







I-45 North Houston Highway Improvement Project

POST-ROD Next Steps & Public Engagement Approach

Wednesday, March 10, 2021 11:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.



TxDOT Issued the NHHIP Record of Decision (ROD)

- Signed February, 2021
- Identifies the Selected Alternative
- Signifies the Completion of the Environmental **Review Process**
- Activate Next Steps
- Design & Refinements

 Right of Way Acquisitions & Relocation

 Project Construction



TXDOT ANNOUNCES RECORD OF DECISION

allow them to remain in their



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TROUT AND ONE PRINTS.

TROUT AND ONE PRINTS. North Houston Highway Improvement Project (NHHIP), which signals the completion of the National Policy Act (NEPA) process for environmental clearance. Specifically, the ROD constitutes approval of the Alternative for this crucial project to improve safety and mobility along one of the state's most congested roadways,

"The ROD is a necessary step in moving into the detailed design phases of project development, which is where we will have the opportunity to fully explore many of the project refinements requested since the release of the Draft EIS and subsequent

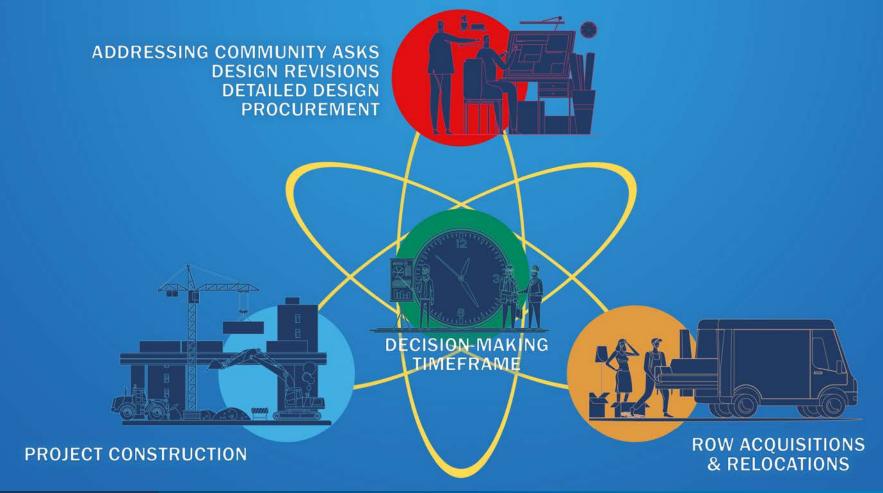


NHHIP POST-ROD NEXT STEPS & PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT APPROACH





NEXT STEPS DECISION-MAKING PRIORITIES



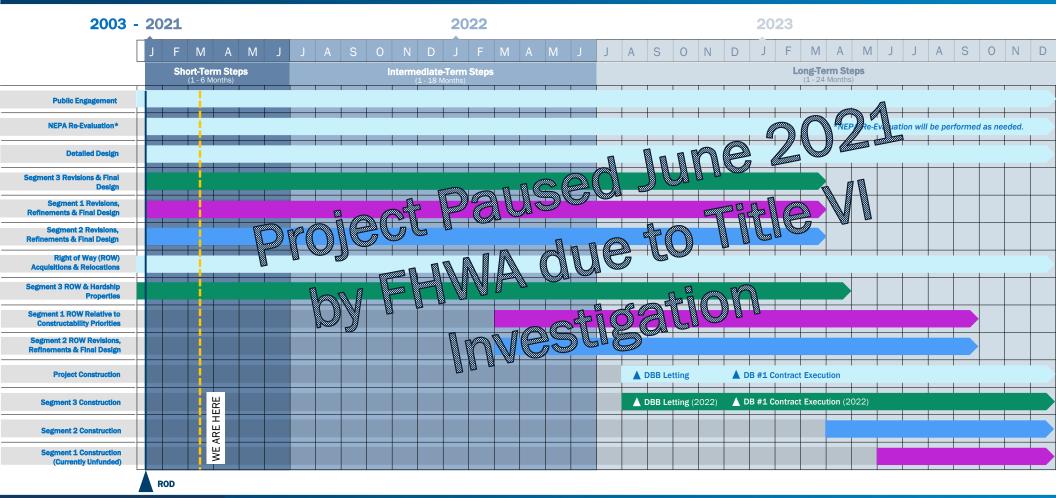


NHHIP POST-ROD PROJECT DEVELOPMENT MILESTONES 2003-2030



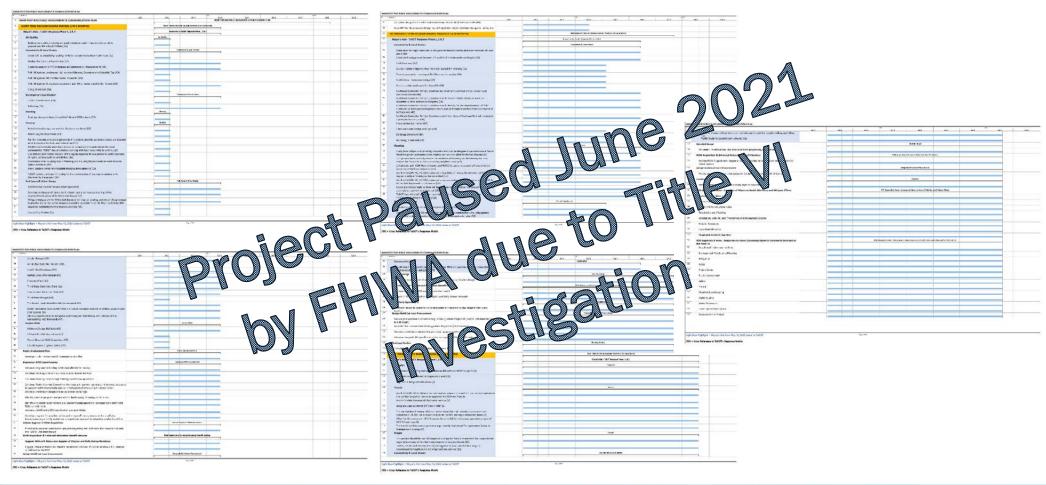


NHHIP POST-ROD PROJECT DEVELOPMENT MILESTONES 2003-2023





DECISION TRACKING MATRIX (Project Development, Detailed Design, Refinements & Next Steps)





SHORT-TERM SAMPLE DECISION-MAKING PROCESS (1-6 MONTHS)

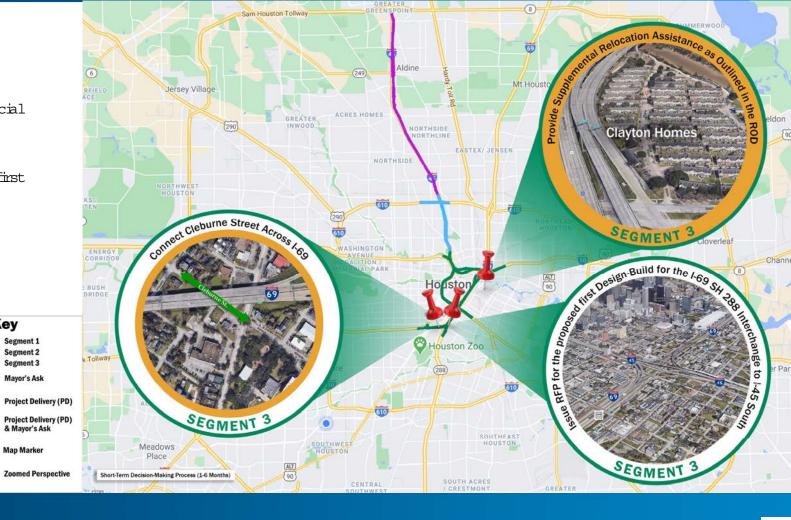
SEGMENT 3

- Connect Clebume Street Across I-69
- Provide Supplem entalFinancial Rebcation Assistance as Outlined in the ROD
- Issue RFP for the proposed first Design Build Project for the I-69/SH 288 Interchange to I-45 South

Map Key

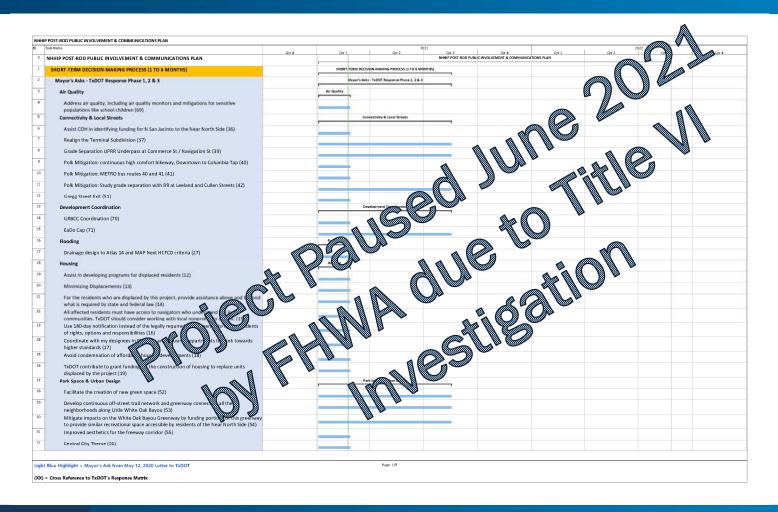
Segment 1

Segment 2 Segment 3



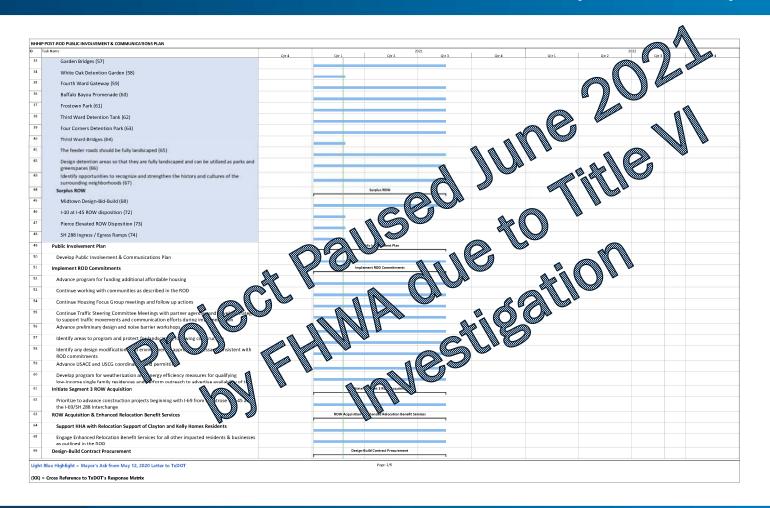


DECISION TRACKING MATRIX - SHORT-TERM ISSUES (1-6 MONTHS)





DECISION TRACKING MATRIX - SHORT-TERM ISSUES (1-6 MONTHS) Cont.





INTERMEDIATE-TERM SAMPLE DECISION-MAKING PROCESS (1-18 MONTHS)

SEGMENT 3

- Evaluate Adding I-10 EB Exit to Gregg Street.
- Initiate Design-Build Procurem ent for I-10 Houston Ave to Waco St.

SEGMENT 2

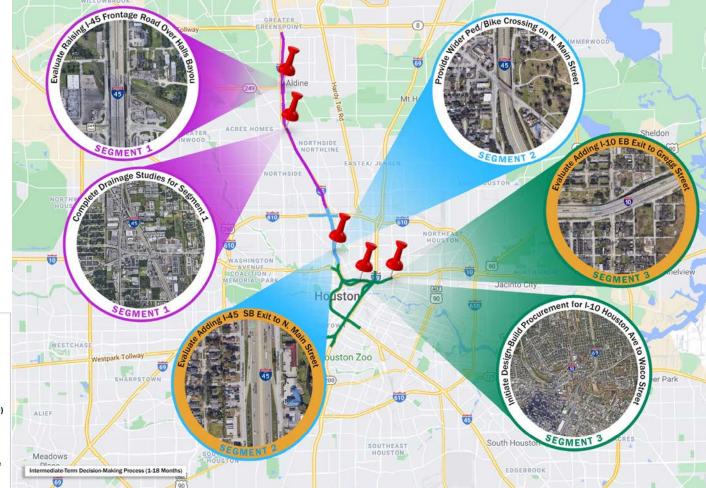
- Evaluate Adding I-45 SB Exit to N.Main St.
- Provide Wider Pedestrian/Bike Crossing on N. Main St.

SEGMENT 1

Com plete Drainage Studies for Segm ent 1

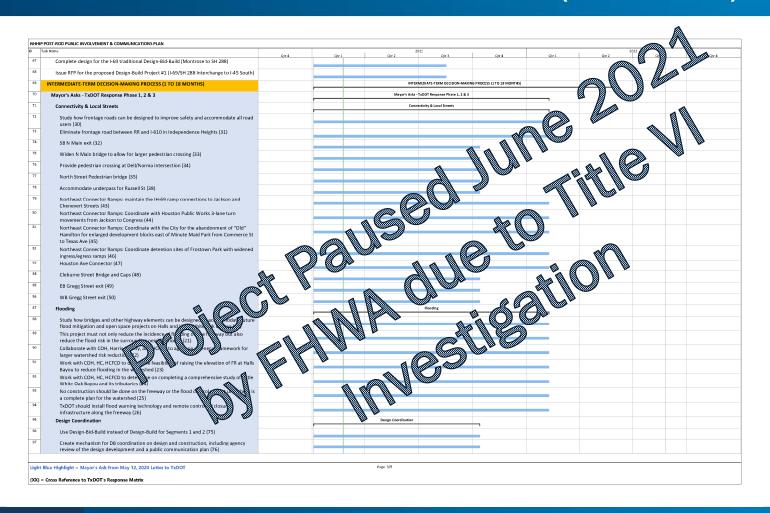
Evaluate Raising
 I45 Frontage Road
 Over Halls Bayou







INTERMEDIATE DECISION-MAKING PROCESS (1-18 MONTHS)





LONG-TERM SAMPLE DECISION-MAKING PROCESS (1-24 MONTHS)

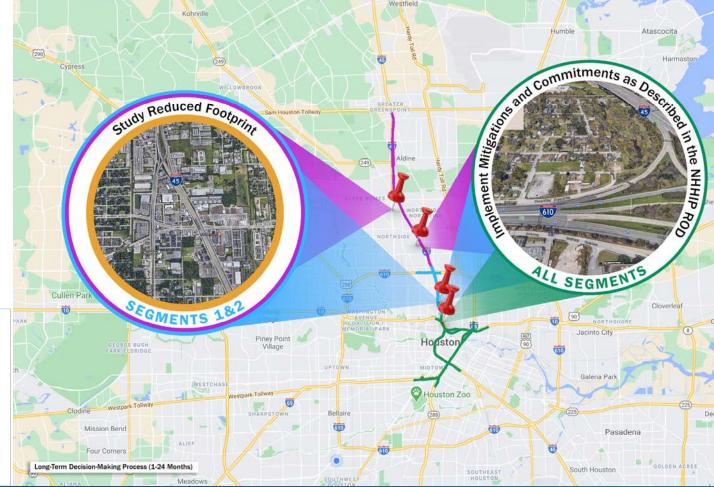
ALL SEGMENTS

 Im plem ent M itigations and Com m itm ents as Described in the NHH IP ROD

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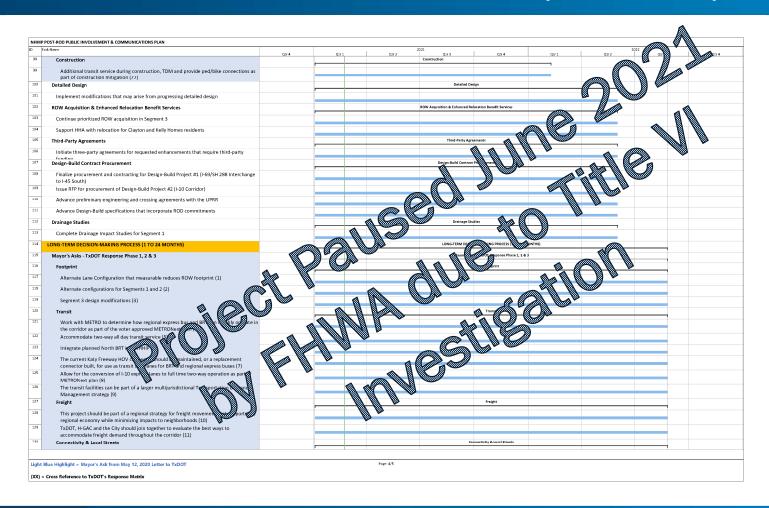
- Study Mayor's Priority Ask
- Study Reduced Footprint (Segm ents 1 & 2)
 - Reduce and Elevate MaX Lanes, no HOV, and Transit Only
 - Reduce Num ber of Lanes on
 Frontage Roads
 - Consider Regional Freight Movement
 - Consider Im pact to Evacuation Effectiveness





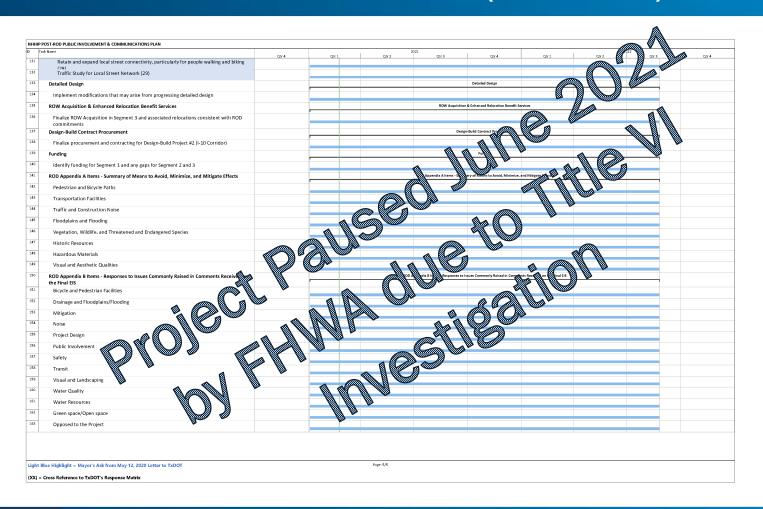


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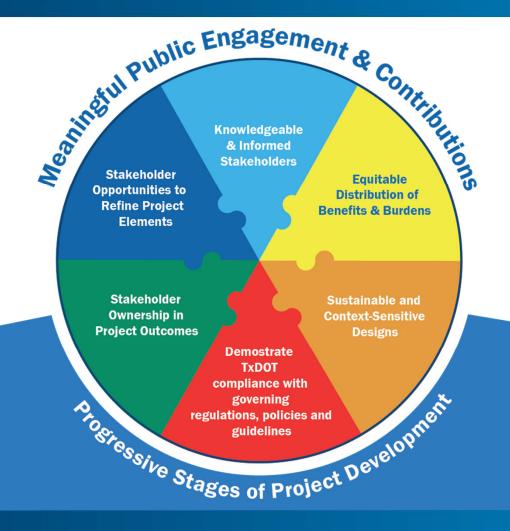


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STRATEGIC PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT DRIVERS





STRATEGIC PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT MEETING OPPORTUNITIES

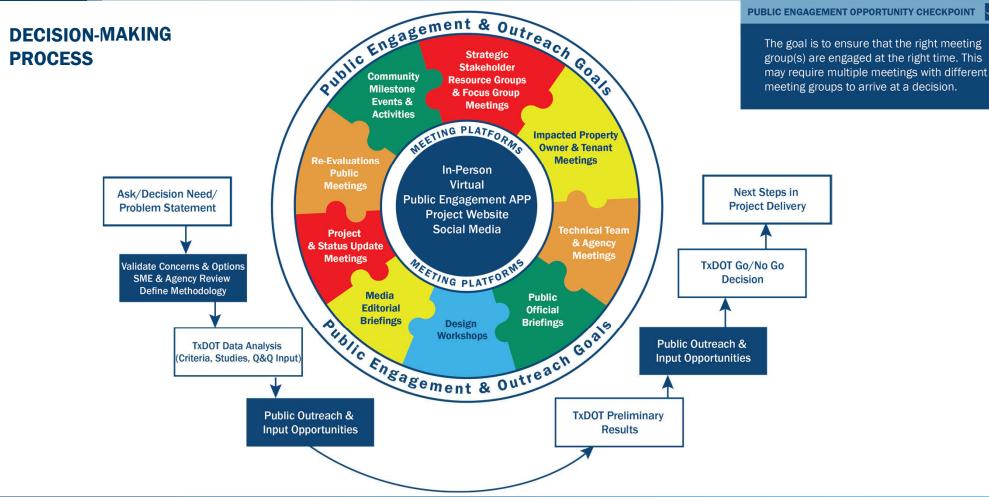
Strategic
Stakeholder
Resource Groups
& Focus Group **PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT GOALS, MEETINGS & TOOLS Events &** Meetings **Activities** MEETING PLATFORMS **Impacted Property Owner & Tenant Re-Evaluations** Meetings In-Person Public **Virtual** Meetings **Public Engagement APP Project Website Social Media Technical Team Project** & Agency & Status Update Meetings **Meetings** WEETING PLATFORMS Media **Public Editorial** Official Briefings Design Workshops Briefings Workshops Briefings Workshops Workshops Briefings **Briefings Briefings**

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITY CHECKPOINT

The goal is to ensure that the right meeting group(s) are engaged at the right time. This may require multiple meetings with different meeting groups to arrive at a decision.

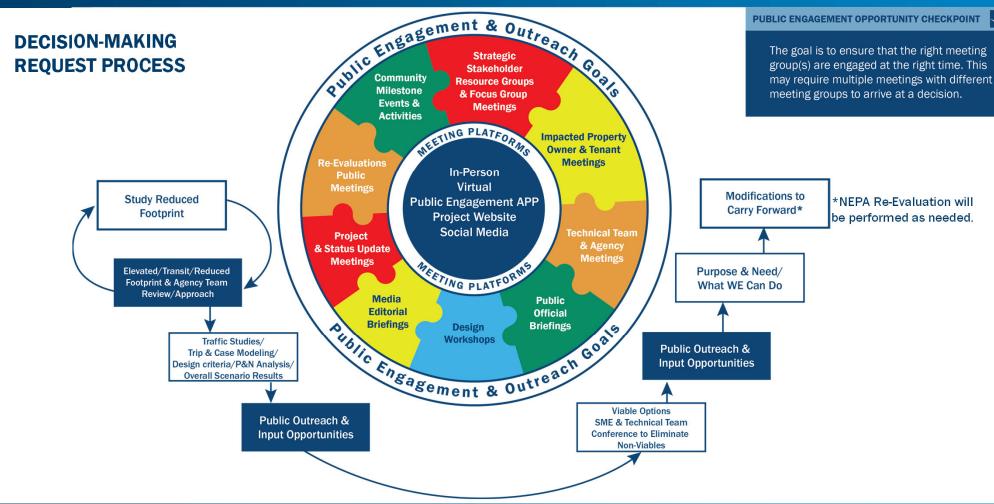


DECISION-MAKING PROCESS & STRATEGIC PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT MEETING OPPORTUNITIES



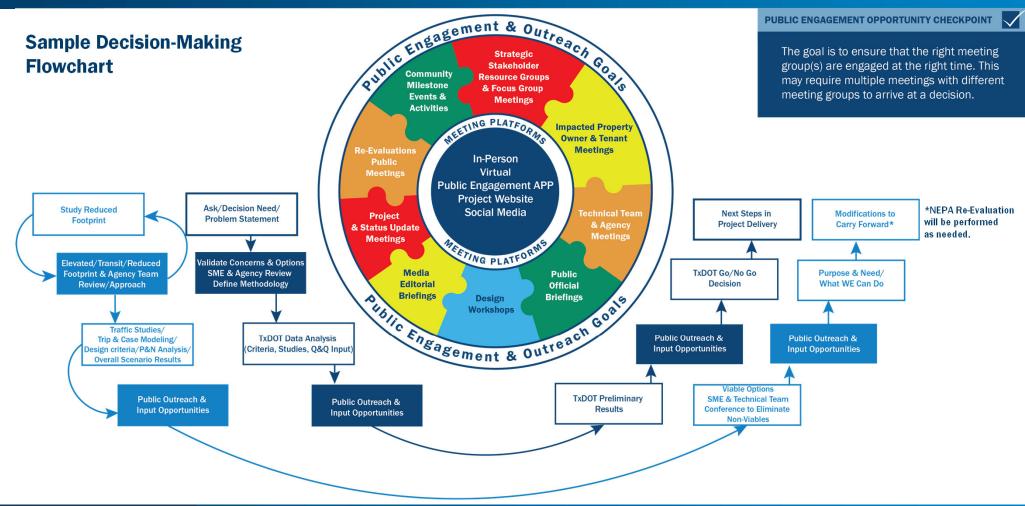


SAMPLE USING "STUDY MAYOR'S PRIORITY ASK" (LONG-TERM 1-24 MONTHS)





DECISION-MAKING PROCESS & STRATEGIC PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT MEETING OPPORTUNITIES





PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT & COMMUNITICATIONS TOOLS





STAKEHOLDER & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT MEETING OUTCOMES

TxDOT believes that public input its process is valuable and makes its products better.

Regional transportation planning cannot, and should not, be based simply upon technical analysis.

The qualitative information derived from public involvement is essential to good decision-making.







PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT APP

The Public Involvement Management Application (PIMA) has visually engaging elements and datacollection capabilities to enhance the public involvement process. With smartphones and other digital devices, stakeholders can use PIMA to submit questions, concerns, and feedback in real-time confidentially to the leadership team. Insights from this data will enable the project team to effectively connect stakeholder input with project development.

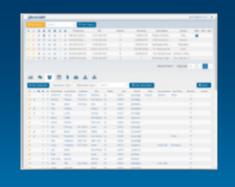


- Design using the "Comment Builder"
- Event/Meeting Sign-In
- Project a Comment Form
- **Event/Meeting Comment Form**
- Kiosk/Other Forms



ANALYTICS

- Map & Chart Visualization
- Event Location & Attendance
- Filter by:
 - Date Range
 - Favorability
 - Stakeholder
 - Topics & More



RESPONSE MANAGEMENT

- **Review Comments**
- Search/Filter by Keyword
- Respond to Comments (individually or en masse)
- Draft & Send by Role
- **Export to Report**



STAKEHOLDER & EVENT MANAGEMENT

- Mass Emails with Tracking
- **Create Document Templates**
- Send Event Invitations by Mass Email
- Create & Manage Evens or Online Meetings



STRATEGIC STAKEHOLDER RESOURCE GROUPS

- Standing & Special Call Interagency Coordination Meetings (TxDOT, COH, Harris County, METRO, & H-GAC)
- NHHIP Housing & Community Focus Group
- NNHIP Traffic Steering Committee
 - Stakeholder Engagement Work Group
 - Strategic Communications Work Group
 - Changing Modes of Transport Work Group
 - Traffic Flow Work Group
- NHHIP Enhanced Relocation Specialists
- NHHIP Affordable Housing Grant Program (Administered by TSAHC)
- Transportation Policy Committee
- Mayor Turner's Facilitation Team



SAMPLE ROW ACQUISITION & RELOCATION MEETINGS

- Impacted Property Owner (Residential & Commercial) & Tenant
- Case Management Individual One-On-One
 - HHA (Clayton Homes & Kelly Village) Tenant
 - Neighborhood Informational
- Housing & Community Focus Group
- TSAHC Affordable Housing Grants Program "Call for Projects"



SAMPLE I-45 NHHIP POST-ROD PUBLIC ENGAGEMENT MEETING SCHEDULE

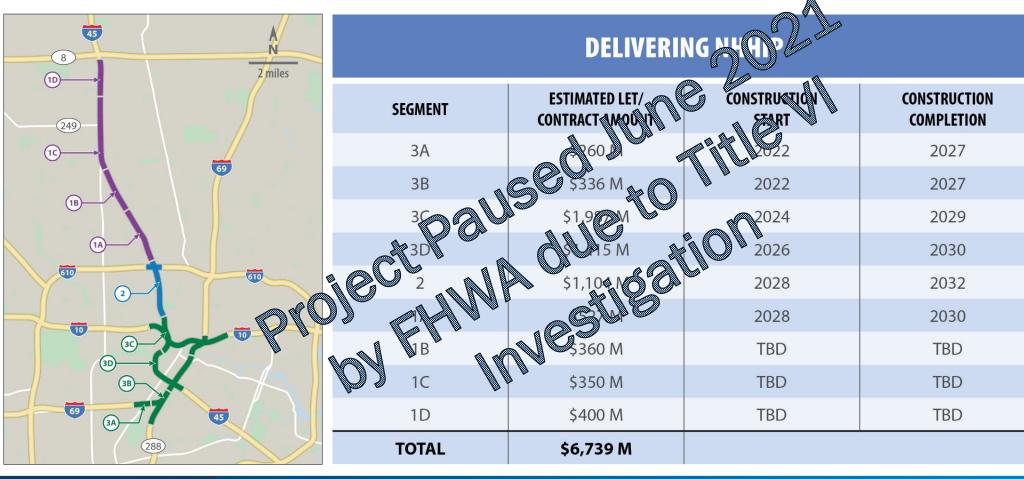






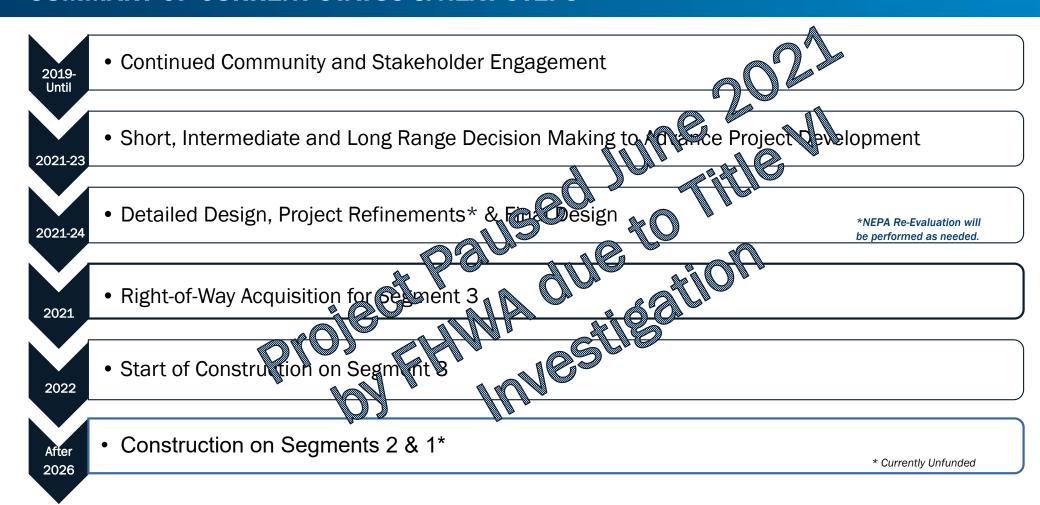


ANTICIPATED PROJECT DELIVERY COST & SCHEDULE





SUMMARY OF CURRENT STATUS & NEXT STEPS





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