

TxDOT RURAL TIP

2027– 2030 Austin District

Welcome!



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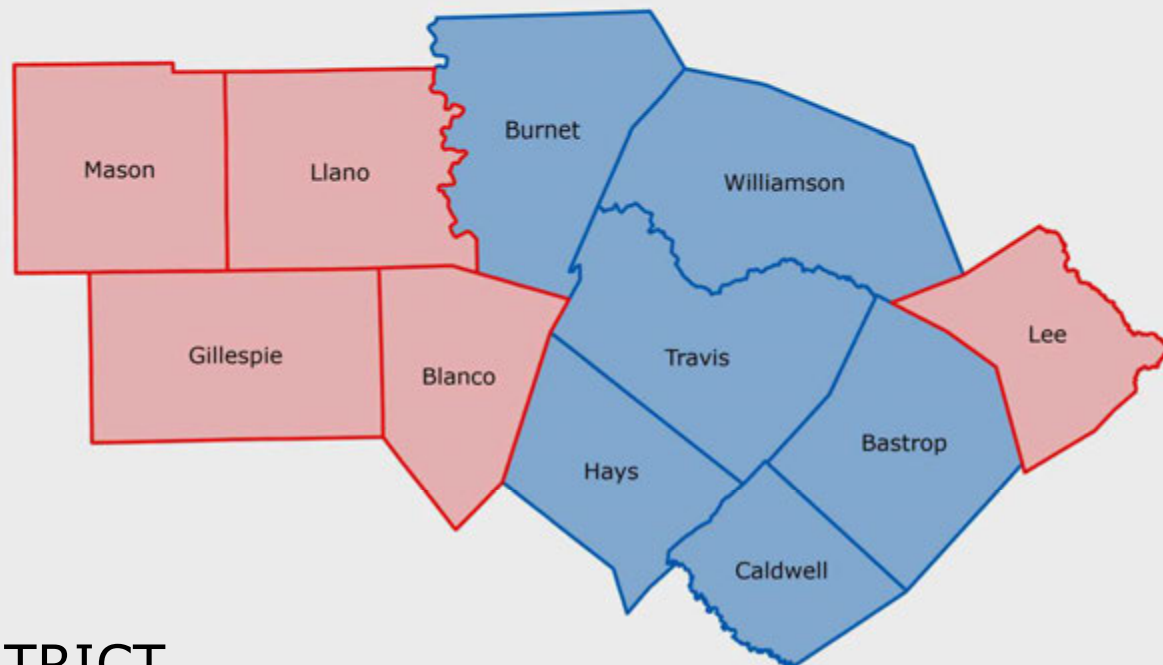
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District Boundaries



AUSTIN DISTRICT

2027- 2030 Rural TIP

Rural Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

THE RURAL TIP

includes projects that vary in scope from minor to major in size, complexity and cost to be constructed in the non-metropolitan areas of the Austin District with federal, state and local funds.

It can include projects for various transportation modes



A Rural TIP project is anticipated to be funded within the next 4 years.

It shows regional agreement (community-region-state) on the need of a project.

How the Rural TIP Impacts You

The Rural TIP Public Involvement Process includes opportunities to provide input on the priority of major projects that are listed in it.

Local and small projects around your community addressing safety and access also get funding through the Rural TIP, for example:

- Road expansions
- Sidewalks
- Bike lanes
- Pavement repair or maintenance
- New or improved signals
- Turning lanes

By participating today, you are providing input on the projects included in this TIP.

**You know
your
community
best!**

Tell us what
project
should come
first and why

How Projects are Selected for the Rural TIP

Projects are identified and selected by evaluating existing and future needs based on:

current conditions, projected use, statewide and regional plan goals, public input regarding transportation priorities and available funding

^ This would be you, right now!



Rural TIP Blanco County Projects

CSJ	Highway	County	Limits from	Limits to	Project Description	Total Project Cost	TIP Year
0914-23-014	Various	Blanco	In the City of Blanco		Develop an Active Transportation Plan to identify and prioritize safe accessible walking and bike routes for the City of Blanco	\$173,000	2027
0914-23-011	Various	Blanco	At Pedernales State Park		Overlay Roads, Parking Lots and Campsite Pullouts	\$1,647,000	2027
0252-03-060	US Highway 281	Blanco	2.1 miles north of County Road 1	1.7 miles north of County Road 1	Install Advanced Warning Signs, Chevrons, Widen lanes	\$1,312,232	2028

Rural TIP Blanco County Projects (Table 2)

CSJ	Highway	County	Limits from	Limits to	Project Description	Total Project Cost	TIP Year
0914-23-009	Various	Blanco	At Blanco State Park		Seal Coat Roads, Parking Lots and Campsite Pullouts	\$99,533	2028
0914-23-010	Various	Blanco	At LBJ State Park		Seal Coat Roads, Parking Lots and Campsite Pullouts	\$200,000	2028
0252-03-055	US Highway 281	Blanco	Los Encinos Drive	River Place	Adding right and left turn lanes	\$512,542	2029
0113-05-052	US Highway 281	Blanco	US 281 Loop Road	0.1 mile south of Wildlife Road	Overlay roadway	\$3,103,455	2029

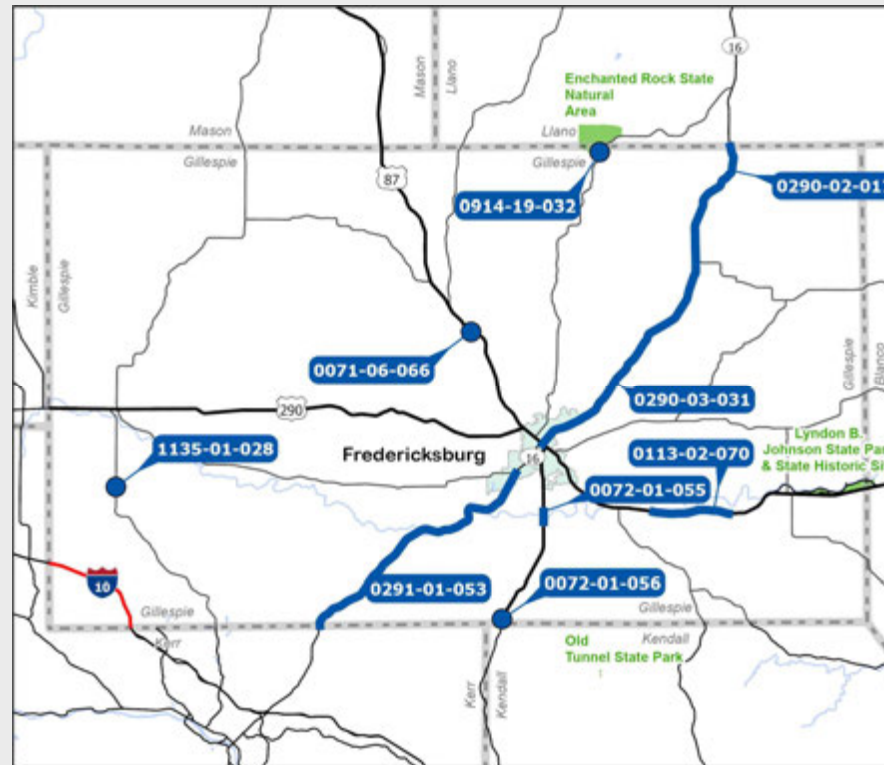
Rural TIP Gillespie County Projects

CSJ	Highway	County	Limits from	Limits to	Project Description	Total Project Cost	TIP Year
0291-01-053	State Highway 16	Gillespie	Farm to Market 2093	Kerr County Line	Level up and overlay the roadway	\$3,197,034	2027
0072-01-055	US Highway 87	Gillespie	0.26 mile north of River Road	0.26 mile south of River Road	Construct Paved Shoulders, Add Left Turn Lane	\$976,126	2027
0290-02-017	State Highway 16	Gillespie	Llano County Line	North of Ranch to Market Road 1323	Level up and overlay the roadway	\$2,323,259	2028
0290-03-031	State Highway 16	Gillespie	North of Ranch to Market Road 1323	US Highway 290	Level up and overlay the roadway	\$5,466,238	2028

Rural TIP Gillespie County Projects (Table 2)

CSJ	Highway	County	Limits from	Limits to	Project Description	Total Project Cost	TIP Year
0914-19-032	Various	Gillespie	At Enchanted Rock State Park		Overlay Roads and Parking Lots	\$1,008,000	2028
0113-02-070	US Highway 290	Gillespie	0.73 mile east of Goehmann Lane	0.40 mile west of Elgin Behrends Road	Level up and overlay the roadway	\$3,192,771	2029
1135-01-028	Ranch to Market Road 783	Gillespie	At Klein Branch		Bridge Maintenance	\$290,464	2029
0071-06-066	US Highway 87	Gillespie	At Baron Creek		Bridge Maintenance	\$425,657	2029
0072-01-056	US Highway 87	Gillespie	At Bear Creek		Bridge Maintenance	\$497,522	2029

Gillespie County Project Map



Rural TIP Lee County Projects

CSJ	Highway	County	Limits from	Limits to	Project Description	Total Project Cost	TIP Year
0914-21-033	County Road 208	Lee	At Rabbs Creek		Replace bridge and approaches	\$861,000	2027
0473-02-043	State Highway 21	Lee	0.30 mile south of County Road 113	County Road 326	Curve Delineation	\$194,238	2027
0114-07-088	US Highway 290	Lee	South Burleson Street	Hempstead Street	Construct a 1.4 mile sidewalk, crosswalks and curb ramps along the south side of US Highway 290	\$2,271,850	2027

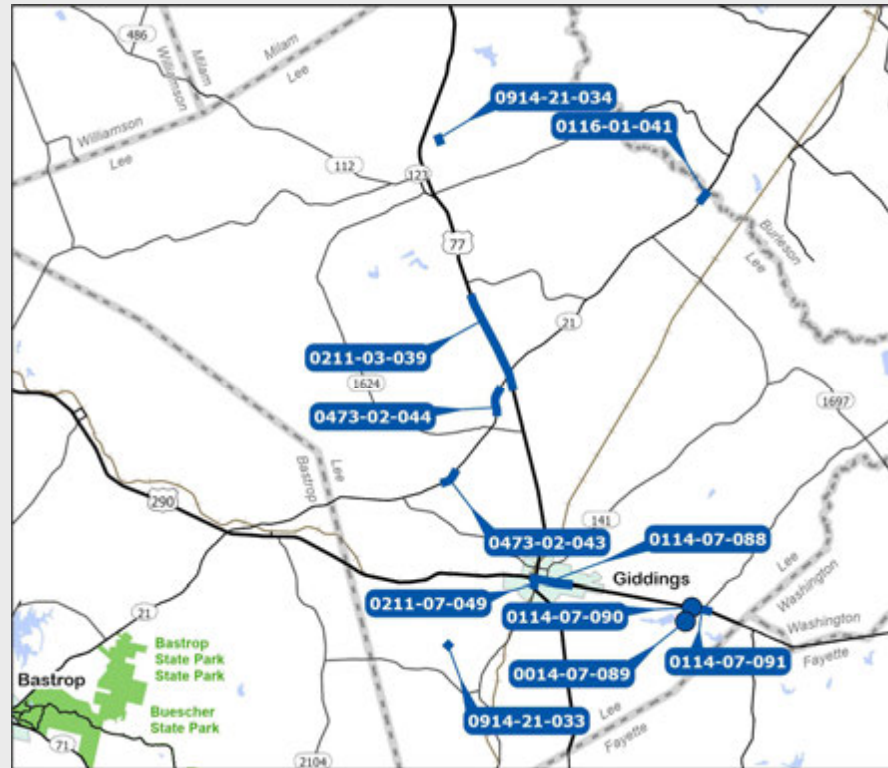
Rural TIP Lee County Projects (Table 2)

CSJ	Highway	County	Limits from	Limits to	Project Description	Total Project Cost	TIP Year
0211-03-039	US Highway 77	Lee	Middle Yegua Creek	0.57 mile south of State Highway 21	Level up and overlay roadway	\$3,255,848	2027
0116-01-041	State Highway 21	Lee	Burleson County Line	0.29 mile west of the Burleson County Line	Install a cable barrier in the roadway median	\$228,430	2028
0473-02-044	State Highway 21	Lee	County Road 338	0.18 mile south of County Road 327	Install Advanced Warning Signs, Flashing Chevrons. Profile Edgeline and Centerline Markings	\$303,810	2028

Rural TIP Lee County Projects (Table 3)

CSJ	Highway	County	Limits from	Limits to	Project Description	Total Project Cost	TIP Year
0914-21-034	County Road 410	Lee	At Brushy Creek		Replace Bridge	\$397,113	2029
0114-07-091	US Highway 290	Lee	0.29 mile west of Farm to Market Road 180	0.18 mile east of Farm to Market Road 180	Construct Restricted Crossing U-Turn	\$715,490	2029
0211-07-049	US Highway 77	Lee	At Richmond Street		Install pedestrian crosswalk and flashing beacon	\$92,125	2029
0114-07-089	US Highway 290	Lee	At Draw		Replace Bridge and Approaches	\$2,377,122	2030
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Lee County Project Map



Rural TIP Llano County Projects

CSJ	Highway	County	Limits from	Limits to	Project Description	Total Project Cost	TIP Year
0700-04-055	State Highway 71	Llano	At Slickrock		Bridge Maintenance	\$249,947	2027
0700-04-056	State Highway 71	Llano	At Pecan Creek		Bridge Maintenance	\$545,821	2027
0700-04-057	State Highway 71	Llano	At Byrnes Creek		Bridge Maintenance	\$203,295	2027
0700-04-058	State Highway 71	Llano	At Oatman Creek		Bridge Maintenance	\$552,573	2027
1378-05-031	Farm to Market Road 1431	Llano	0.02 mile north of Industrial Boulevard	0.04 mile south of Texas Avenue	Widening Paved Shoulder, Install Continuous Turn Lane	\$723,583	2028

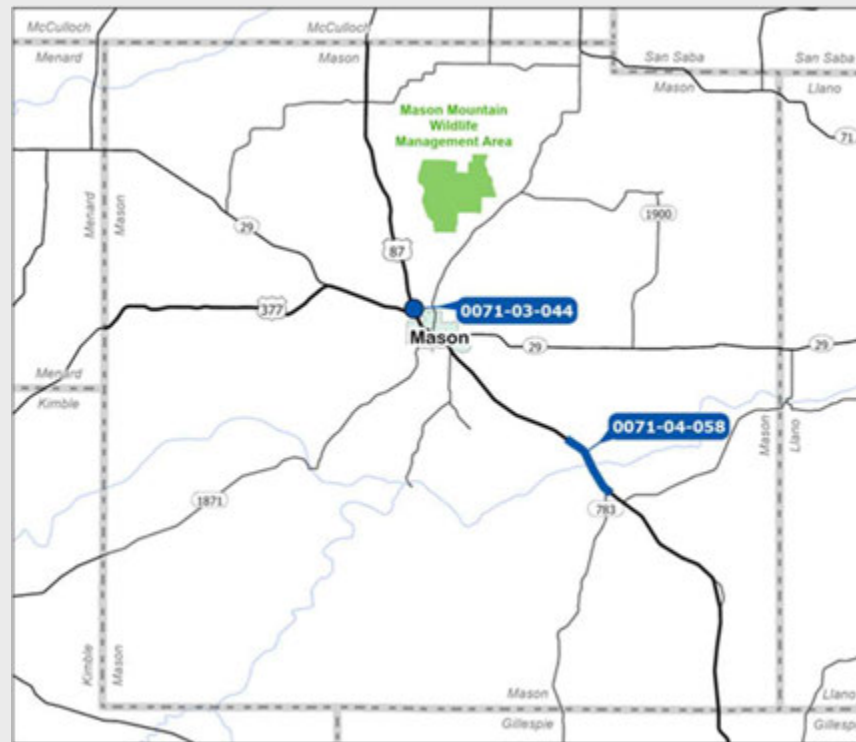
Rural TIP Llano County Projects (Table 2)

CSJ	Highway	County	Limits from	Limits to	Project Description	Total Project Cost	TIP Year
1378-05-032	Farm to Market Road 1431	Llano	County Road 321	0.6 mile south of County Road 321	Install Advanced Warning Signs, Install Chevrons	\$37,213	2028
2687-01-014	Ranch to Market Road 2147	Llano	Plaza Escondido	0.19 mile east of Plaza Escondido	Install two left turn lanes	\$239,323	2028
0290-01-051	State Highway 16	Llano	At Lost Hollow Creek		Replace Bridge and Approaches	\$1,089,224	2029
0290-01-053	State Highway 16	Llano	At the Llano River		Bridge Maintenance	\$6,792,000	2030

Rural TIP Mason County Projects

CSJ	Highway	County	Limits from	Limits to	Project Description	Total Project Cost	TIP Year
0071-04-058	US Highway 87	Mason	0.33 mile west of Art Hedwigs Hill Road	0.362 mile south of Ranch to Market Road 152	Install a cable barrier in the roadway median	\$1,300,000	2029
0914-26-011	Various	Mason	Various Locations In Mason County		Install cable barriers in the roadway median	\$1,300,000	2029
0071-03-044	US Highway 87	Mason	At Comanche Creek		Bridge Maintenance	\$386,961	2029

Mason County Project Map



Funding

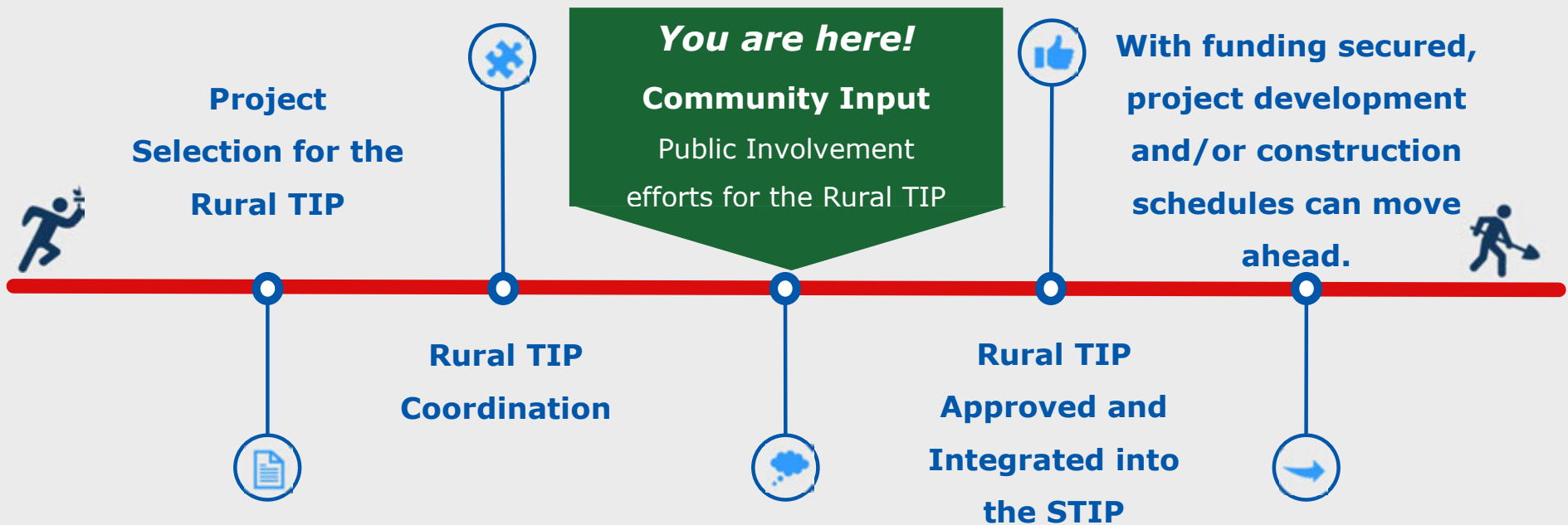
The Rural TIP is a fiscally constrained list of projects that functions as a budgeting tool for our district.

Funds can come from:

- **Federal Government**
 - **Majority through** the Federal Highway and Transit Administrations
- **State**
 - **Majority through TxDOT's** Unified Transportation Program funding categories
- **Regional and Local Sources**
 - **May include** federal grants, regional toll revenue, issuance of bonds, and taxes or fees to support regional and local transportation infrastructure

Next Steps

In the Rural TIP Development Process



How to provide comments:

- 1. Mail a comment to:** Texas Department of Transportation
Austin District, Attn: Rural TIP
7901 N Interstate 35
Austin, TX 78753
- 2. Or email a comment to:** Michelle.Conkle@txdot.gov Attention: Rural TIP.

Remember to submit your comments by **May 9, 2026**, to be included
in the official summary of this meeting

This concludes our presentation. Thank you for participating.