

PUBLIC NOTICE



Notice of Intent to Adopt a NEGATIVE DECLARATION and OPPORTUNITY for a PUBLIC HEARING

(Study Results Available)

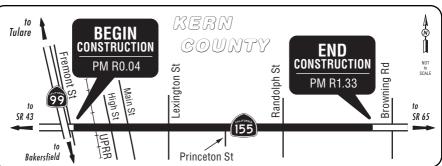
Do you want a virtual public hearing on changes proposed for the Delano 3R Rehabilitation Project in Kern County?

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Comments will be accepted from December 6, 2021 to January 6, 2022

If there are no major comments or requests for a hearing, Caltrans will proceed with the project's design. Visit the project page here:





WHAT IS BEING PLANNED?

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) proposes to resurface, restore, and rehabilitate about 1.3 miles of roadway on State Route 155 in the City of Delano.

WHY THIS PUBLIC NOTICE?

Caltrans has studied the effects this project may have on the environment. Our studies show the project will not significantly affect the quality of the environment. The report that explains why is called an Initial Study with Proposed Negative Declaration. This notice is to inform you of the preparation of the Initial Study with Proposed Negative Declaration and of its availability for you to read and comment on. This notice also offers you an opportunity to request a virtual public hearing.

WHAT'S AVAILABLE?

You can view or obtain the Initial Study with Proposed Negative Declaration and other project information at:

- Online at https://dot.ca.gov/caltrans-near-me/district-6/district-6-projects/06-0w810
- Caltrans District 6 Office at 1352 West Olive Avenue, Fresno, California 93728, weekdays, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Kern County Public Library, Delano Branch, 925 Tenth Avenue, Delano, California 93215, Wednesday through Friday, from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

WHERE YOU COME IN?

Do you have any comments about processing the project with an Initial Study with Proposed Negative Declaration? Do you disagree with the findings of our study as set forth in the Proposed Negative Declaration? Would you care to make any other comments on the project? Would you like a virtual public hearing? Please submit your comments or requests for a virtual public hearing in writing by U.S. Mail or email no later than January 6, 2022, to Caltrans, Attention: Juergen Vespermann, Senior Environmental Planner, District 6 Environmental Division, 2015 East Shields Avenue, Suite 100, Fresno, California 93726, or by email to juergen.vespermann@dot.ca.gov. The date Caltrans will begin accepting comments is December 6, 2021. If there are no major comments or requests for a virtual public hearing, Caltrans will proceed with the project's design.

CONTACT

For more information about this project, please contact Juergen Vespermann, Senior Environmental Planner, at 559-832-0051 or by email at Juergen.Vespermann@dot.ca.gov. You may also contact Project Manager Michael Dennison at 559-383-5175 or by email at michael.dennison@dot.ca.gov. For all other state highway matters in the area, please contact the District 6 Public Information Office at 559-444-2409 or by email at d6.public.info@dot.ca.gov.

SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS

Under the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, individuals who require accommodation (American Sign Language Interpreter, accessible seating, documents in alternative formats, etc.) are requested to contact the Caltrans District 6 Public Information Office at 559-444-2409 or by email at d6.public.info@dot.ca.gov. Telecommunication Devices for the Deaf (TDD) users may contact the California Relay Service line at 1-800-735-2929, Voice Line at 1-800-735-2922, or contact the California Relay Service Teletype Voice Line by dialing 711.