

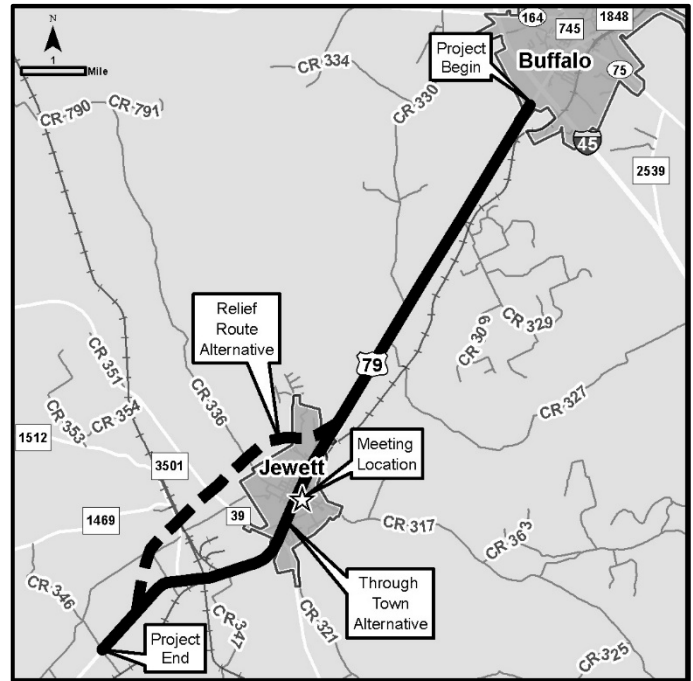


Open House Public Meeting  
US 79 Jewett Alternatives  
Leon County  
CSJ: 0205-04-047

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT), as the lead agency, is conducting a public meeting to receive input about a potential relief route around Jewett. A Relief Route Concept was presented at the US 79 Public Meeting held on April 11, 2019. Based on public comments received, TxDOT has begun to develop a US 79 Jewett Relief Route Alternative Study. The Relief Route Alternative Study Area extends around the north side of the City of Jewett.

The meeting will be held in an open house format so the public can come and go at their convenience. No formal presentation is planned. Maps showing proposed alternatives will be on display and TxDOT staff will be available to discuss the project. The meeting is scheduled to take place:

**Thursday, March 26, 2020**  
**4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.**  
**Jewett Civic Center**  
**111 N Robinson**  
**Jewett, TX 75846**



Currently, US 79 through Jewett consists of two 12-foot travel lanes with 10-foot outside shoulders and a 14-foot center turn lane. The proposed relief route alternative would provide two 12-foot wide travel lanes in each direction separated by a grassy median. The travel lanes would be bounded by 4-foot wide inside and 10-foot wide outside shoulders with grade separation at US 79 and FM 39. The proposed through town alternative would provide two 12-foot wide travel lanes in each direction with a continuous 16-foot two way left turn lane. The construction letting date for the proposed project is anticipated for September 2025.

The proposed project would require the acquisition of ROW and the amount is being determined. Information concerning services and benefits available to affected property owners may be obtained at the meeting and from the district office at the address listed below.

Information about this project is also available on the TxDOT website at [www.txdot.gov](http://www.txdot.gov) and Search: **US 79 Leon County**. Updated meeting displays will be available for viewing on the webpage after the public meeting.

Comments about this project may be made at the meeting or in writing by Friday, April 10, 2020, mail to: TxDOT Bryan District-US 79 Jewett, 2591 North Earl Rudder Freeway, Bryan, TX 77803. E-mail comments may be sent to Mark Poage, P.E. with the Bryan District Advance Planning Office at [Mark.Poage@txdot.gov](mailto:Mark.Poage@txdot.gov).

Special accommodations: If you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation to attend this public meeting, please call the Bryan District at (979) 778-2165. Every reasonable effort will be made to accommodate these needs. Si deseas información en español, puede llamar al (979) 778-9719.

*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.*