

# US HIGHWAY 190 IMPROVEMENTS

## Virtual Public Meeting with In-Person Option

### Project Profile

The TxDOT Brownwood District is hosting a virtual public meeting with in-person option to receive input on the proposed design alternatives along US Highway 190 (US 190) from approximately FM 2808 to the Coryell County line. The proposed design alternatives are based on the stakeholder and community feedback obtained from the public meeting held in June 2023.

The three proposed design alternatives would include the construction of a controlled-access freeway with two 12-foot main lanes in each direction, eastbound and westbound, divided by a 24-foot median with a concrete traffic barrier. US 190 eastbound would include off-ramps for Big Divide Road and FM 2657 and US 190 westbound would include an off-ramp for Big Divide Road. The eastbound frontage road would provide an on-ramp after Great Hills Drive and the westbound frontage road would provide on-ramps after Great Hills Drive and Big Divide Road. Two new grade-separated overpass bridges would be constructed, one at Big Divide Road and one at Great Hills Drive. The two new design alternatives would include either a grade-separated overpass or an at-grade crossover at CR 4804. Drainage would remain in open ditches. Improvements would be constructed within a variable proposed right of way typically 380 feet in width. Detailed schematics of all design alternatives can be seen at [www.txdot.gov](http://www.txdot.gov), keyword search "US 190 at Big Divide" or scan the QR code (*reverse side*).

### Fast Facts

**Need and Purpose:** The proposed project is needed due to increased traffic volume, including increased congestion due to the development of nearby residential neighborhoods. Limited sight distance has increased the crash risk and operational inefficiency along this stretch of US 190. The purpose of the proposed project is to improve safety and mobility for current and future traffic volumes.

**Right-of-Way Required and Potential Displacements:** The proposed project would require at least 40 acres of new right of way to construct the proposed improvements. The total right of way required, and potential displacements included, would be dependent on the final design selection.

**Project Location:**

Lampasas County, Texas

**Project Limits:**

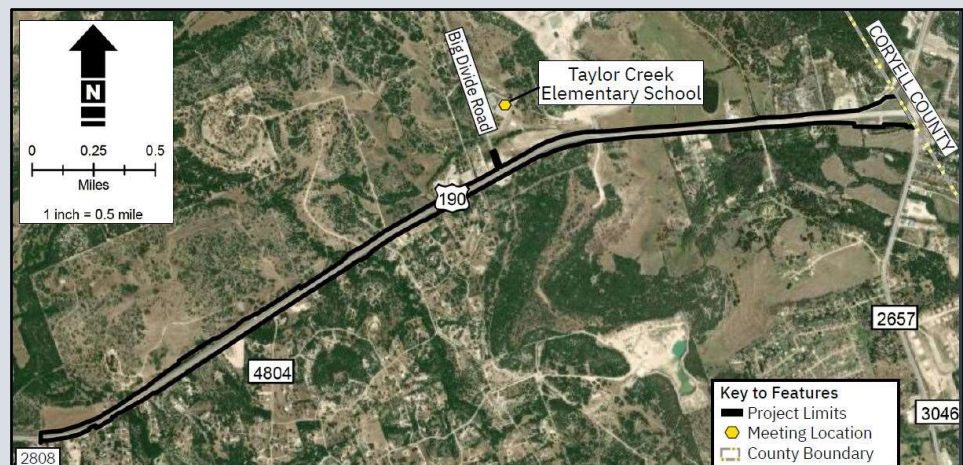
From FM 2808 to the Coryell County Line

**Project Length:**

Approximately 2.3 to 3.8 miles\*

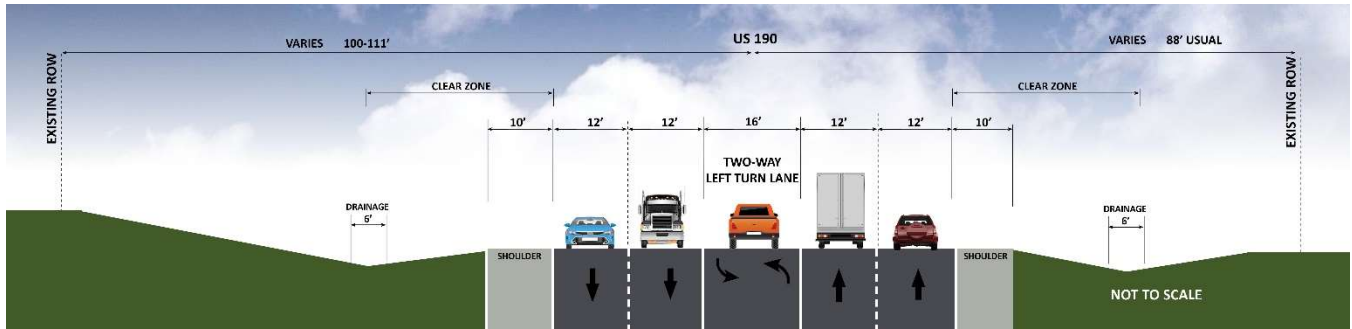
**Estimated Construction Cost:**

\$78.5 to \$170 million\*

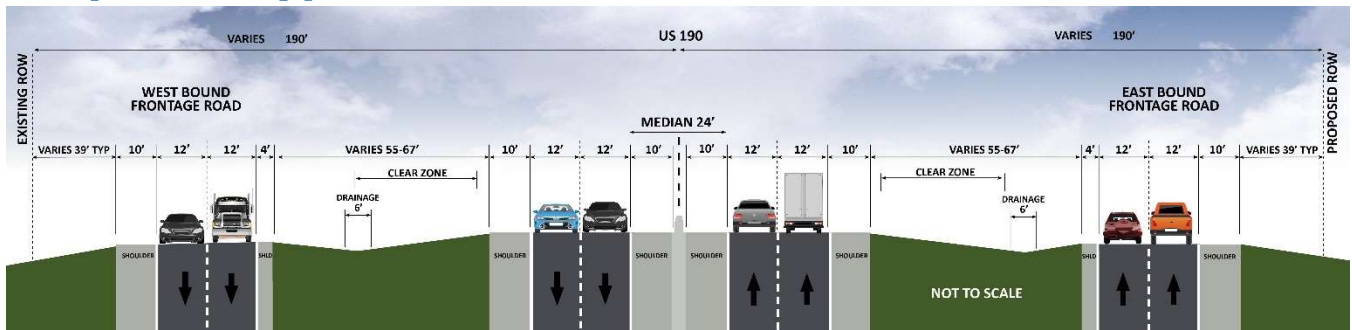


\*To be determined after final design

## Existing Typical Section



## Proposed Typical Section



## How to Comment

- Complete the comment form tonight at the in-person open house
- Online: Go to [www.TxDOT.gov](http://www.TxDOT.gov), keyword search "US 190 at Big Divide" or scan the QR code to submit directly online
- Download a comment form and return it to the mailing address:

TxDOT Brownwood District  
 Attn: Jodie Kelly  
 2495 Highway 183 North  
 Brownwood, TX 76802

- Or email: [Jodie.Kelly@txdot.gov](mailto:Jodie.Kelly@txdot.gov)

Comments must be received on or before Friday, June 28, 2024, to be included in the official public meeting records.

Questions? If you have any general questions or concerns regarding the proposed project or the virtual public meeting with in-person option, please contact Jodie Kelly, Planner, at [Jodie.Kelly@txdot.gov](mailto:Jodie.Kelly@txdot.gov) or at (325) 643-0416.



Scan the QR code to comment directly online and to access all project materials at the virtual public meeting page.

### In-Person Open House

Tuesday, June 11, 2024  
 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
 Taylor Creek Elementary School  
 2096 Big Divide Road  
 Copperas Cove, Texas 76522

### Virtual Public Meeting

Tuesday, June 11, 2024, at noon, until  
 Friday, June 28, 2024, at 11:59 p.m.  
[www.txdot.gov](http://www.txdot.gov), keyword search "US  
 190 at Big Divide" or scan the QR code