

Media Advisory

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ODOT holding Purcell/Lexington bridge public input meeting on April 2

The Oklahoma Department of Transportation in cooperation with the Federal Highway Administration is hosting a public meeting to present information and solicit public input on a future project to replace the US-77/SH-39 bridge between Purcell and Lexington.

Purcell/Lexington Bridge Public Meeting

Thursday, April 2, 2015

6 p.m.

First Baptist Church

900 E. Broadway St.

Lexington

The James C. Nance bridge crosses the South Canadian River and BNSF railroad between Purcell and Lexington, is structurally deficient and currently load posted. The bridge is listed in the National Register of Historic Places.

As part of ODOT's efforts to keep the public informed and involve them in the decision making process, this meeting will present proposed alternatives to the public and get public input to aid ODOT in selecting a preferred alternative to move forward with the completion of the detailed environmental studies, design and construction.

A construction project to replace the bridge has been recently expedited in ODOT's Eight-year Construction Work Plan to go to bid in Federal Fiscal Year 2018.

Those who would like to attend this meeting but find it difficult due to disability, architectural barrier, or other special needs may contact Frank Roesler III, Public Involvement Officer at 405-521-2350, m-coordinator@odot.org. For more information, visit www.odot.org and select the Programs and Projects tab and then Public Meetings and Hearings.

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