



Notice
Virtual Public Meeting with In-Person Option
FM 1810 WIDENING & US 81/US 287 INTERCHANGE PROJECT
From FM 1810 to US 380
CSJs: 2418-01-013, 0013-07-083, 0013-09-012
Wise County, Texas

The Texas Department of Transportation is proposing to realign FM 1810 from west of CR 1170 to CR 1160 and BUS 81D from CR 1160 to north of CR 2090 and construct a new FM 1810/US 81/US 287 interchange in Wise County, Texas. This notice advises the public that TxDOT will be conducting an online virtual public meeting on the proposed project with an in-person option. **The virtual public meeting will be held Thursday, Feb. 22, 2024 at 5 p.m. until Friday, March 8, 2024 at 11:59 p.m. The virtual meeting will consist of a pre-recorded video presentation with both audio and visual components and other project materials.** To log onto the virtual public meeting, go to the following web address at the date and time indicated above: www.txdot.gov and type the keywords "FM 1810 & US 81/US 287 Project" into the search feature at the top right of the page or use the URL to locate the virtual public meeting: www.txdot.gov/projects/hearings-meetings.html The virtual meeting materials will be available for viewing at the web address indicated above until at least Friday, March 8, 2024 at 11:59 p.m. If you do not have internet access, you may call (817) 370-3570 between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, to ask questions and access project materials during the project development process.

Additionally, TxDOT is providing an in-person option for individuals who would like to participate in person. In-person attendees will be able to view the same presentation delivered in the online public meeting which will be playing on a screen, review hard copies of project materials, ask questions of TxDOT staff and/or consultants, and leave written comments. **The in-person option will be held on Thursday, February 22, 2024 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Decatur Conference Center, 2010 W. US 380, Decatur, TX 76234.**

The proposed project would realign 1.6 miles of FM 1810, from west of CR 1170 to CR 1160, and 0.35 miles of BUS 81D, from CR 1160 to north of CR 2090. The project would also construct a new FM 1810/US 81/US 287 interchange with overpass bridges, new one-way frontage roads with sidewalks, and entrance and exit ramp connections along 2.11 miles of US 81/US 287, from CR 2195 to north of US 380.

Although additional right of way would be required, no residential or non-residential structures are anticipated to be displaced at this time. Information concerning services and benefits available to affected property owners and information about the tentative schedule for right-of-way acquisition and construction can be obtained from the TxDOT district office by calling (817) 370-3570.

The proposed project will involve an action in a floodplain.

Any environmental documentation or studies, any maps, and drawings showing the project location and design, tentative construction schedules, and other information regarding the proposed project are on file and available for inspection Monday through Friday between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. at TxDOT Fort Worth District Office, 2501 Southwest Loop 820, Fort Worth, TX 76133 and the TxDOT Decatur Area Office, 1710 W. US 380, Decatur, TX 76234. Project materials will also be available online at www.txdot.gov. These materials will also be available in hard copy form for review at the in-person option.

The virtual public meeting and in-person option will be conducted in English. If you need an interpreter or document translator because English is not your primary language or you have difficulty communicating effectively in English, one will be provided to you. If you have a disability and need assistance, special arrangements can be made to accommodate most needs. If you need interpretation or translation services or you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation to attend and participate in the virtual public meeting or in-person option, please contact Tamanna Ali, P.E., 2501 Southwest Loop 820, Fort Worth, TX 76133 at (817) 370-3570 no later than 4 p.m. CT, Friday, February 16, 2024. Please be aware that

advance notice is required as some services and accommodations may require time for the Texas Department of Transportation to arrange.

Written comments from the public regarding the proposed project are requested and may be submitted by mail to the TxDOT Fort Worth District Office, ATTN: Tamanna Ali, P.E., 2501 Southwest Loop 820, Fort Worth, TX 76133. Written comments may also be submitted by email to tamanna.ali@txdot.gov. All comments must be received on or before Friday, March 8, 2024. Responses to comments received will be available online at www.txdot.gov once they have been prepared.

If you have any general questions or concerns regarding the proposed project or virtual meeting or in-person option, please contact the TxDOT Project Manager, Tamanna Ali, P.E., at tamanna.ali@txdot.gov or (817) 370-3570.

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 9, 2019, and executed by FHWA and TxDOT.