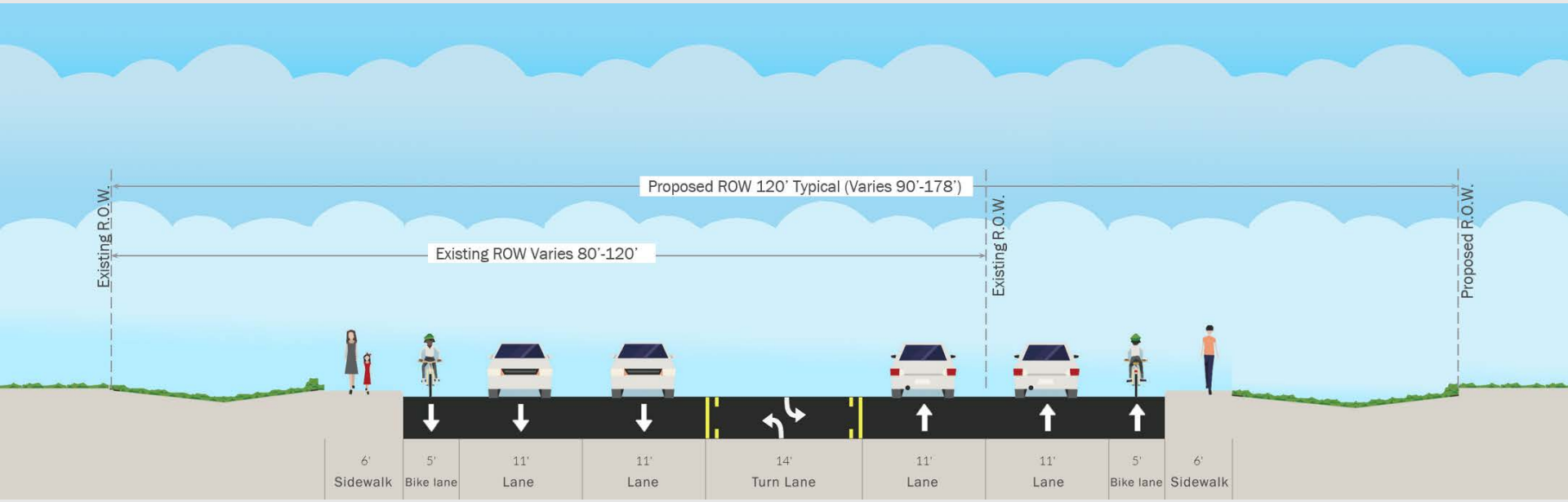


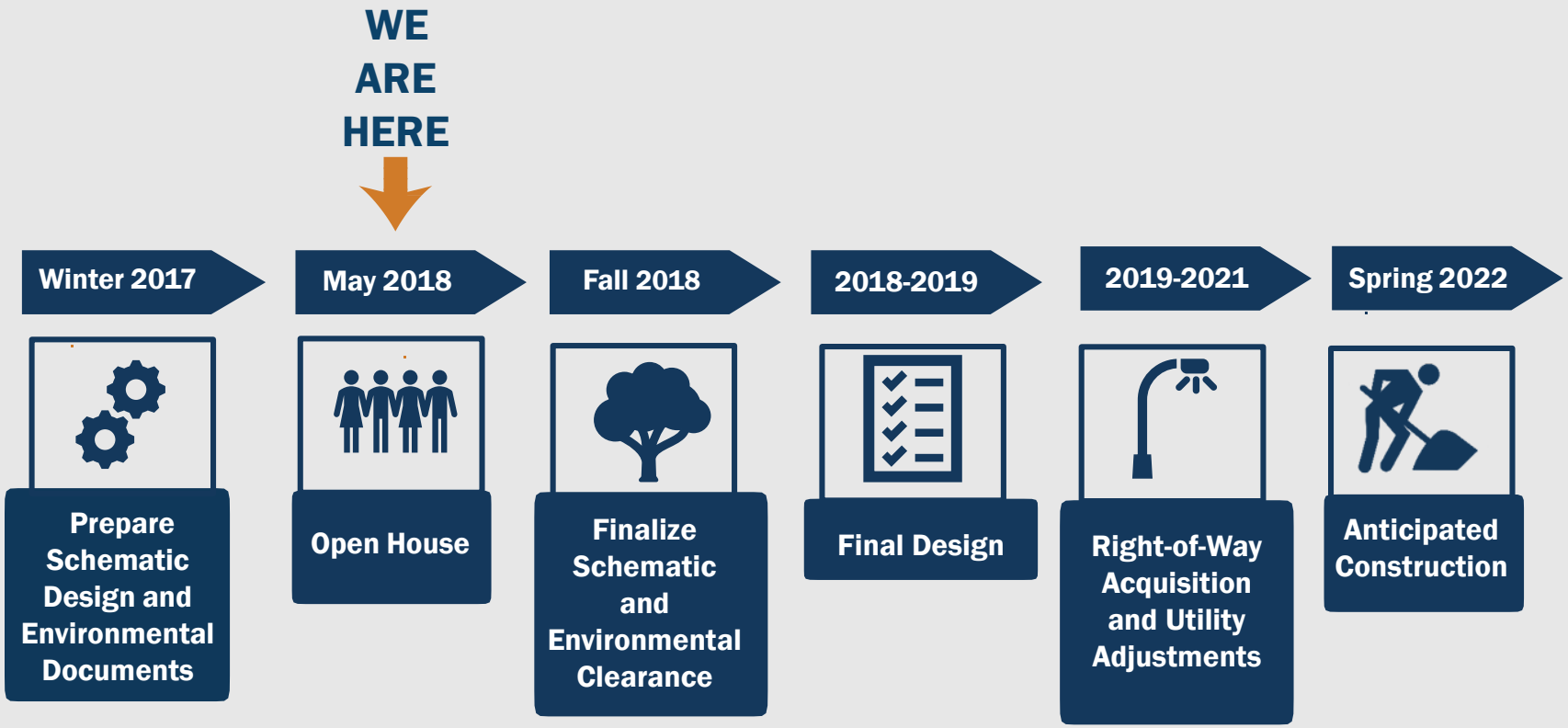
Proposed FM 1516 Typical Section Includes:

- 11 foot travel lanes
- 12 foot continuous two-way center left turn lane
- 5 foot bike lanes
- Adding curbs and sidewalks along both sides of the road

Environmental Studies

- Community Impacts
- Traffic Noise
- Historic-age Resources
- Threatened and Endangered Species
- Archaeological Resources
- Hazardous Materials
- Cemeteries
- Water Resources
- Section 4(f) Properties

Project Schedule*



***This project schedule and dates are preliminary and subject to change**

Project Funding

Project Funded with State, Federal, and Local Funds

Alamo Regional Mobility Authority
$11.75 Million

Total Construction Cost:
$23.5 Million

Provide Your Comments

Options for Commenting

1. Place comment card in comment box
2. Provide verbal comments to the court reporter
3. Email comments to: fm1516project@gmail.com
4. Mail comments to:

   FM 1516
   Attn: Courtney Blechle
   P.O. Box 53495
   Houston, Texas 77052

Deadline for comments : June 6, 2018

- Documentation of the Open House will be posted at www.txdot.gov
- For more information visit www.txdot.gov and search keywords "FM 1516 from I-10"

Thank you for your Participation!

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.

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Open House Photos

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FOLLOW THE COURSE UNTIL SUCCESSFUL
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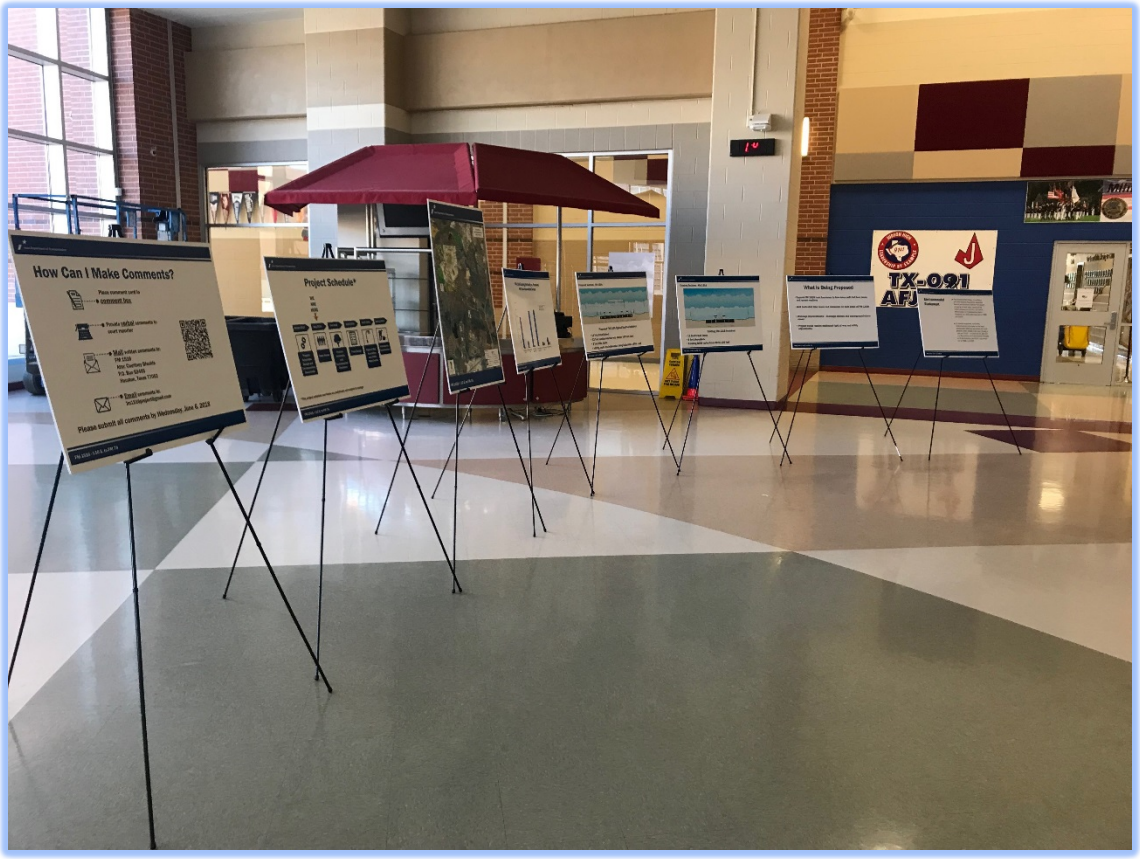
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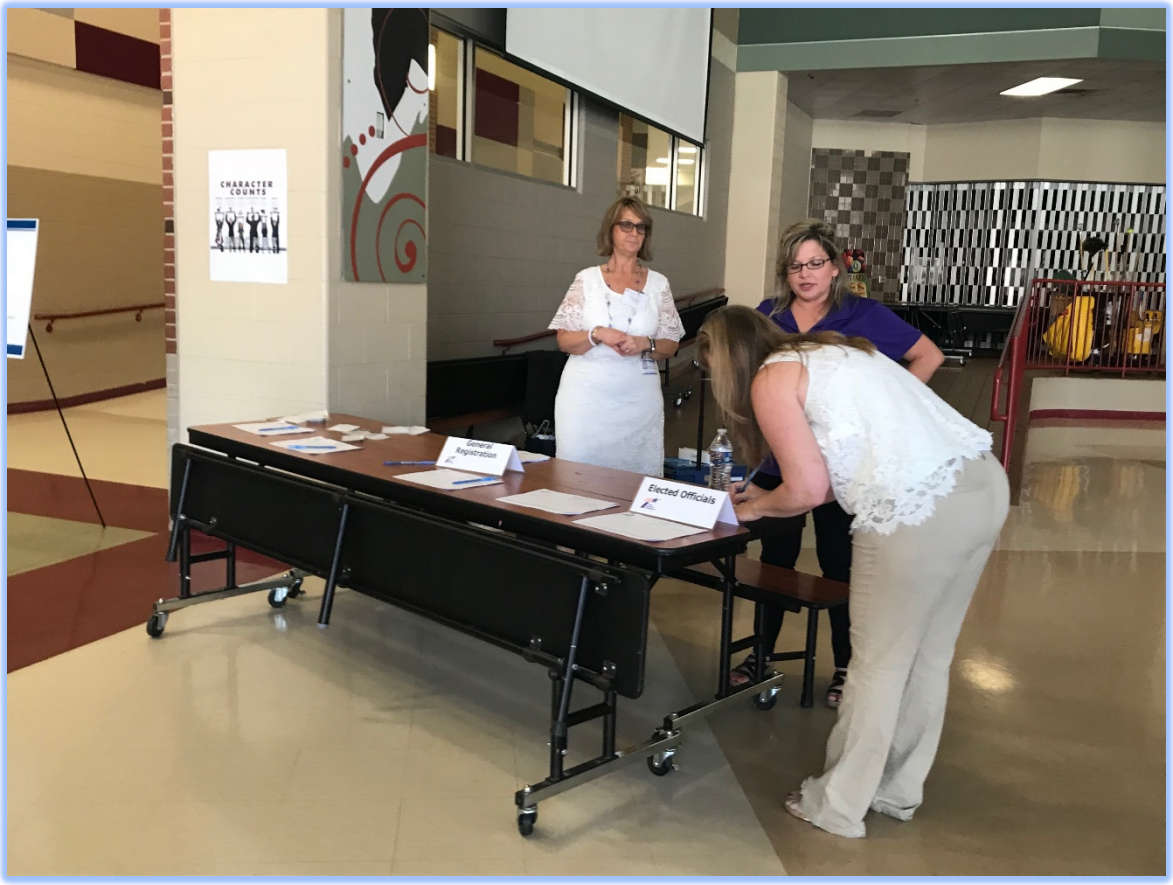
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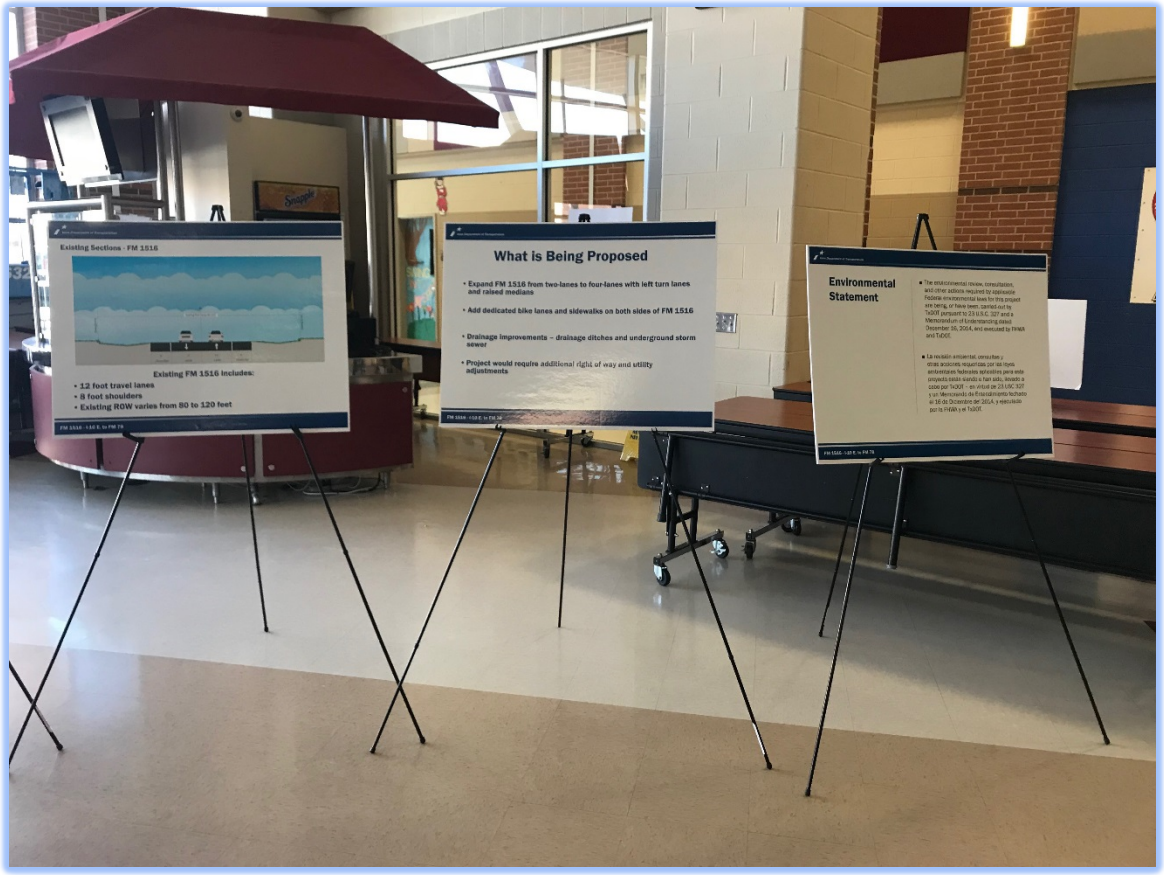
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Description of project modifications resulting from public meeting

No project modifications to the current design were made from the public's comments.