

PORTS-TO-PLAINS CORRIDOR FEASIBILITY STUDY (HB 1079)

ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

Ports-to-Plains Corridor Feasibility Study (HB 1079)

Wednesday, February 19, 2020

8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Howard College | West Texas Training Center | 3501 North US Highway 67 | San Angelo, Texas

Sign in and Networking (7:30 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.)

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Welcome and Opening Remarks (8:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.)

Topic	Speaker	Outcome
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facility Safety Briefing • Agenda Review <p>Handouts #1 and #2</p>	<p>Honorable Dan Pope, Mayor, City of Lubbock, Advisory Committee Chair</p> <p>Alvin New, Commissioner, Texas Transportation Commission</p> <p>TxDOT Leadership</p> <p>Caroline Mays, Director, Freight, Trade and Connectivity, TxDOT</p>	<p>Welcome and introductions</p>

Update from Segment Committee and Public Meetings, Rounds #1 and #2 (8:15 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview from Segment Committees Meetings • Update from Public Meetings 	<p>Jared Miller, Amarillo City Manager, Segment #1 Committee Chair</p> <p>Honorable Brenda Gunter, Mayor of San Angelo, Segment #2 Committee Chair</p> <p>Honorable Bruno Lozano, Mayor of Del Rio, Segment #3 Committee Chair</p> <p>Caroline Mays, TxDOT</p>	<p>Provide Update from Segment Committees</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting Activities • Report Status <p>Provide Update from Public Meetings</p>
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Forecasted Conditions (9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Population Forecasts • Economic Forecasts • Land Use Forecasts • Traffic Forecasts • Freight Forecasts <p>Handout #3</p>	<p>Caroline Mays, TxDOT</p> <p>Consultant Team</p>	<p>Discuss Forecasted Conditions in the Ports-to-Plains Corridor: population, land use, economic, traffic, and freight and get input from the Committee</p>
Break (10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.)		
Planned and Programmed Projects and Gaps (10:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planned and Programmed Projects • Maps Showing Gaps • Map Exercise <p>Handouts #4, #5 and #6</p>	<p>Akila Thamizharasan, TxDOT</p> <p>Consultant Team</p>	<p>Understand projects that are currently planned and programmed in the Ports-to-Plains Corridor. Discuss the gaps or where the existing roadway is not a 4-lane divided roadway or Interstate or where there are no planned or programmed projects that will upgrade the existing roadway to a 4-lane divided roadway or Interstate gaps</p>
Preliminary Corridor Feasibility Analysis (11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion of Preliminary Corridor Feasibility Analysis <p>Handout #7</p>	<p>Akila Thamizharasan, TxDOT</p> <p>Consultant Team</p>	<p>Understand how the information presented ties into the corridor feasibility analysis</p>
Advisory Committee Meeting #3 (11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agenda Topics • Date and Location 	<p>Honorable Dan Pope, Mayor of Lubbock, Advisory Committee Chair</p>	<p>Determine Next Meeting Date and Location</p> <p>Overview of Topics/Decisions for Next Meeting</p>
Adjourn (12:00 p.m.)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adjourn 	<p>Honorable Dan Pope, Mayor of Lubbock, Advisory Committee Chair</p>	

For more information, visit www.txdot.gov and search for keyword “Ports-to-Plains Corridor.”