



Notice of Public Meeting
US 175 Grade Separations Project
US 175 from North of BUS 175 to East of FM 1895
CSJ: 0197-05-063
Kaufman County, Texas



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Kaufman County and the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) are proposing improvements to US 175 from north of BUS 175 to east of FM 1895 in the City of Kemp, Kaufman County, Texas. This notice advises the public that Kaufman County and TxDOT will be conducting an in-person and an online virtual public meeting on the proposed project. **The same information will be available at both the in-person and virtual meetings.**

In-Person Meeting*

Tuesday, April 4, 2023, 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Kemp High School Common Area
220 SH 274, Kemp, Texas 75143
*Open House

Virtual Meeting**

Tuesday, April 4, 2023, at 5:30 p.m.
to Wednesday, April 19, 2023, at 11:59 p.m.
www.KeepItMovingDallas.com/US175Kemp
**Not a live event

The in-person public meeting will begin at 5:30 p.m. and will be an open house format where the public may come and go at their convenience. Staff will be available to answer questions and receive written comments. The virtual meeting can be viewed beginning Tuesday, April 4, 2023, starting at 5:30 p.m. through Wednesday, April 19, 2023, at 11:59 p.m. The virtual public meeting materials will be posted to the project website at www.KeepItMovingDallas.com/US175Kemp and will consist of a prerecorded video presentation that includes both audio and video components, along with other exhibits. The virtual public meeting is not a live event and the materials can be viewed at your convenience. If you do not have internet access, please call (214) 320-6625 between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday to ask questions and access project materials.

The proposed improvements consist of constructing two to three freeway main lanes in each direction within the grass median of US 175 from north of BUS 175 (State Loop 346) to east of FM 1895, a distance of approximately 2.1 miles, in the City of Kemp, Kaufman County, Texas. Grade separated interchanges would be constructed at BUS 175 and FM 1895. The existing US 175 would become frontage roads. Entrance and exit ramps would be added between the existing frontage roads and proposed freeway main lanes. The existing typical right-of-way (ROW) width is approximately 600 feet. No additional ROW would be required to construct the proposed project.

The proposed project would involve an action in a floodplain.

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 a.m. and 5 p.m. at the TxDOT Dallas District Office, 4777 E. Highway 80, Mesquite, TX 75150-6643. Project materials are also available online at www.KeepItMovingDallas.com/US175Kemp. These materials will also be available in hard copy form for review at the in-person option.

The virtual public meeting and in-person option will be conducted in English. If you need an interpreter or document translator because English is not your primary language or you 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 or in-person option, please contact the TxDOT Dallas Public Information Office

(214) 320-4480 no later than 4 p.m., March 30, 2023. Please be aware that advance notice is required as some services and accommodations may require time to arrange.

Written comments from the public regarding the proposed project are requested and may be submitted by mail to the TxDOT Dallas District Office, Attn: Liang Ding, P.E., 4777 E. Highway 80, Mesquite, TX 75150 or by email to Liang.Ding@txdot.gov. Verbal comments may be submitted by calling (903) 218-7909. **All comments must be received or postmarked on or before Wednesday, April 19, 2023, at 11:59 p.m.** Responses to comments received will be available online at www.keepitmovingdallas.com/US175Kemp once they have been prepared.

If you have any general questions or concerns regarding the proposed project, virtual meeting or in-person option, please contact Liang Ding, P.E., TxDOT Project Manager, (214) 320-6625 or by email at Liang.Ding@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.