

**SOUTH DAKOTA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
CITY OF SIOUX FALLS
NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING/ OPEN HOUSE**

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The proposed project includes reconstruction of I-29 and I-229 from north of Exit 73 (Tea) on I-29 to north of 57th Street and on I-229 from I-29 to Louise Avenue and reconstruction and extension of 85th Street from Louise Avenue through Sundowner Avenue. Along the interstate segments, the primary improvements are to add auxiliary lanes to the northbound and southbound lanes. The 85th Street project includes constructing a grade-separated crossing of I-29 to establish a continuous east-west corridor.

Date: May 2, 2013

Time: 5:30 PM to 7:00 PM

Place: Explorer Elementary School
Gymnasium
4010 West 82nd Street
Sioux Falls, SD 57108

The South Dakota Department of Transportation (SDDOT) and City of Sioux Falls will hold an open house style public meeting to discuss and receive public input on the above project. The open house will be informal, with one on one discussion with SDDOT and City design staff.

A presentation will take place shortly after 5:30 p.m. SDDOT and City staff will be available with displays to discuss the proposed project and answer your questions. During this time, you will also have the opportunity to present written comments.

Information will be available on the acquisition of right-of-way and relocation assistance. This project is being developed in compliance with state and federal environmental regulations. The Environmental Assessment process for the project will also be introduced at the public information meeting. Environmental considerations associated with wetland impacts, cultural resources and historic properties, and traffic noise will be discussed.

Notice is further given to individuals with disabilities that this public meeting is being held

in a physically accessible place. Any individuals with disabilities who will require a reasonable accommodation in order to participate in the public meeting should submit a request to the department's ADA Coordinator at 605-773-3540 or 1-800-877-1113 (Telecommunication Relay Services for the Deaf). Please request the accommodations no later than **2 business days prior to the meeting** in order to ensure accommodations are available.

All persons interested in this project are invited to attend this meeting to share your views and concerns any time between 5:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

For further information regarding this project, contact Mark Leiferman, Chief Roadway Design Engineer at (605) 773-3433 or Shannon Ausen, City of Sioux Falls at (605) 367-8607.

Information presented at the Public Meeting/Open House will be posted on the SDDOT web site after the meeting at <http://sddot.com/dot/publicmeetings/default.aspx>.

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