

PUBLIC OUTREACH MEETING LOCATIONS FOR 2050 MTP CONCEPT

OCTOBER 2016

Jane Long Middle School
October 19th
1106 North Harvey Mitchell Parkway
Bryan, TX 77803
(979) 209-6500

Kurten Community Center (Association)
October 24th
13055 State Highway 21 East
Kurten, TX 77862
(979) 589-2400

NOVEMBER 2016

St. Mary's Catholic Church
November 14th
603 Church Avenue
College Station, TX 77840
(979) 764-3416

DECEMBER 2016

College Station High School
December 5th
4002 Victoria Avenue
College Station, TX 77845
(979) 694-5800

James Earl Rudder High School
December 12th
3521 Austin's Colony Parkway
Bryan, TX 77808
(979) 209-7900

JANUARY 2017

City of College Station Utility Center
January 11th
1601 Graham Road
College Station, TX 77845
(979) 764-3660

Clara B. Mounce (Bryan) Public Library
January 18th
201 East 26th Street
Bryan, TX 77803
(979) 209-5600

FEBRUARY 2017

Arthur Davila Middle School
February 6th
2715 North Earl Rudder Freeway
Bryan, TX 77803
(979) 209-7150

Skybreak Church Chapel
February 27th
4010 Harvey Road
College Station, TX 77845
(979) 774-1269

MARCH 2017

Brazos Center
March 6th
3232 Briarcrest Drive
Bryan, TX 77802
(979) 776-8338

**Draft 2050 Major Thoroughfare Concept
Comment Card**

After looking at the 2050 Concept, what did you like about the map?

After looking at the 2050 concept, what would you change on the map?

What places do you travel to within the Brazos Valley?

(Please turn over)

Thoroughfare Concept Card Continued

What roads do you use to travel to these places? _____

Does the Thoroughfare Concept help you to better reach these places? _____

What routes that are shown make it better? _____

What routes need improvement? _____

Please provide us with the address or the name of the closest intersection to your home _____

Please provide us with the address, name or closest intersection to the place you travel most when leaving home _____

Any additional comments you would like us to know about?

Thank you for your time and interest!



2050 Draft Major Thoroughfare Concept

Bryan/College Station MPO Presentation
On Upcoming Public Comment Meetings



What Is A Major Thoroughfare Concept?

- ▶ A guide for developing an efficient and effective roadway network for a point in time in the future
 - ▶ In our case 2050 and beyond
- ▶ Intended to begin the discussion with citizens and business owners on where we need roadways to accommodate growth
- ▶ Not set in stone
- ▶ Requires public input



How Was the Major Thoroughfare Concept Developed?

- Representatives from the City of Bryan, the City of College Station, Brazos County, the Texas Department of Transportation and Texas A&M University examined growth trends to determine where roads should be placed and what kind of vehicle capacity would be needed to ensure the efficient and effective movement of people and goods
- A map with road types and general locations was developed for public review and comment



What Factors Guided The Development Of The Concept?

- ▶ Align existing and proposed roadways
- ▶ Minimize impacts on existing development
- ▶ Acknowledge statewide influences (I-14, Texas Central Rail, etc.)
- ▶ Improve connections with surrounding counties
- ▶ Serve anticipated growth areas with an efficient and effective roadway network
- ▶ Provide a map document that will facilitate public input



What Will The Map Look Like at the Public Meetings?

- ▶ Existing roads are shown as a solid line
- ▶ Proposed roads are shown as a dashed line
- ▶ The locations of proposed roads could vary as much as a mile in any direction. They are only an estimated alignment
- ▶ We hope that the public will examine the map with an eye towards how this network would affect their travel needs



What Will The Public Be Asked to Do At The Public Meetings?

- Visit any of the map stations (they are all the same) and review the concept
- Ask the staff person at the station if they need more information about any of the roads shown on the map
- Fill out the comment card and mark suggested changes on a handout map
- If they need assistance, the person wearing the black pin can provide personal attention