



PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Louisiana State Project No. 736-99-1032
Arkansas State Project No. 070212
Federal Aid Project No. CBI-9901(516)

I-69 Corridor

Section of Independent Utility No. 14

Bossier, Claiborne and Webster Parishes, Louisiana
Columbia and Union Counties, Arkansas

The Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (LaDOTD) and Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department (AHTD) will conduct a series of Public Hearings for the above project.

LaDOTD and AHTD propose to construct a four-lane divided interstate highway between Haughton, Louisiana and El Dorado, Arkansas. A Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) for this project is available for review at the I-69 SIU No. 14 Program Office at 425 West Main Street in Homer, Louisiana. Copies are also available for review in Louisiana at the LaDOTD District 04 Office at 3339 Industrial Drive in Bossier City; the Bossier Central Library at 2206 Beckett in Bossier City; the Claiborne Parish Library at 901 Edgewood Drive in Homer; the Joe W. Webb Memorial Library at 1919 Main Street in Haynesville; the Springhill Public Library at 705 Janice Drive in Springhill; and the Webster Parish Library at 521 East and West Street in Minden. Copies are available for review in Arkansas at the AHTD District 07 Office at 2245 California Avenue in Camden; the Columbia County Library at 220 East Main Street in Magnolia; and the El Dorado Public Library at 200 East 5th Street in El Dorado.

Public Hearings will be held over a three-hour period on three successive days in May. Each will include a presentation and an opportunity to provide comments. The presentation will summarize effects of the Build and No Action alternatives. All interested citizens are invited and encouraged to attend. A transcriber will be available to record verbal comments provided at these hearings. All comments received during the public hearings and in writing by the end of the comment period will become part of the official public record for the project. If you are unable to attend the Hearing, you may mail your comments to the I-69, SIU No. 14 Program Office at the address below or submit them through the project web site at www.i69arkla.com. The official project **DEIS comment period ends on May 30, 2005**. Dates, times and locations of these Public Hearings are:

Tuesday, May 10th 4:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M El Dorado, AR Best Western King's Inn Hotel Conference Center 1920 Junction City Rd. (US 167/US 82 intersection)	Wednesday, May 11th 4:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M Haynesville, LA Claiborne Parish Fair Barn Complex 1563 Fairgrounds Drive	Thursday, May 12th 4:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M Minden, LA Minden Recreational Complex 1001 Recreational Drive
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Beginning May 13th, all DEIS Public Hearing presentation materials will be available for review and comment at the I-69 SIU No. 14 Program Office at the address below. Further information concerning the project can be viewed on the project web site at www.i69arkla.com. Should anyone require special assistance, due to a disability, to participate in these Public Hearings, please contact the I-69 SIU No. 14 Public Coordinator by mail at the address shown below, or by telephone at (877) 886-9233, at least five working days prior to the Public Hearing.



I-69 SIU No. 14 Program Office
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