



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

US 377
From IH 20 to Winscott Rd/Lakeway Dr
Tarrant County

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will conduct a public hearing on February 23, 2012 at the City of Benbrook Council Chambers located at 911 Winscott Road in Benbrook, Texas. Displays and drawings will be available for viewing at 6:30 p.m. and the hearing will commence at 7:00 p.m. The purpose of the hearing is to discuss the proposed improvements to US 377 from Interstate 20 to Winscott Road/Lakeway Drive. The proposed project is within the City of Benbrook in Tarrant County, Texas.

The proposed improvements will upgrade the existing four-lane roadway to a six-lane curb and gutter section with a 17-foot raised center median. Travel lanes will be 11 feet wide on the inside and center. The outside through lane will be 14 feet wide. The proposed project length is approximately 1.29 miles.

The existing right-of-way (ROW) width is approximately 120 feet. The proposed project would require the acquisition of approximately 0.72 acres of new ROW. An approximate 0.01 acre permanent drainage easement would be required for the necessary drainage improvements and an approximate 2.60 acre temporary construction easement would also be required for grading and driveway construction.

No residences or businesses would be displaced. Information concerning benefits and services that are available to affected property owners as well as information about the tentative schedule for right-of-way acquisition can be obtained from the TxDOT Fort Worth District Office.

Maps and other drawings showing the proposed design will be displayed at the public hearing. The preliminary layout, the environmental document, and other information about the proposed project are on file and available for inspection at the locations listed below.

- TxDOT Fort Worth District Office - 2501 SW Loop 820, Fort Worth, Texas 76133; telephone - (817) 370-6549.
- Benbrook City Hall – 911 Winscott Road, Benbrook, Texas, 76126; telephone – (817) 249-3000

All interested citizens are invited to attend this public hearing. Verbal and written comments from the public regarding this project are requested. Written comments may be submitted either in person or by mail to:

Maribel P. Chavez, P.E.
District Engineer
Texas Department of Transportation
Fort Worth District
2501 S.W. Loop 820
Fort Worth, Texas 76133

Comments must be received on or before March 5, 2012 in order to become part of the official hearing record. Persons interested in attending the hearing who have special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to contact the TxDOT Fort Worth District Office at (817) 370-6610. Requests should be made at least 72 hours prior to the public hearing. Every reasonable effort will be made to accommodate those needs.