Notice of Virtual Public Meeting

Texas Department of Transportation

February Revision for the 2025 – 2028 Rural Transportation Improvement Program

YOAKUM DISTRICT

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) – Yoakum District will conduct an online virtual public meeting for the February Revision for the 2025 – 2028 Rural Transportation Improvement Program (Rural TIP). The purpose of this meeting is to provide information and receive comments on an expansion project in Wharton County. The Rural TIP includes both grouped projects and individually listed projects that include added-capacity projects and regionally significant projects to be funded outside of MPO boundary, and within a TxDOT district during the next four years, including those eligible for federal funding.

Currently there is an expansion project on US 59 (from FM 961 to BU 59 North of El Campo) in Wharton County with a December 2026 let date. The Yoakum District is planning to separate this project into two lettings (CSJ 0089-07-166 and CSJ 0089-07-145). The first phase (CSJ 0089-07-166) will have a December 2026 let date and the second phase (CSJ 0089-07-145) will have a December 2028 let date which will move phase 2 outside of the 2025-2028 Rural TIP.

You are encouraged to participate in the virtual public meeting and learn more about the expansion project in the Yoakum District:

Virtual Public Meeting
Wharton County
Available from Monday, January 19, 2026 at 1 p.m. to Thursday, January 29, 2026

Visit www.txdot.gov/inside-txdot/get-involved/about/hearings-meetings.html and look for Wharton County. The Rural TIP meetings are being held pursuant to *Title 43, Texas Administrative Code, Section 16.102*, which calls for an opportunity for public comment concerning the Rural TIP. All community members are encouraged to view the virtual meeting offered and provide written comments on the proposed revision. Comments must be postmarked or otherwise received by Thursday, January 29, 2026 to: TxDOT Yoakum District, Attn: Rural TIP; 403 Huck Street, Yoakum, TX 77995; or by email to Clayton.Harris@txdot.gov, Attention: Rural TIP.

Special Accommodations: The virtual public meeting will be conducted in English. If you need an interpreter or document translator because English is not your primary language or 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 you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation to attend and participate in the virtual public meeting, please contact Lucean Kuykendall, Yoakum District, at 361-293-4436 no later than 4 p.m. CT, 01/09/2026. Please be aware that advance notice is required as some services and accommodations may require time for the Texas Department of Transportation to arrange.

TxDOT Rural TIP