

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

ON OPEN-HOUSE PUBLIC HEARING REGARDING I-49 OUTER ROADWAY CONVERSION LOCATION AND DESIGN AND ASSESSMENT OF INTEREST IN SOUND WALL INSTALLATION ADJACENT TO I-49 IN CITY OF GRANDVIEW, JACKSON COUNTY

Notice is hereby given to all interested persons that an open house public hearing will be held at City Hall at 1200 Main Street in Grandview, MO on Wednesday May 31, between 5:30p.m. and 7:00p.m. Central Time. Handicap access is available. All interested persons will be given an opportunity to be heard concerning their views on the location and design of Outer Roadway conversion of I-49 East and West and potential sound wall installation along I-49 in the City of Grandview with reference to the economic and social effects of such location and design, its impact of the environment, and its consistency with the goals and objectives of the community.

The presently contemplated improvement is as follows:

Conversion of the existing one-way outer roadways of I-49 to two-way operation from Harry Truman Drive to the southern limits of the City. Project includes construction of a new City street between East 129th Street and Highgrove Road that will include signal and pedestrian improvements at Main Street, and the construction of an east and west roundabout for ingress and egress to and from I-49. Additional improvements as part of the project include new pedestrian and sidewalk accommodations within the length of the new roadway and along the existing outer roadways.

The potential for other improvements include:

A noise study identified the need for a noise-reducing wall along the east outer roadway of I-49 on the south side of Harry Truman Drive. MoDOT staff will be available to present findings of a noise study and explain the voting process for sound walls. Following the public hearing, property owners that live adjacent to this area will be allowed to vote whether a sound wall is desired.

Project plans and other detail information prepared for the City of Grandview will be available for public inspection and copying at the office of the City of Grandview Public Works Department at 1200 Main Street, Grandview, MO 64030. Written statements and exhibits, as well as oral statements, will be received at the hearing. Written statements and exhibits will be made a part of the public hearing transcript if received within ten days after the date of the hearing.

I-49 Outer Roadway Conversion comments can be emailed to jwhite@grandview.org

Comments regarding sound wall installation along I-49 can be emailed to Mark.Fisher@modot.mo.gov

The format of the public hearing is an open house where displays will be available for view and representatives will be available to discuss tentative schedules for right of way acquisition and construction.

Any person with a disability who desires reasonable accommodation to attend this meeting may contact City of Grandview Public Works Department at 816-316-4856.