

**SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
CITY OF SIOUX FALLS**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE / INFORMATION MEETING

I-229 Exit 9 (Benson Road) Interchange Modification Study and Environmental Documentation
PL0100(82) PCN 06MF

Date: October 25th, 2018

Time: 5:30 PM – 6:30 PM

Place: Water Reclamation Facility
4500 N Sycamore Avenue
Sioux Falls, SD 57104

(go east at Benson Road off of I-229 to Sycamore Avenue then north or go on 60th Street North to Sycamore Avenue and then south)

The South Dakota Department of Transportation (SDDOT), City of Sioux Falls, and Sioux Falls Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) will hold a public information meeting / open house to receive public input on the Interchange Modification Study and Environmental Documentation required for the project. The open house will be informal allowing for one on one discussion with the study team. The purpose of the meeting is to re-introduce the study goals and findings presented during the I-229 Major Investment Study, discuss updated project timelines, and review updated interchange options. Area residents, business owners, and daily commuters are encouraged to attend and participate in the study. The Environmental Documentation process for the project will also be introduced at the public information meeting.

A brief presentation will take place at 5:35 p.m. SDDOT, City of Sioux Falls, Sioux Falls MPO, and consultant staff will be available after the presentation to discuss the study and answer your questions.

During this time, you will also have the opportunity to present written comments. For those than cannot attend in person, the meeting will be live streamed for your convenience and participation, you will be able to enter questions and watch live at www.facebook.com/CitySiouxFalls , our team will do our best to answer the questions during the meeting.

The project website, www.bensonroadproject.com will be updated with the meeting materials presented at the public meeting no later than October 29th, 2018. The website also allows for questions to be asked and project information to be reviewed.

Notice is further given to individuals with disabilities that this open house is being held in a physically accessible place. Any individuals with disabilities who will require a reasonable accommodation in order to participate in the open house should submit a request to the department's ADA Coordinator at 605-773-3540 or 1-800-877-1113 (Telecommunication Relay Services for the Deaf). Please request the accommodations no later than 2 business days prior to the meeting in order to ensure accommodations are available.

For further information regarding this meeting, contact Steve Gramm, with the SDDOT at (605) 773-6641, Shannon Ausen with the City of Sioux Falls at (605) 367-8607, or Jason Kjenstad, Project Engineer with HDR at (605)-977-7740.