



Notice of Availability

Final Environmental Impact Statement and Record of Decision

U.S. Highway 290 (US 290) / State Highway (SH) 71 West

From State Loop 1 (MoPac) to west of Ranch-to-Market (RM) 1826 and from US 290 to Silvermine Drive

CSJs: 0013-08-060 and 0700-03-077

Travis County, Texas

This notice advises the public that a combined final environmental impact statement and record of decision (FEIS/ROD) is available for review for construction on U.S. Highway 290 (US 290)/State Highway (SH) 71 West from State Loop 1 (MoPac) to west of Ranch-to-Market (RM) 1826 and from US 290 to Silvermine Drive in Travis County, Texas. The FEIS/ROD explains the selection of the recommended alternative and signifies the completion of the environmental review process. 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 16, 2014, and executed by FHWA and TxDOT.

The selected alternative would include flyovers at the intersection of US 290 and SH 71, controlled access along both highways in Oak Hill, and a US 290 overpass at William Cannon Drive. The mainlanes would be three lanes in each direction with adjacent one-way, two- to three-lane frontage roads in each direction. The project extends approximately six miles along US 290 from MoPac to west of RM 1826, as well as along approximately one mile of SH 71 from US 290 north to Silvermine Drive. The existing right of way (ROW) typically ranges from 90 to 260 feet wide and the proposed ROW would range from approximately 150 to 600 feet wide. New ROW would be required for the project. The project would displace one residence and four commercial structures. Aesthetic enhancements and bicycle/pedestrian facilities along the corridor are also included.

Copies of the approved FEIS-ROD, certification of public involvement, and supporting documentation are available for public inspection at the TxDOT Austin District Office, 7901 N. I-35, Austin, TX 78753, 512-832-7000, Monday through Friday between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. and at www.OakHillParkway.com. For further information, please contact Adeliza Ramirez, P.E., Transportation Engineer, 512-832-7244, Adeliza.Ramirez@txdot.gov.