



NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) will conduct an open house Public Meeting regarding the proposed widening of FM 528 from SH 35 to Business 35 / North Gordon Street / LP 409 in Brazoria County. **The meeting will be conducted in an open house format and will be held on October 8, 2009, at the Emmanuel Worship Center Centro De Adoracion, 2427 FM 528 Road, Alvin, TX, 77511.** Documents and exhibits will be available for viewing from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. within the church's fellowship hall.

The purpose of the meeting is to introduce the proposed widening of FM 528 to the community and solicit comments. The proposed improvements to FM 528 from SH 35 to Loop 409 would consist of the reconstruction of the existing facility from two 12-foot travel lanes with 10-foot shoulders and drainage ditches to a curb and gutter section with four 12-foot travel lanes divided by a raised 30 foot median. Three proposed alternatives have been developed all of which would require the purchase of additional right of way. Depending on the alternative, displacement of adjacent property owners would be required. Personnel from the TxDOT Houston District Right of Way Section will be available to discuss the State's Relocation Assistance Program, its benefits, and services regarding land acquisition.

Exhibits showing aerial photography, including the proposed project corridor, will be presented at the meeting. Maps, drawings, and other information about the project will also be on display, showing the location of the project and the proposed improvements. Representatives from TxDOT and their study team will be available to answer individual questions. Public comments are encouraged.

Persons interested in attending the Public Meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to contact TxDOT's Public Information Office at 713-802-5072 at least two working days prior to the Public Meeting. TxDOT offices are open Monday through Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., excluding State holidays. Since the Public Meeting will be conducted in English, any requests for language interpreters or other special communication needs should also be made at least two working days prior to the Public Meeting. TxDOT will make every reasonable effort to accommodate these needs.

All interested citizens are invited to attend this Public Meeting. Verbal and written comments relative to the proposed project may be presented at the meeting or submitted to the Director of Project Development, Texas Department of Transportation, P.O. Box 1386, Houston, Texas, 77251-1386, at any time on or before October 22, 2009.