



**NOTICE OF OPEN HOUSE**  
**State Highway 45**  
**From West of Rattan Creek to McNeil Road**  
**Williamson County**

On Tuesday, November 9, 2010, the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will conduct an Open House for the proposed improvements to State Highway (SH) 45 from west of Rattan Creek to McNeil Road in Williamson County. The Open House will be held in the cafeteria of Cedar Valley Middle School located at 8139 Racine Trail in Austin, Texas. The Open House will be held between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.

The proposed improvements would include construction of a grade-separated interchange at SH 45 and the planned O'Connor Drive extension, as well as construction of frontage roads and associated entrance and exit ramps along SH 45. Construction would include eastbound and westbound three-lane frontage roads extending approximately 2,000 feet west of O'Connor Drive and 4,400 feet east of O'Connor Drive. The proposed interchange would extend approximately 600 feet north of the SH 45 right-of-way and would tie into Williamson County's planned O'Connor Drive extension project. Entrance and exit ramps would be provided on either side of the O'Connor Drive interchange along the SH 45 frontage roads. The proposed project would be constructed within the existing SH 45 right-of-way and Williamson County's O'Connor Drive right-of-way.

TxDOT will have preliminary maps and other displays available for review at the Open House. During the Open House, project team members will be available to answer questions. Since no formal presentation will be made, those wishing to attend are encouraged to do so at their convenience any time between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.

The Open House will be conducted in English. Persons interested in attending the Open House who require auxiliary aids or services, such as interpreters, are requested to contact Dennis Nielsen at (512) 832-7056 at least five business days prior to the Open House so that appropriate arrangements may be made. TxDOT will make every reasonable effort to accommodate communication or accessibility needs.

Verbal and written comments may be presented at the Open House. Written comments not submitted at the Open House may also be submitted to: TxDOT Austin District Environmental Coordinator, Texas Department of Transportation, P.O. Box 15426, Austin, Texas 78761-5426. All comments received by Friday, November 19, 2010, will be included in the official record of the Open House.