

ATTENTION US 281 / LOOP 1604 INTERCHANGE PROJECT



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US 281 Loop 1604 Interchange  
Community Open House Comment Form  
August 25, 2009 Meeting

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Multiple horizontal lines for writing comments.

Please include your name and mailing address with all written comments. Comment forms and/or letters should be mailed to US 281 Super Street c/o Alamo RMA, 1222 N. Main Ste 1000, San Antonio, TX 78212. All written comments received or postmarked by Friday, September 4, 2009, will be included in the official record of the community open house.

Comments can be:  
Emailed to [Interchange@AlamoRMA.org](mailto:Interchange@AlamoRMA.org)  
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US 281 Loop 1604 Interchange Open House comments (25 Aug 09)

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I am concerned about the additional cut-through traffic through Hollywood Park that will be created during construction AND even after completion due to the current design. I am also concerned with the increased noise, light, and exhaust pollution that will be caused by the EB 1604- SB 281 elevated connection unless added buffers are provided for.

With respect to the cut-through traffic, TXDOT MUST change the planned orientation of the 1604 access and connection ramps so that SB Stone Oak Blvd traffic will be able to take advantage of the EB 1604-SB281 connection ramp. Currently, the plan shows the connection ramp beginning before (to the West) of the EB 1604 frontage road access to EB 1604. This configuration does not allow for the Stone Oak Blvd traffic to use the new connection ramp. Of all the new ramps, this particular ramp has the most available real estate available to allow for the 1604 frontage road access to 1604 ramp to be located between Stone Oak Blvd and the beginning of the EB 1604-SB 281 connection ramp. Stone Oak traffic using Stone Oak Blvd would be able to turn on to the EB 1604 frontage road (as they do now) and then access 1604 then transition to the connection ramp to proceed to SB 281. If the ramps are not adjusted, the Stone Oak traffic will not be afforded the opportunity to take advantage of the new connection ramp and thus either continue to 281 via the crowded frontage road as they do today OR will cut through Hollywood Park, exiting at Donella and 281. This current planned configuration further appears to discriminate against the Hollywood Park businesses located on the Southern 1604 frontage road, East of the Stone Oak Blvd/Voight-1604 interchange.

With respects to the increased noise, light, and exhaust pollution, the elevated EB 1604-SB 281 ramp connector will increase the pollution levels unless mitigated by buffers or some other means. With the current two-level interchange, the trees in the South-West quadrant from the 1604/281 intersection have provided some buffering. With the new ramp connectors, the increased height of the structure will have overflow of noise, light, and exhaust pollution over the trees and in to Hollywood Park.