



**Notice of Virtual Public Meeting with In-Person Option
I-35W Segment 2
From FM 3391/East Renfro Street to East CR 405
CSJs: 0014-03-098 and 0014-04-089
Johnson County, Texas**

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) Fort Worth District is proposing improvements to Interstate (I) 35W from Farm-to-Market (FM) 3391/East Renfro Street to East County Road (CR) 405 in Johnson County, Texas. The proposed project is approximately 13 miles long and extends through portions of the cities of Burleson, Briar Oaks and Alvarado within Johnson County, Texas.

This notice advises the public that TxDOT will be conducting a Virtual Public Meeting with In-person Option to present the alternative designs and to receive public comment on the proposed project. The virtual meeting will consist of a pre-recorded video presentation and will include both audio and visual components. The meeting will be available on **Tuesday, January 31, 2023, at 5:00 p.m.** To log onto the virtual public meeting, go to the following web address at the date and time indicated above: www.txdot.gov keyword search "I-35W Segment 2" or go to the following URL: <https://www.txdot.gov/projects/projects-studies/fort-worth/i35w-corridor-segment2.html>, or by scanning the QR code on the top right-hand corner of this notice. Following the virtual public meeting, the presentation will remain available for viewing at the web address indicated above until at least **Wednesday, February 15, 2023, at 11:59 p.m.** Please note that the presentation will not be available on the website until the time and date listed above. If you do not have internet access, you may call (817) 370-6852 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 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 consultants from a socially distanced approach, and leave written comments. The in-person option will be held on **Tuesday, January 31, 2023, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the North Jellystone Park Armadillo Hall located at 2301 South Burleson Boulevard, Burleson, Texas, 76028.**

TxDOT proposes to reconstruct and widen the I-35W corridor main lanes to three 12-foot-wide lanes. Proposed frontage roads would be reconstructed to include two to three 12-foot-wide lanes. An 11-foot-wide shared use path would be constructed on both sides of the roadway. The existing I-35W interstate consists of two 12-foot-wide lanes and two 10- to 12-foot-wide frontage road lanes in each direction.

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 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. at TxDOT Fort Worth District Office, 2501 SW Loop 820, Fort Worth, Texas 76133. Project materials are also available online at: www.txdot.gov keyword search "I-35W Segment 2" or at URL <https://www.txdot.gov/projects/projects-studies/fort-worth/i35w-corridor-segment2.html>, or by scanning the QR code on the top right-hand corner of this notice. These materials will also be available in hard copy form for review at the in-person option.

If you have any general questions or concerns regarding the proposed project or virtual meeting written comments may be provided by mail or email as explained below. All formal written comments postmarked by mail or email by **Wednesday, February 15, 2023**, will be included as part of the official record for this virtual public meeting and considered by TxDOT. Responses to comments will be included as part of the virtual public meeting and project record and made available online as explained below.

The virtual public meeting will be conducted in English and Spanish. If you need an interpreter or document translator because English or Spanish are not your primary language or you have difficulty communicating effectively, 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 are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation to attend and participate in the virtual public meeting, please contact TxDOT Project Manager Tejas Soni, P.E., TxDOT Fort Worth District Office, by phone at (817) 370-6852 no later than 4:00 p.m. CT, Wednesday, January 25, 2023. Please be aware that advance notice is required as some services and accommodations may require time for TxDOT to arrange.

Written comments from the public regarding the proposed project are requested and may be submitted by mail to: **Tejas Soni, P.E, Project Manager, TxDOT Fort Worth District Office, 2501 SW Loop 820, Fort Worth, Texas 76133** and may also be submitted by email to Tejas.Soni@txdot.gov. All comments must be received on or before **Wednesday, February 15, 2023**. Responses to comments received will be available online at: www.txdot.gov keyword search "I-35W Segment 2" or at <https://www.txdot.gov/projects/projects-studies/fort-worth/i35w-corridor-segment2.html>, or by scanning the QR code on the top right-hand corner of this notice once they have been prepared.

If you have any general questions or concerns regarding the proposed project or the virtual meeting, please contact Tejas Soni, P.E., Project Manager at (817) 370-6852 or at Tejas.Soni@txdot.gov.

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.