



TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

OPEN HOUSE

April 24, 2018

SH 72

From Karnes County Line to 0.25 miles east of FM 2980

DeWitt County

Yorktown Jr. High School Library

418 W 4th St

Yorktown, TX 78164



WELCOME

Purpose of Open House

- Open House format with no formal presentation
- Present information on the proposed project
- Allow the public to provide input

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 the Federal Highway Administration and TxDOT.



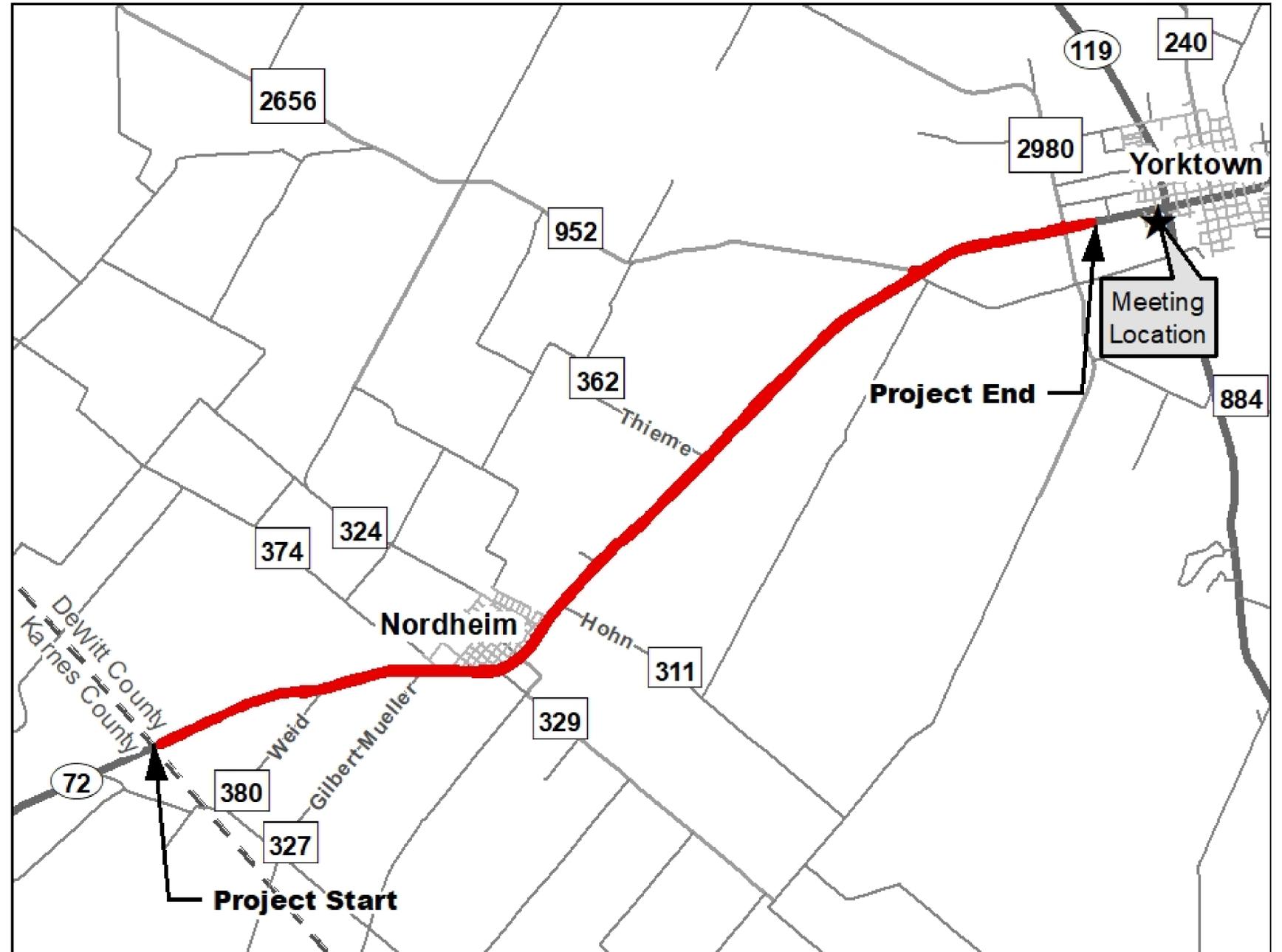
Project Location Map

Project Limits:
SH 72

Beginning: Karnes County Line

End: 0.25 miles East of FM 2980

Project Length:
10.27 Miles





Proposed Improvements

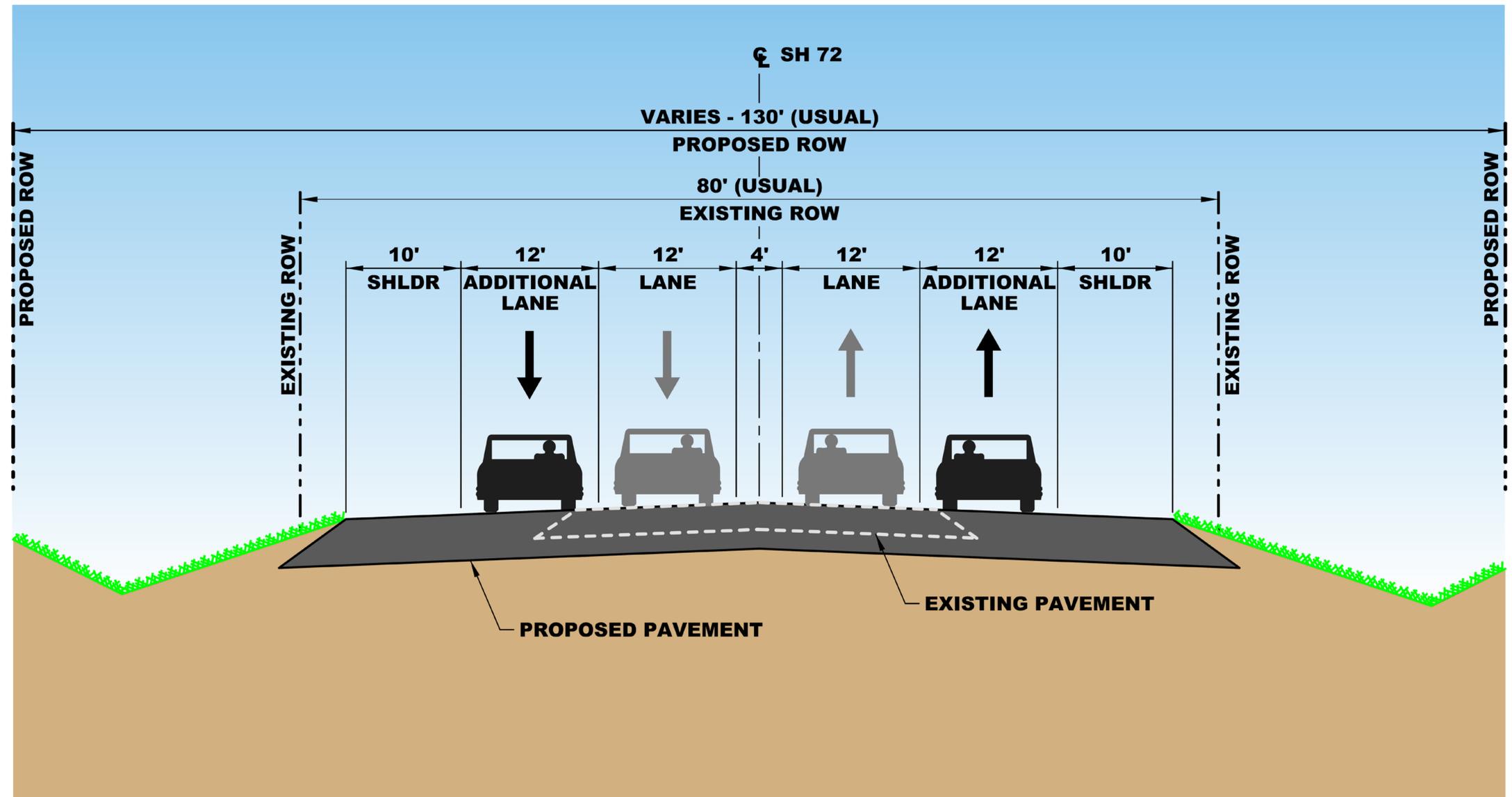
- Reconstruct SH 72 from 2 lanes to 4 lanes
- Add a 4 foot flush median between oncoming lanes
- Add left turn lanes at FM 2980, FM 952 (Old Nordheim Rd), and FM 239 (Broadway)
- Add 10 foot shoulders
- Improve safety of curves
- Additional right of way (ROW) will be required

Project Needs

- Improve safety
- Increase mobility in the area
- Provide added capacity for projected traffic



Existing & Proposed Typical Section





Next Steps and Timeline

Now Through 2018:

- Review public feedback
- Obtain environmental clearance

2019:

- Prepare engineering plans

2020:

- Project will be available for contract bid (letting)



Staying Informed and Written Comments

- Comment forms are available for written comments.
- Return by Wednesday, May 9, 2018 to:
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- Contact Jeffery Vinklarek at the Yoakum District Office at Jeffery.Vinklarek@txdot.gov.
- [For more information visit www.txdot.gov](http://www.txdot.gov) and enter Open House – SH 72
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