



**IH 35 PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENTAL LINKAGES STUDY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOPS
PLANNING FOR TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS ALONG THE IH 35 CORRIDOR**

The Alamo Regional Mobility Authority (Alamo RMA) and the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will host two public workshops in February 2012 for the IH 35 Planning and Environmental Linkages (PEL) Study. The purpose of the workshops is to gather input from the public on the criteria to be used in evaluating proposed solutions for IH 35 in portions of Comal, Guadalupe, and Bexar Counties.

The IH 35 PEL Study was initiated in August 2011. The study area follows IH 35 from Hubertus Road/FM 1103 in Schertz to the intersection with IH 37/US 281 in downtown San Antonio; and Loop 410 from IH 35 on the north side of San Antonio east to IH 10. The IH 35 PEL Study is ultimately intended to identify the need and purpose for improvements, evaluation methodology, and conceptual alternatives to be considered to address the transportation problems on IH 35 in this area. The IH 35 PEL Study will follow the Federal Highway Administration's (FHWA) guidance on conducting PEL studies. This will ensure that the data and planning recommendations resulting from the study can be integrated into a National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) process.

All interested citizens are encouraged to attend a public workshop to discuss the evaluation criteria to be used within the study area. Court reporters and comment forms will be available at the workshops for individuals wishing to provide input. Comment forms and workshop materials will also be available on the project website at www.TimeFor35.com. Written comments may be emailed to IH35@AlamoRMA.org, faxed to 210-495-5403, or mailed to Alamo RMA, ATTN: IH 35 PEL, 601 NW Loop 410, Suite 410; San Antonio, Texas 78216. Website and/or mailed comments must be submitted by March 5, 2012.

Public workshops will be held from 5:30 PM to 8:00 PM at the following locations:

Wednesday, February 22, 2012

**Live Oak Civic Center
8101 Pat Booker Road
Live Oak, Texas 78233**

Thursday, February 23, 2012

**Morgan's Wonderland – Event Center
5223 David Edwards Drive
San Antonio, Texas 78233**

The same material will be presented at both workshops. Spanish interpreters will be available at the workshops to assist with translation needs. Persons who plan to attend a workshop and have other special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to call 210-549-SA35 (210-549-7235) at least two business days prior to the workshop to request assistance. The Alamo RMA and TxDOT will make every reasonable effort to accommodate these needs.