NOTICE OF PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE

The Oklahoma Department of Transportation (ODOT), in cooperation with the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), is proposing to reconstruct State Highway 78, from the junction of US-69 north to State Highway 48 (approximately 2.4 miles).

As part of our efforts to keep the public informed and involved in the decision-making process regarding this project, ODOT has scheduled a public Open House. The meeting will discuss why the improvements are needed and the alternatives being analyzed. The purpose of the meeting is to obtain feedback from the public to further assist in the development of alternatives and identification of social, economic, and environmental effects that may result from the project. The date, time and location of the public Open House are listed below.

Date: Tuesday, December 2, 2008

Time: 6:00p.m. to 8:00p.m.

Place: Southeastern OSU Student Union, Magnolia Room 416 University Blvd. Durant, OK This public meeting is an opportunity for you to provide input and comments to ODOT. You may submit your comments in writing at the meeting, or by the following means: Mail to Joan Lindley, ODOT NEPA Coordinator, 200 N.E. 21st Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73105, by fax at (405) 521-5193, or by email at (<u>ilindley@odot.org</u>). *Comments must be received by December 16, 2008.*

If you have special needs regarding access or mobility, please contact Mr. Craig Moody at ODOT for assistance by phone (405) 522-1465 or by email, <u>cmoody@odot.org</u>. Please allow at least three (3) working days notice prior to the meeting date.