



**Notice**  
**Virtual Public Meeting with In-Person Option**  
**FM 1082 Fort Phantom Hill Dam Road**  
**From west of Cheyenne Creek Road to east of Dam**  
**CSJ: 0972-03-021**  
**Jones County, Texas**

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT), the city of Abilene, and the Abilene Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) is proposing to reconstruct and relocate FM 1082 off the existing Fort Phantom Hill Dam down to the bottom of the Dam to the north starting from west of Cheyenne Creek Road to the east of the Dam in Jones County, Texas. This notice advises the public that TxDOT alongside the city of Abilene and the MPO will be conducting an online virtual public meeting on the proposed project with an in-person option. **The virtual meeting will consist of a presentation, project schematic sheet and comment forms. The presentation and schematic will be posted online on Thursday, March 24, 2022 by 4 p.m.** To log onto the virtual public meeting, go to [www.txdot.gov](http://www.txdot.gov) and keyword search Fort Phantom Hill Dam Road. Following the virtual public meeting, the presentation will remain available for viewing at the web address indicated above until at least Friday, April 8, 2022. If you do not have internet access, you may call (325) 676-6800 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 instead of online. 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 city officials and leave written comments. **The in-person option will be held on Thursday, March 24, 2022 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the Fort Phantom Baptist Church, 11343 S FM 600, Abilene, TX 79601.**

The project will reconstruct and relocate the existing FM 1082 off the Fort Phantom Hill Dam down to the bottom of the dam due to the failing existing conditions of FM 1082 on top of the Dam. The new roadway will be 32-foot-wide with two 11-foot travel lanes and 5-foot outer shoulders. A new bridge will cross Elm Creek at the bottom and will be 34-foot-wide with two 11-foot travel lanes and 5-foot outer shoulders.

The proposed project would 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 Abilene District Office, 4250 N. Clack St., Abilene TX, 79601, (325) 676-6800. Project materials are also available online at the web address above. 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 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 Tanya Brown, Public Information Officer (PIO), at (325) 676-6817 no later than 4 p.m. CT, Monday, March 21, 2022. 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 Abilene District Office, 4250 N. Clack St., Abilene TX. 79601. Written comments may also be submitted by email to [brandon.vinson@txdot.gov](mailto:brandon.vinson@txdot.gov). All comments must be received on or postmarked by Friday, April 8, 2022. Responses to comments received will be available online at the web address above 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 Brandon Vinson P.E., Project Manager, at [brandon.vinson@txdot.gov](mailto:brandon.vinson@txdot.gov) or (325) 676-6857.

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.