Hays County Road Improvements

OPEN HOUSE MEETING

August — September 2025



All materials available online:

HaysCoRoads.com

Timeline

History

AUGUST 2024

Hays County Commissioners Court unanimously approves order calling for a Road Bond.

NOVEMBER 2024

Voters Approve \$440 M 2024 Road Bond Package that includes planning and design for 31 projects with 14 of them funded through construction.

JUNE 2025

Travis County district judge ruled that the road bond package was void due to an open meeting requirement not being met.

JULY 2025

Hays County Commissioners Court unanimously approves moving forward with the issuance of Certificates of Obligation (CO) not to exceed \$240 M while appealing the bond ruling. Funding from COs include:

- Planning and design for 30 projects originally included in the bond with 8 of them funded for construction
- SH 45 Study Not Included

Looking Ahead

AUGUST - SEPTEMBER, 2025

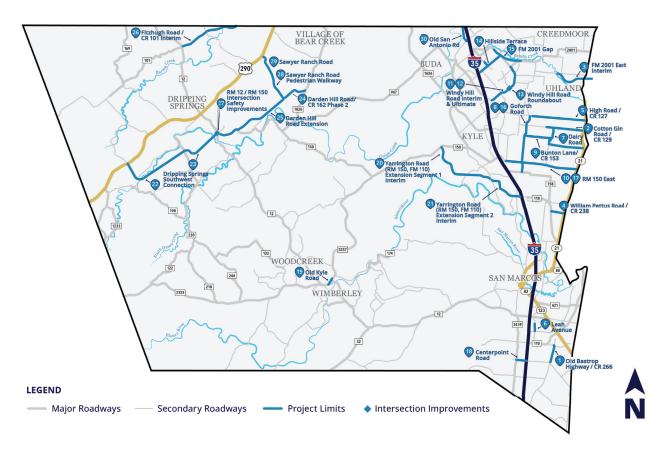
Hays County hosts public open house meetings to share information and answer questions from community members.

SEPTEMBER 30, 2025

Hays County Commissioners will be able to move forward issuing the COs if a valid petition is not submitted beforehand. If a valid petition is submitted, another public election would be required before issuing the COs.

A date for the appeal of the ruling on the 2024 Road Bond has not been set. If the appeal confirms the voiding of the bond, the County may decide to hold another bond election as early as 2026. If the appeal rules the bond was valid, the County will utilize bonds to fund the projects.

Road Improvement Projects



PRECINCT 1

- 1. Old Bastrop Highway / CR 266 -Centerpoint Road to Rattler Road
- Cotton Gin Road / CR 129 Bonanza Street to SH 21
- **3. FM 2001 East Interim -** *Graef Road to* Southeast of SH 21
- 4. William Pettus Road / CR 238 FM 110 to SH 21
- 5. High Road / CR 127 East of Goforth Road to SH 21
- 6. Leah Avenue CR 269 to Cottonwood
 Parkway
- 7. Dairy Road Bunton Lane to Cotton Gin Road (CR 129)
- 8. Goforth Road Bunton Lane to Bebee Road / High Road
- 9. Bunton Lane / CR 153 Violet Lane to SH 21 at Gristmill Road
- RM 150 East Preliminary Design -Precinct 1 Boundary to SH 21

PRECINCT 3

- 18. Centerpoint Road I-35 to FM 2349 / Hunter Road
- 19. Old Kyle Road RM 12 to RM 3237
- 20. Yarrington Road (RM 150, FM 110) Extension Segment 1 Interim - West of Arroyo Ranch to Old Stagecoach Road at RC 16
- 21. Yarrington Road (RM 150, FM 110) Extension Segment 2 Interim - 1-35 to Old Stagecoach Road
- 22. Dripping Springs Southwest Connection - US 290 to Precinct 3 Boundary

PRECINCT 2

- **11. Windy Hill Road Interim -** *Purple Martin Avenue to FM 2001*
- 12. Windy Hill Road Ultimate Purple
 Martin Avenue to FM 2001
- 13. Windy Hill Road Roundabout Windy Hill at Shadow Creek Boulevard
- 14. Hillside Terrace I-35 to FM 2001
- **15. FM 2001 Gap -** FM 2001 West to Existing FM 2001
- 16. Goforth Road CR 158 to RM 150
- 17. RM 150 East Preliminary Design -Lehman Road to Precinct 2 Boundary

PRECINCT 4

- 23. Dripping Springs Southwest
 Connection Precinct 4 Boundary to
- 24. Darden Hill Road / CR 162 Phase 2 -East of Sawyer Ranch Road to RM 1826
- 25. Darden Hill Road Extension RM 150 West of Springwood Road to West of Sawyer Ranch
- **26. Fitzhugh Road / CR 101 -** *RM 12 to Travis County Line*
- 27. RM 12 / RM 150 Intersection Safety Improvements - RM 150 at RM 12 Intersection
- 28. Sawyer Ranch Road Pedestrian Walkway - Meadow Creek Drive to Darden Hill Road
- **29. Sawyer Ranch Road -** US 290 to Darden Hill Road
- 30. Old San Antonio Road
 Design/Construction Participation
 with City of Buda Main Street to
 Travis County Line

Precinct 1 Projects

PROJECTS	IMPROVEMENTS	CO FUNDING	CO FUNDING INCLUDES	CHANGE FROM BOND FUNDING	2024 BOND FUNDING
Old Bastrop Highway / CR 266 Centerpoint Road to Rattler Road	Construct 2 lane undivided road with shoulders & turn lanes	\$11.5 M	Design, Construction		\$11.2 M
Cotton Gin Road / CR 129 Bonanza Street to SH 21	Construct 2 lane undivided road with shoulders	\$18 M	Design, Utility Relocation, Construction		\$18 M
FM 2001 East Interim Graef Road to Southeast of SH 21	Design for new alignment of 2 lane divided road with shoulders and turn lanes	\$1.7 M	Design, Utility Coordination		\$1.7 M
William Pettus Road / CR 238 FM 110 to SH 21	Design for 2 lane undivided road with shoulders	\$3.7 M	Design, ROW, Utility Relocation		\$3.7 M
High Road / CR 127 East of Goforth Road to SH 21	Design for expansion to 4 lane divided road with center turn lane	\$8.4 M	Design, ROW, Utility Relocation	Construction Not Funded	\$13.1 M
Leah Avenue <i>CR 269 to Cottonwood Parkway</i>	Design for connection of segments of existing Leah Ave.	\$1.9 M	Design, ROW		\$1.9 M
Dairy Road Bunton Lane to Cotton Gin Road (CR 129)	Design for 2 lane undivided road with shoulders	\$1.2 M	Design, ROW		\$1 M
Goforth Road Bunton Lane to Bebee Road / High Road	Design for 4 lane divided road with center turn lane and roundabout at Cotton Gin Rd.	\$6.6 M	Design, ROW, Utility Relocation	Construction Not Funded	\$25.5 M
Bunton Lane / CR 153 Violet Lane to SH 21 at Gristmill Road	Design for 2 lane undivided road with shoulders	\$6.1 M	Design, ROW, Utility Relocation	Construction Not Funded	\$39.1 M
RM 150 East Preliminary Design Precinct 1 Boundary to SH 21	Study to identify if widening from 2 lanes to 4 lanes is needed	\$788 K	Design Study		\$788 K

TOTAL PRECINCT 1

\$59.8 M \$118.5 M*

*Each precinct had an additional amount for discretionary projects preliminary design which is not included in CO funding.

Precinct 2 Projects

PROJECTS	IMPROVEMENTS	CO FUNDING	CO FUNDING INCLUDES	CHANGE FROM BOND FUNDING	2024 BOND FUNDING
Windy Hill Road Interim Purple Martin Avenue to FM 2001	Utility relocation, expansion to 2 lane divided road with a center turn lane, shoulders, and turn lanes	\$4.1 M	Utility Relocation	Construction Not Funded	\$37 M
Windy Hill Road Ultimate Purple Martin Avenue to FM 2001	Design for a future expansion to a 4 lane divided road with a center turn lane, shoulders, and turn lanes	\$3.3 M	Design		\$3.3 M
Windy Hill Road Roundabout Windy Hill at Shadow Creek Boulevard	ROW acquisition and construction of a new roundabout	\$1.1 M	ROW, Utility Relocation	Construction Not Funded	\$3.3 M
Hillside Terrace I-35 to FM 2001	ROW acquisition and construction to widen lanes and include a median and center turn lane	\$35.3 M	Utility Relocation, Construction		\$35.3 M
FM 2001 Gap FM 2001 West to Existing FM 2001	ROW acquisition for a new alignment and expansion to a 4 lane divided road with shoulders and turn lanes	\$6.2 M	Survey, ROW		\$6.2 M
Goforth Road CR 158 to RM 150	ROW acquisition for a new alignment and expansion to a 4 lane divided road with a center turn lane and roundabout at CR 158	\$9.6 M	Design, ROW, Utility Relocation	Construction Not Funded	\$15.8 M
RM 150 East Preliminary Design Lehman Road to Precinct 2 Boundary	Study to identify if widening from 2 lanes to 4 lanes is needed	\$788 K	Design Study		\$788 K

TOTAL PRECINCT 2 \$60.4 M \$104.2 M*

Precinct 3 Projects

PROJECTS	IMPROVEMENTS	CO FUNDING	CO FUNDING INCLUDES	CHANGE FROM BOND FUNDING	2024 BOND FUNDING
Centerpoint Road I-35 to FM 2349 / Hunter Road	Design for a grade separation over Union Pacific Railroad	\$3.9 M	Design, ROW, Utility Relocation	Construction Not Funded	\$30.8 M
Old Kyle Road RM 12 to RM 3237	Construct multi-modal improvements, including a divided bike lane and roundabout	\$2.9 M	Design, ROW, Utility Relocation, Construction		\$4.9 M
Yarrington Road (RM 150, FM 110) Extension Segment 1 Interim West of Arroyo Ranch to Old Stagecoach Road at RC 16	Design for new alignment of 2 lane undivided road with shoulders and turn lanes for ultimate 4 lane divided road in the future	\$22.8 M	Design, ROW, Utility Relocation	Construction Not Funded	\$49.6 M
Yarrington Road (RM 150, FM 110) Extension Segment 2 Interim I-35 to Old Stagecoach Road	Design for new alignment of 2 lane undivided road with shoulders and turn lanes for ultimate 4 lane divided road in the future	\$11.2 M	Design, ROW		\$10.8 M
Dripping Springs Southwest Connection US 290 to Precinct 3 Boundary	Design for new 4 lane divided road	\$2.6 M	Planning, Design	ROW Acquisition Not Funded	\$10.4 M

TOTAL PRECINCT 3 \$43.4 M \$109.1 M*

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Precinct 4 Projects

PROJECTS	IMPROVEMENTS	CO FUNDING	CO FUNDING INCLUDES	CHANGE FROM BOND FUNDING	2024 BOND FUNDING
Dripping Springs Southwest Connection Precinct 4 Boundary to RM 12	Design for new 4 lane divided road	\$1.4 M	Design	ROW Acquisition Not Funded	\$5.7 M
Darden Hill Road / CR 162 Phase 2 East of Sawyer Ranch Road to RM 1826	Construct 4 lane divided road	\$51.8 M	Design, ROW, Utility Relocation, Construction		\$51.8 M
Darden Hill Road Extension <i>RM 150 West of Springwood Road to West of Sawyer Ranch</i>	Design a 4 lane divided road along existing Darden Hill Rd. and extend roadway to RM 150	\$2 M	Design	ROW Acquisition Not Funded	\$8 M
Fitzhugh Road / CR 101 RM 12 to Travis County Line	Construct interim safety improvements and study of corridor for operational and safety improvements	\$5 M	Corridor Study and Construct Safety Improvements		\$5 M
RM 12 / RM 150 Intersection Safety Improvements RM 150 at RM 12 Intersection	Construct intersection realignment and roundabout with safety improvements	\$5 M	Design, Construction	CAMPO Participation	\$8.4 M
Sawyer Ranch Road Pedestrian Walkway Meadow Creek Drive to Darden Hill Road	Construct ADA compliant 10 foot shared use path	\$3.4 M	Design, Utility Relocation, Construction		\$3.4 M
Sawyer Ranch Road US 290 to Darden Hill Road	Design a 4 lane divided road	\$1.4 M	Design	ROW Acquisition Not Funded	\$13.9 M
SH 45 Southwest Extension FM 1626 to I-35 (Travis County)	Design for extension from FM 1626 to I-35	\$0	Not Funded	Not Funded	\$7.1 M
Old San Antonio Road Design/Construction Participation with City of Buda Main Street to Travis County Line	Contribution to City of Buda	\$525 K	Participation in Design and Construction with City of Buda		\$525 K

TOTAL PRECINCT 4 \$70.6 M \$107.7 M*

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Public Engagement

Delivering successful transportation projects takes careful planning and close coordination with community members, property owners, and partners. Your input helps shape these projects. Hays County is committed to keeping you informed and involved at every step as work progresses.

LOOKING AHEAD: WAYS TO PARTICIPATE



Find project updates, meeting details, maps, and feedback tools at HaysCoRoads.com.



The County meets with community organizations and project partners to share updates, collect feedback, and coordinate outreach efforts.



Get updates, reminders, and ways to weigh in:









Attend in-person sessions to review materials, speak directly with project staff, and give input. All materials will also be posted online.



Watch for local news stories, press releases, and interviews that share project milestones and how to participate.



Hays County will hold online surveys to gather specific input on the program, projects, and communication preferences. Surveys will be posted to HaysCoRoads.com.



The County team will contact property owners directly affected by improvements to share details, answer questions, discuss timelines, and gather input.



Sign up for regular updates with milestones, meeting notices, and links to surveys and project pages.

Share Your Feedback. We welcome comments at any time:

- Attend a public meeting or open house
- Visit: HaysCoRoads.com

- Call the program hotline: (512) 649-0601
- Email: hello@hayscoroads.com

Comments & Questions





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