



NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

The City of San Marcos, in conjunction with the Texas Department of Transportation, will conduct a public meeting on June 12, 2019, from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at San Marcos Activity Center, 501 E Hopkins Street, San Marcos, TX 78666. The purpose of the meeting is to share project information and obtain public input to be considered during development of the Pedestrian & Bike Improvements along E Hopkins Street. There will be no formal presentation. The public meeting will be an open house format, allowing visitors to come and go at their own availability.

The proposed improvements include a new 10' shared use path, installation of two (2) pedestrian hybrid beacons, and operational improvements to Charles Austin Drive. The limits of the proposed improvements will extend from CM Allen Parkway to Thorpe lane, approximately 0.57 miles. The purpose of the proposed project is to enhance pedestrian and bicycle safety and mobility in the project area. All proposed improvements will be located within existing TxDOT ROW or within City of San Marcos property, therefore, no additional ROW will be required for the proposed improvements.

An exhibit showing the proposed improvements will be available for review. City staff and consulting engineers will be available to answer questions throughout the hours of the open house. They will assist in orientation and interpretation of the drawings and other materials on hand, and discuss potential design and environmental effects of the project. For those who will not be able to attend, please contact Mr. Shaun Condor at (512) 393-8130 or scondor@sanmarcostx.gov

Written comments from the public regarding this project are requested through June 26, 2019 and will become part of the project documentation. Written comments may be submitted during the open house or either in person or by mail to the City of San Marcos, Capital Improvements/Engineering, Attention: Shaun Condor, P.E., 630 E Hopkins Street, San Marcos, Texas 78666.

All interested persons are invited to attend. Persons interested in attending the public meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to contact Nancy Hyde with the City of San Marcos at (512) 393-8130 at least three (3) work days prior to the open house. Since the meeting will be conducted in English, requests for language interpreters or other special communication needs should also be made at least three (3) work days prior to the public meeting. The City of San Marcos will make every reasonable effort to accommodate these needs.

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. Code Section 327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated December 16, 2014, and executed by FHWA and TxDOT.