

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

All interested persons are hereby given notice that the Oklahoma Department of Transportation (ODOT) and the City of Oklahoma City, in cooperation with the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), are proposing to implement the final phase of the I-40 Crosstown Relocation project. The proposed project consists of constructing the Crosstown Boulevard from approximately Pennsylvania Avenue to Byers Avenue in downtown Oklahoma City. A public hearing has been scheduled for Thursday, November 13, 2014, at the Chevy Bricktown Events Center, 429 E. California Street. The purpose of the public hearing is to provide the public an opportunity to comment on the findings of the Environmental Assessment (EA) for this undertaking and the Preferred Alternative.

Beginning at 5:00 PM, members of the public can provide written comments, visit one-on-one with staff, and provide private verbal comments in an open house format. The open house will be followed by a formal presentation at 5:30 PM. At 6:00 PM members of the public will have an opportunity to give public verbal comments. Individuals should be signed up to speak by 6:15 PM and will have a maximum of 3 minutes to speak. Following the presentation and public comment period, the open house format will continue until 7:30 PM.

The EA describes the project's purpose and need, the range of alternatives considered including the Preferred Alternative, the social, economic and environmental effect of the alternatives, and the agency coordination and public involvement activities conducted as part of the EA. For this project, ODOT and FHWA developed a "user friendly" EA based on the latest guidance from FHWA's Every Day Counts initiative. This focuses on accelerating project delivery through innovative ideas and collaboration.

The EA and supporting project technical reports are available on the ODOT website at <http://www.okladot.state.ok.us/meetings/other.php>. The EA is also available in printed form at:

Oklahoma Department of  
Transportation  
200 N.E. 21st Street  
Oklahoma City, OK 73105

City of Oklahoma City  
200 N. Walker Avenue  
Oklahoma City, OK 73102

Metropolitan Downtown  
Library  
300 Park Avenue  
Oklahoma City, OK 73102

If any person wishes to submit written comments concerning this project or the EA, they may submit his/her comments to the Environmental Programs Division Engineer, Oklahoma Department of Transportation, 200 N.E. 21st Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, 73105 or email at [environment@odot.org](mailto:environment@odot.org), by no later than December 1, 2014 (postmarked on or by December 1, 2014).

ODOT strives to accommodate the needs of all residents. If you require special accommodation or translation services for the meeting, please direct your request to Frank Roesler III, ODOT Public Involvement Officer, at (405) 521-2350 or [froesler@odot.org](mailto:froesler@odot.org) at least three working days prior to the public hearing.