



**Notice Affording An Opportunity
For A Public Hearing
Loop 1604
From I-10 East to FM 1346
CSJ: 2452-04-014
Bexar County, Texas**

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) is proposing to widen Loop 1604 from I-10 East to FM 1346 in Bexar County, Texas. The total distance of the project is approximately 3.9 miles. Pursuant to Texas Administrative Code, Title 43, §2.106 this notice is affording an opportunity for a public hearing on the proposed project.

The proposed project would widen the existing 2-lane undivided roadway to a 4-lane divided roadway. Construction limits would extend approximately 0.3 mile south of FM 1346 at Abbott Road because of the transition that would begin to occur south of FM 1346 to Abbott Road. The proposed roadway would consist of two 12-foot wide northbound lanes and two 12-foot wide southbound lanes divided by a depressed grass median varying in width from 18 to 42 feet. The northbound and southbound lanes would have 4-foot wide inside shoulders and 10-foot wide outside shoulders which would accommodate bicycles. Dedicated right turn lanes would be provided at Green Road. Dedicated right and left turn lanes would be provided at Schuwirth Road and FM 1346. Dedicated U-turns would be provided at Schuwirth Road and other various locations along the project. The proposed project would be constructed within the existing Right-of-Way (ROW) therefore, no additional ROW is required for the proposed project.

Potential jurisdictional waters of the U.S. were identified within the ROW of the proposed project. All unavoidable impacts to jurisdictional waters of the U.S., including wetlands, would require a Section 404 Permit with the US Army Corps of Engineers. Although, portions of the project are located within the 100-year floodplain, it would not increase the base flood elevation to a level that would violate applicable floodplain regulations.

Environmental studies and documentation, maps showing the project location and design, and other information regarding the project are on file and available for inspection Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. at the TxDOT San Antonio District Office, 4615 NW Loop 410, San Antonio, TX 78229. If you would like to schedule an appointment to view the available information, or have general questions or comments regarding the project, please contact Richard De La Cruz, P.E., at Richard.DeLaCruz@txdot.gov or 210-615-6434. For more information on the project visit txdot.gov and enter keywords "Loop 1604 from I-10 East" in the search box on the right-hand side.

Any person may request a public hearing covering the social, economic and environmental effects of the proposed location and design for this project. Requests for a public hearing must be submitted in writing and submitted on or before November 23, 2018 to RPS, Attn: Jeff Anderson, 1160 Dairy Ashford, Suite 500, Houston, Texas 77079.

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.