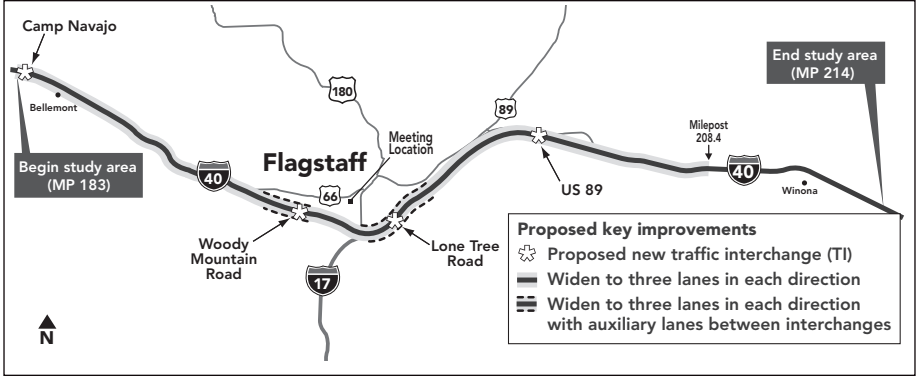




PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

Your Input is Needed on the **INTERSTATE 40**

Design Concept Report and Environmental Studies Bellemont to Winona



Thursday, August 5, 2010

**Radisson Woodlands Hotel Flagstaff
Grand Ballroom
1175 W. Route 66
Flagstaff, Arizona**

6-8 p.m. (Presentation at 6:15 p.m.)

The Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) and the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), as the lead federal agency, are conducting a study to evaluate alternatives to provide added capacity and improve traffic operations on Interstate 40 (I-40) from Bellemont to Winona. The study area extends along I-40 from mileposts 183 to 214 in Coconino County, Arizona. Proposed alternatives may involve widening I-40, expanding and/or adding traffic interchanges, or maintaining the existing I-40 highway (no build alternative). The build alternatives would likely require new right-of-way.

ADOT and FHWA invite you to attend a public information meeting for this study. The purpose of the meeting is to provide an overview of the study and schedule; present recommendations for roadway widening, new traffic interchanges and improvements to existing traffic interchanges; and discuss existing environmental conditions. In addition, the Arizona Game and Fish Department will provide updated information regarding wildlife movement. This meeting will also provide the opportunity for members of the community to ask questions and provide input. A brief presentation on the study will be made at the meeting, followed by an open house where representatives from the study team will be present to answer questions.

For additional study and meeting information or to submit comments in writing, please contact ADOT, c/o Ami Brogan, HDR Engineering, Inc., 3200 East Camelback Road, Suite 350, Phoenix, AZ 85018; e-mail: Ami.Brogan@hdrinc.com; phone: 602.522.7768; or fax: 602.522.7707. Written comments should be submitted by August 19, 2010.

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