



NAS JRB FORT WORTH REGIONAL COORDINATION COMMITTEE MEETING

4.17.2023 | SAMSON PARK, TX



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ITEM 1: PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND TEXAS PLEDGE





TEXAS PLEDGE

Honor the Texas flag;
I pledge allegiance to thee,
Texas,

One state under God, One and indivisible.

ITEM 2: WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

ITEM 3: APPROVAL OF MEETING SUMMARY (ACTION)

ITEM 4: CHALLENGE COIN PRESENTATION



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ITEM 5: TENANT COMMAND SERIES—US NAVY JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S CORPS

ITEM 6: MEANDERING ROAD UPDATE

Meandering Road



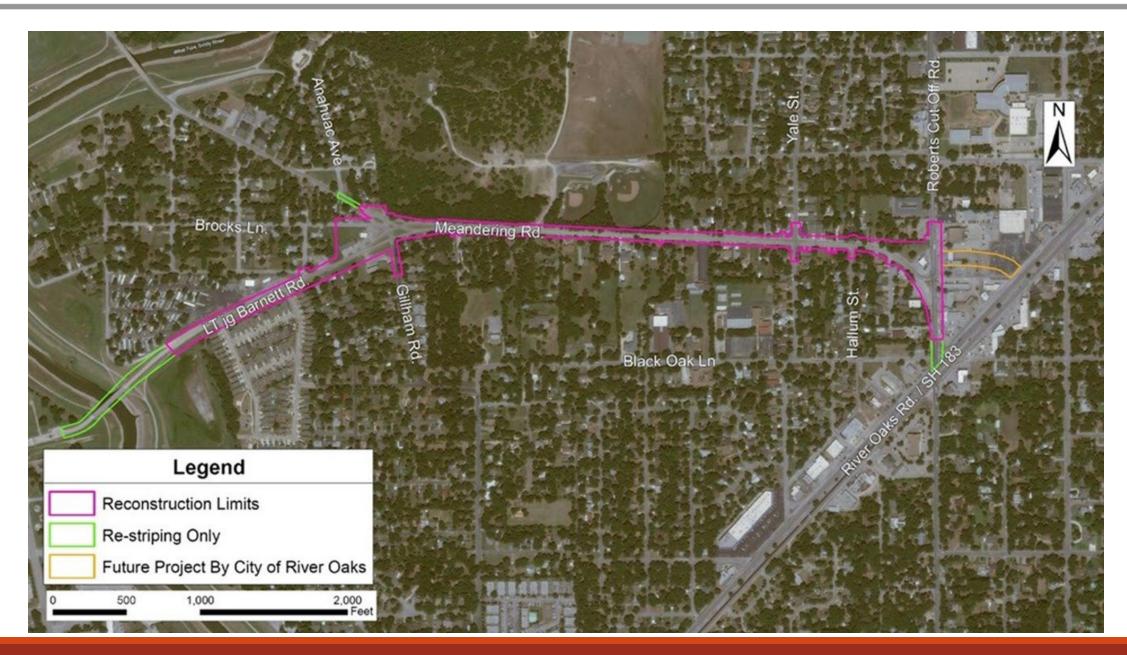
Design of Meandering Road from East Gate of NASJRB to River Oaks Blvd. (SH 183)











Purpose and Need

Purpose:

Construct an arterial roadway that provides a safe, efficient, and cost-effective transportation facility designed to meet projected travel demand

Need:

The project is needed to address deteriorating conditions of the existing roadway, operational/safety deficiencies at intersections, accommodate bicycles and pedestrians where no facilities currently exist, and to better size the facility to meet the needs of the surrounding area.

Scope of Project

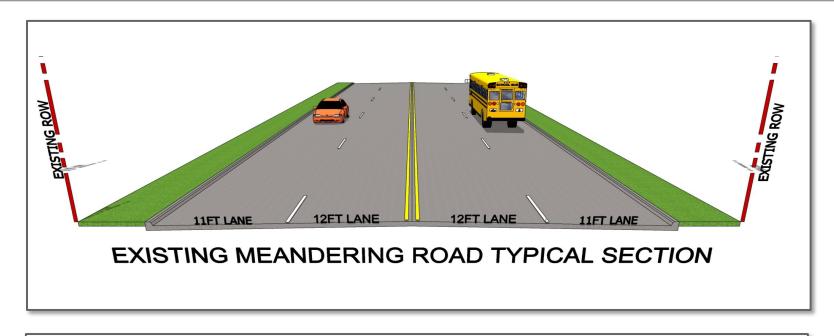
Complete Preliminary Design, Environmental Clearance, and Final PS&E to:

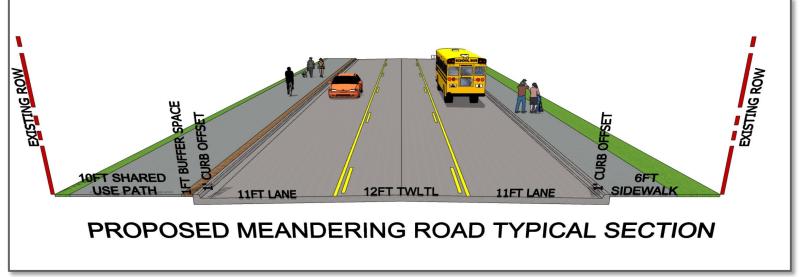
- ➤ Reconstruct Meandering Road from 4 to 3 lanes
- ➤ Realign intersection at Roberts Cut Off
- Construct intersection improvements at Yale St and LTJG Barnett Rd
- Add sidewalks and sidepaths within project limits
- ► Add bike lanes on LTJG Barnett Rd

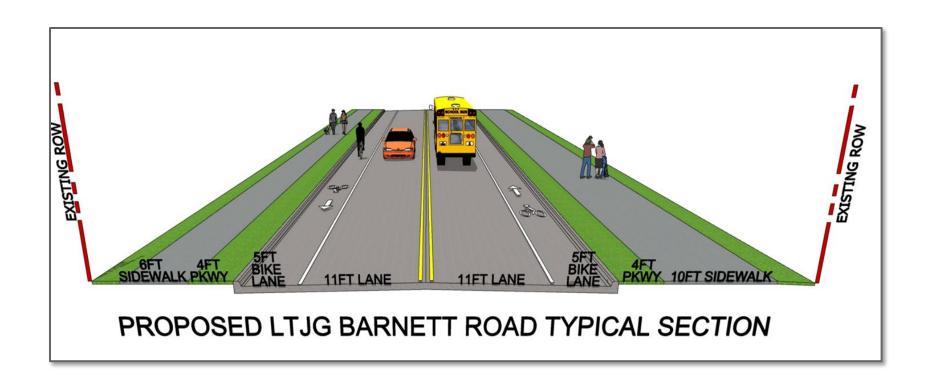
Project Team

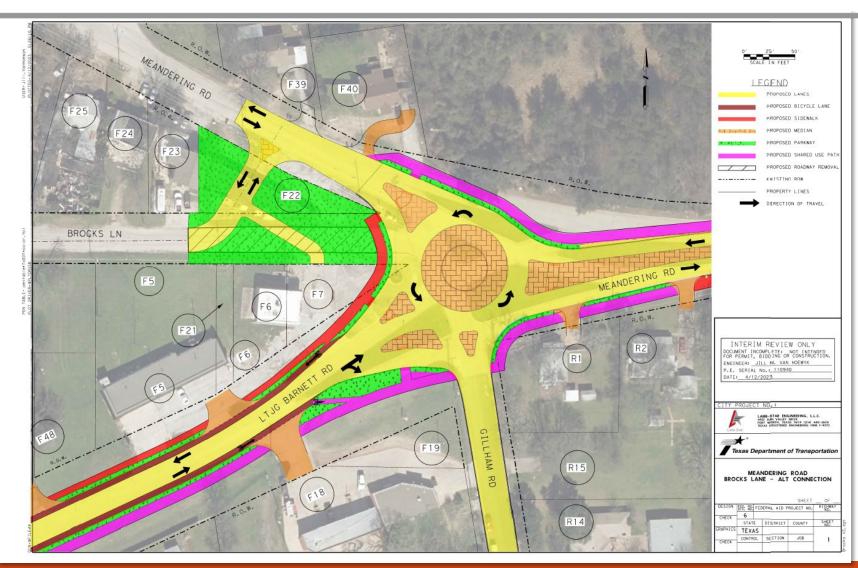
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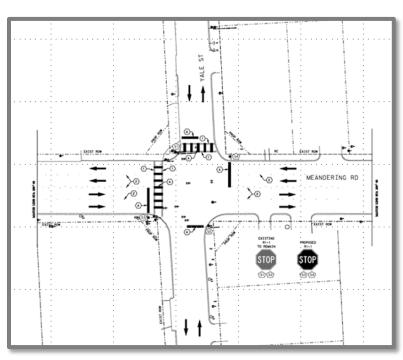
^{**} Original Team Member

















Completed Tasks

Task	Date						
Public Hearing (Virtual and In-Person)	February, 2022						
Environmental Tech Reports Submitted	March, 2022						
90% Design Reviewed by City of Fort Worth	October, 2022						
Design Updates Based on Public Hearing	November, 2022						
Public Hearing Documentation	November, 2022						
Updated Traffic Report Submitted	February, 2023						

Pending Tasks

Task	Assigned To								
Environmental Clearance Awarded	TxDOT								
90% PS&E Review by TxDOT	Design Team & TxDOT								
ROW Negotiations	City of Fort Worth and City of River Oaks								
Utility Coordination and Relocation	Design Team & Utility Owners								
100% PS&E Submittal to City and TxDOT	Design Team, City of Fort Worth, TxDOT								
Project Letting	Design Team & City of Fort Worth								

Schedule

	2022				2023											2024						
Description		Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June
90% Submittal to COFW (10/16/22)		÷																				
Public Hearing and Documentation (11/22/22)			·	-																		
90% Submittal TxDOT Review (04/2023)								<u>.</u>	-													
CE Clearance Documentation/Checklists & Approval (04/14/23)								•														
ROW Funding Verification (05/01/23)								_	>													
Final 100% Submittal to COFW (08/01/23)								-			Ĭ	Ĭ										
Final 100% Submittal TxDOT Review (09/01/23)												- <	Ĭ									
Utility Coordination and Relocation (est. clear 10/15/2023)								- 1						•								
ROW Begin (05/01/23) (est. clear 10/15/2023)								- 1						9								
TxDOT Final Review and Certification														1					$-\circ$			
Project Letting (Mar 2024)																			•			

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ITEM 7: BASE SECURITY INITIATIVE



NASJRB/COMMUNITY EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS & RESPONSE COMMITTEE

- Create a Committee of NASJRB, Community and Industry Law Enforcement, Security, Emergency Preparedness and Emergency Response Professionals
- Model the Committee After and Operate in Parallel to the RCC
- Re-Establish and Maintain Key Lines of Communication Going Forward
- Review and Update Mutual Aid, Response and Service Agreements
- Identify Joint Training Opportunities
- Plan and Conduct Emergency Response Training Exercises
- Perform and Maintain Threat Assessments
- Asses and Address Perimeter Security Needs
- Identify and Secure Funding Opportunities as Needed
- Others?



URBAN AREA SECURITY INITIATIVE (UASI)

- Federal Emergency Management Agency grant program
- Funding to assist high-threat, high-density Urban Areas in efforts to build and sustain the capabilities necessary to prevent, protect against, mitigate, respond to, and recover from acts of terrorism.
- Financial assistance to address the unique multi-discipline planning, organization, equipment, training, and exercise needs of high-threat, high-density Urban Areas and to assist these areas in building and sustaining capabilities to prevent, protect against, mitigate, respond to, and recover from threats or acts of terrorism.

ITEM 8: 2023 DCIP APPLICATION



DEFENSE COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE PILOT PROGRAM – OVERVIEW

- Office of Local Defense Community Cooperation program to address deficiencies in community infrastructure that are supportive of a military installation in order to address:
 - 1) military value,
 - 2) installation resilience, and
 - 3) military family quality of life.
- Past awards: Maximum of \$20 million and minimum of \$250,000
- Minimum 30% non-federal match requirement
- Proposals must be construction-ready within the first 12 months after award of a grant
- Eligible activities include only hard construction and renovation costs <u>outside</u> of <u>local installation property</u> (defined as property not owned by the local installation or any component of the Department of Defense)

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PROJECT OVERVIEW

- City of Lake Worth Fire Station to relocate essential emergency response services from the Accident Potential Zone II to a location outside a safety zone.
- Estimated Total Project Cost: \$13.5 million
 - Requested Amount: TBD. Lake Worth will provide 30% local match.
- Final design to be completed by proposal deadline, will include EV charging stations
- Current site will be left vacant until a compatible use is identified for the parcel
- Proposals due June 23. Successful proposals will be invited to submit formal application. Awards to be announced this fall.

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ITEM 9: BASE UPDATE

ITEM 10: JLUS UPDATE



VOLUNTARY NOISE MITIGATION PROGRAM OVERVIEW

- US Congress provided \$75 million for voluntary noise mitigation surrounding military installations in the FY22 Appropriations Bill
- Program will be administered through OLDCC
- Requires a 10% local match
- Eligible properties include hospitals, daycare facilities, schools, facilities serving senior citizens and private residences located within one mile of a base or in a 65+ dB DNL noise contour
- Use of funding must be prioritized within the community
- Rules have not been released (expected April 2023), but expected to be similar to an FAA program

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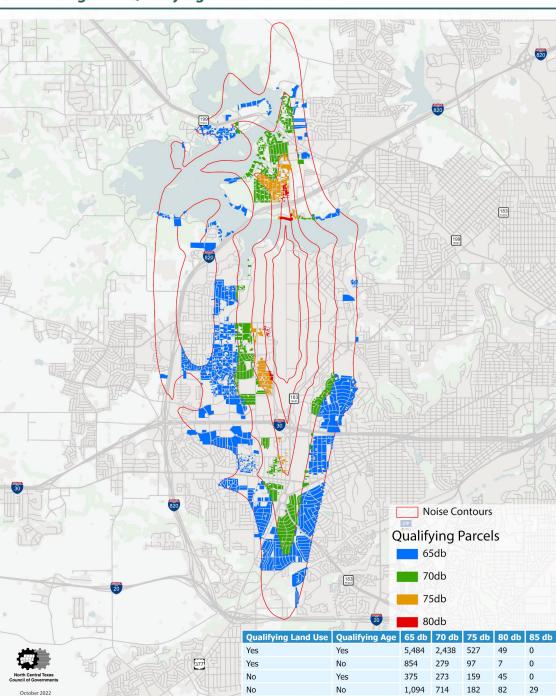


VOLUNTARY NOISE MITIGATION PROGRAM DRAFT SCHEDULE

- April 1, 2023: Publish Draft Notice of Funding Opportunity (120 Day Public Comment Period
- July 31, 2023: Comments Due
- October 1, 2023: Publish Final Notice of Funding Opportunity (120 Day Response Time)
- January 31, 2024: Responses Due
- March 31, 2024: Two Months to Score



Noise Mitigation Qualifying Parcel Assessment





WELCOME PACKET: PURPOSE

- Introduce base to community members, especially those new to the area
- Outline expectations for neighbors of the base
- Provide resources for learning more about the base and raising concerns
- Distribute hard copies and post online
- Translated into Spanish and Vietnamese



WELCOME PACKET: CONTENTS

- Welcome letter
- Base overview
 - History and mission
 - Economic impact of base and defense industry
 - Sound mitigation efforts
- RCC overview
- Community tools
 - Planning and zoning ordinances and development review tool
 - DoD coordination and JLUS studies
 - UAS issues
- Resources and contact information
- Official public comment form



WELCOME PACKET: SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIALS

- JLUS brochure (includes map)
- NAS JRB Fort Worth base brochure (includes map)
- UAS safe flying fact sheet
- Folder

Requesting RCC Comments by April 30, 2023





Dear New Community Member:

The Naval Air Station Joint Reserve Base, Fort Worth Regional Coordination Committee (NAS JRB Fort Worth RCC) would like to welcome you as a new member of the NAS JRB Fort Worth community. NAS JRB Fort Worth has been a longtime neighbor to residents and businesses in western Tarrant County, and we want to make sure you are informed about the relationship between the base and the community.

NAS JRB Fort Worth is a military installation of the United States Department of Defense, and its presence in our community is a significant driver of economic growth. You or your neighbors may have served or currently serve in the armed forces, work on the base, or work in the defense industry. The NAS JRB Fort Worth RCC exists to help the base and surrounding communities be good neighbors to one another. The enclosed welcome packet provides an overview of the base, the RCC, and various ways the community works with NAS JRB Fort Worth to ensure growth and development do not encroach on base operations while maintaining a high quality of life for the surrounding community.

Over the years, RCC members have worked to implement recommendations promoting compatible land-use planning to ensure the viability of the NAS JRB Fort Worth and preserve its economic significance to our community. The RCC meets quarterly to discuss base operations and development issues. These meetings are open to the public, and you are invited to attend. Included in this welcome packet is a formal public comment form. Feel free to provide comments using the form or using the contact information provided in this packet.

Welcome to the neighborhood! We hope you will find living near NAS JRB Fort Worth as rewarding as we do. Please do not hesitate to let us know how we can help you with any questions or concerns related to living near a military installation.

Sincerely,

Mike Coleman, Chair Regional Coordination Committee City of Westworth Village

ITEM 11: STAFF REPORTS



READINESS AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION INTEGRATION (REPI)

- DOD tool for combating encroachment by helping remove or avoid landuse conflicts near installations and addressing regulatory restrictions that inhibit military activities.
- Use of "buffer" partnerships among the Military Services, private conservation groups, and state and local governments to share the cost of acquisition of easements or other interests in land from willing sellers to preserve compatible land uses and natural habitats near installations
- Focus on sustainable, resilient projects that enable continuous testing, training, and strategic operations at installations
- Since FY 2003, DOD has secured \$1.24 billion with over \$1.13 billion in non-Department partner contributions to protect over 1.18 million acres of land at 120 locations across 35 states and territories to preserve key operational assets, infrastructure, and capabilities.

RCC SCHEDULING UPDATE

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION
July 17, 2023	RCC Meeting	White Settlement
October 16, 2023	RCC Meeting	Westworth Village
January 22, 2024	RCC Meeting	TBD
April 15, 2024	RCC Meeting	TBD

Additional 2023 or 2024 committee meetings may be scheduled as needed at the discretion of the Chair





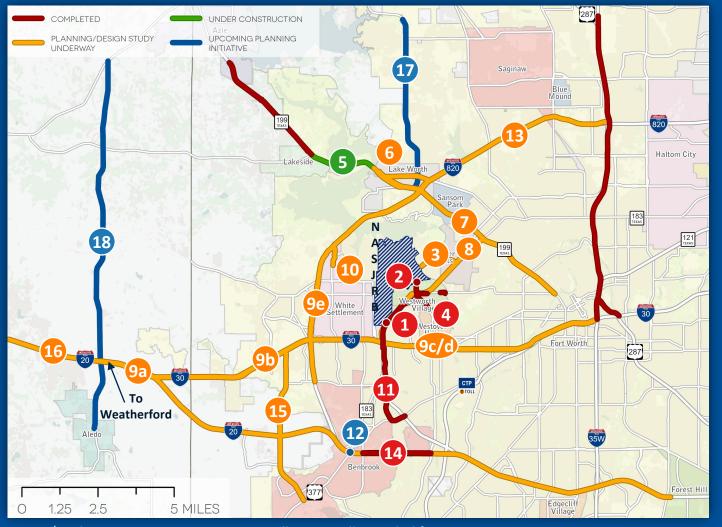
CURRENT & FUTURE TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS

Base Access Improvements

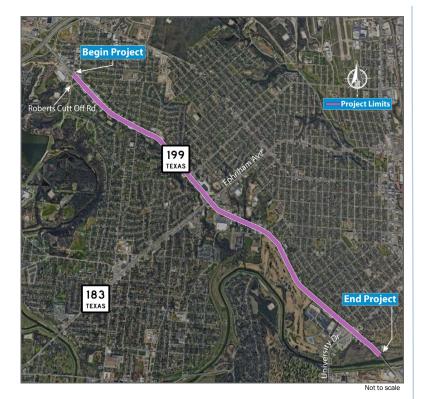
- 1. Commercial Vehicle Gate Construction
- 2. NASJRB Main Gate Construction
- 3. Meandering Road Design \$

Area Road Improvements

- 4. Westworth Village Bike Trail
- 5. SH 199 TxDOT Corridor Project \$
- 6. FM 1220 (Azle Ave) Corridor Plan
- 7. SH 199 TxDOT Corridor Plan \$
- 8. SH 183 TxDOT Corridor Plan \$
- 9. IH 30 TxDOT Corridor Plan \$
 - a. IH20/IH 30 Walsh Ranch (Phase 1)
 - b. IH 30 TxDOT Corridor Plan Phase 1
 - c. IH 30 TxDOT Corridor Plan Phase 2
 - d. IH 30 Capital Asset Management Phase 2
 - e. IH 820 Access Enhancements (South)
- 10. Las Vegas Trail Design \$
- 11. Bomber Spur Bike Trail Plan
- 12. IH 20/CTP Connections
- 13. IH 820/SH 199 TxDOT Corridor Plan
- 14. IH 20 Auxiliary Lanes \$
- 15. RM 2871 TxDOT Corridor Plan
- 16. IH 20 Statewide Corridor Plan
- 17. Boat Club Road
- 18. FM 3325







PURPOSE AND NEED

The purpose of the proposed project is to provide connectivity with planned city streets, reduce congestion, improve mobility and safety, and enhance accommodations for multi-modal transportation including cyclists and pedestrians.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Reconstruct and widen a 4-lane divided roadway with raised median and outside shoulders to a 6-lane divided urban roadway with raised median, sidewalks, curb & gutter and intersection improvements.

PROJECT STATUS

Project is currently at 60% schematic design to TxDOT. Coordination continues with entities, property owners and utilities along the corridor to evaluate existing driveways and transit stops.

PROJECT DETAILS CSJ: 0171-05-094/Project Limits

Highway:	SH 199
From:	Roberts Cut Off
То:	West Fork of Trinity River
Length	4.7 miles
County:	Tarrant

ESTIMATED COSTS*

Estimated Construction	\$95.3M	
Estimated ROW	TBD	
Estimated Total	\$95.3M	
*TxDOT acti	*TxDOT actively working on funding	

PROGRAMMING STATUS

MTP (Metropolitan Transportation Plan)	YES
UTP (Unified Transportation Program)	YES
STIP (State Transportation Improvement Program)	YES

TYPICAL SECTIONS

Present Condition Proposed Construction Mainlanes Mainlanes Proposed Addition

Project Timeline (anticipated and subject to change)



CONTACT INFORMATION

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OTHER BUSINESS

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ITEM 12: PUBLIC COMMENTS

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