

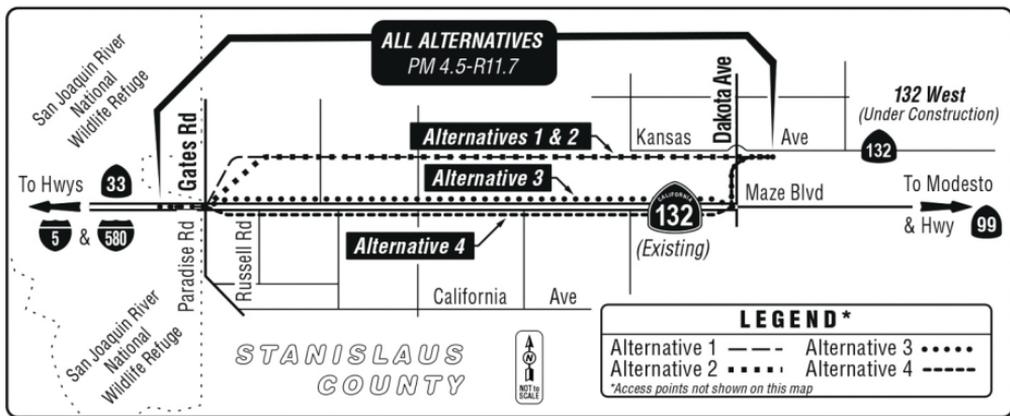


PUBLIC NOTICE



Announcement of a Virtual Public Information Meeting

State Route 132 Dakota Avenue to Gates Road Project



WHEN AND WHERE

Date: Wednesday, October 7th, 2020
Time: 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Access the virtual meeting at the project website:
Address: <https://bit.ly/3bEFwaH>

WHAT IS BEING PLANNED?

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), working in cooperation with Stanislaus County and the Stanislaus Council of Governments, proposes to construct an access controlled facility within the western central portion of Stanislaus County, from Gates Road/Paradise Road to Dakota Avenue, post miles 4.5 to R11.7, located two miles west of the City of Modesto. This project would be an extension of the State Route 132 West project that is currently being constructed on a new alignment in the City of Modesto in Stanislaus County. There are four build alternatives under consideration on either the existing State Route 132 alignment or on a new alignment located north of State Route 132. A No Build Alternative is also under consideration.

WHY THIS PUBLIC NOTICE?

This public notice serves as an announcement that Caltrans is holding a virtual public information meeting:

- To update the community on the project's process
- To discuss project alternatives and the status of environmental studies
- To obtain your comments on the project

For more information on the virtual meeting, please visit the project website: <https://bit.ly/3bEFwaH>. If you do not have access to a computer, a phone line will be available. During the virtual hearing, please call between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. at (209) 948-3849 (English) or (209) 948-7944 (Spanish).

WHERE DO YOU COME IN?

The meeting will be held in a virtual online format. Comments will be accepted via the virtual hearing website, written, or by email. A court reporter will also be available to record individual comments. If you are not able to attend the virtual public information meeting, please submit your comments in writing, by U.S. Mail to Jennifer Lugo, Branch Chief, Central Region Environmental, 855 M Street, Suite 200 Fresno, CA 93721, or by email to jennifer.lugo@dot.ca.gov. After considering all comments received, Caltrans will continue with the project's environmental analysis phase.

CONTACT

For more information, please contact the Project Manager, Jes Padda at (209) 351-4432 or by email to jes.padda@dot.ca.gov. For all other State Highway matters in the area, please contact the Caltrans District 10 Public Information Office at district10publicaffairs@dot.ca.gov, or phone (209) 948-7977.

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 10 Public Information Office at District10publicaffairs@dot.ca.gov, or phone (209) 948-7977. TDD users may contact the California Relay Service TDD and/or Voice Line at (800) 735-2929 or 711.