

TxDOT to Host Virtual Public Meeting Thursday, October 29, at 6pm

The Texas Department of Transportation will host a virtual public meeting to gather input from the public on the State Highway 71 at McAllister Road intersection study in Bastrop County, Texas. The study aims to enhance safety and mobility in the area.

Study overview:

- Evaluating possible short-, medium- and long-term safety and operational improvements.
- The intersection is located east of the city of Bastrop in Bastrop County, Texas.

Proposed improvements:

- Improved signage
- Improved pavement markings
- A restricted-crossing U-turn (RCUT) intersection

The virtual public meeting will launch on www.txdot.gov, keyword search “SH 71 at McAllister Road” beginning by 6 p.m. on Thursday, October 29, 2020. The meeting will include a pre-recorded video presentation explaining the proposed improvements. Additional project-related materials will also be available.

The presentation will be available at www.txdot.gov, keyword search “SH 71 at McAllister Road” until Friday, November 13, 2020. If you do not have internet access, you may call TxDOT Bastrop Area Engineer, Diana Schulze, P.E., during regular office hours at [512-308-4468](tel:512-308-4468) to ask questions or access study materials.

The virtual public meeting will be conducted in English. If you require special accommodations, like an interpreter or document translator, because English is not your primary language or you have difficulty communicating effectively in English, one will be provided. If you have a disability and need assistance, special arrangements can be made to accommodate most needs. If you require an accommodation to attend and participate in the virtual public meeting, please contact Michele Lopez at [214-451-2976](tel:214-451-2976) no later than 4 p.m. on Monday, October 26, 2020. Please be aware that advance notice is required as some services and accommodations may require time for TxDOT to arrange.

The public may submit formal comments on the study by using any of the following methods:

- Email: Diana.Schulze@txdot.gov
- Mail: TxDOT Bastrop Area Office, 174 Highway 21 East, Bastrop, Texas 78602
- Online: An online comment form will also be available on the study website during the comment period ending on Friday, November 13, 2020. All comments must be received on or before Friday, November 13, 2020.

For any general questions or concerns regarding the intersection study or the virtual meeting, please contact Diana.Schulze@txdot.gov or call [512-308-4468](tel:512-308-4468).

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