# **Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors**



CENTRAL TEXAS REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY

February 26, 2020

# Welcome and opportunity for public comment

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Bobby Jenkins Chairman Discuss and consider dedicating a portion of the 183A Phase II Project in honor of the service provided by former Mobility Authority Chairman Ray A. Wilkerson

Mike Heiligenstein Executive Director #2

# **Audit Committee Meeting**

A. Audit Committee meeting called to order by Committee Chairman SingletonB. Authorize the engagement of a firm to

provide independent auditing services

C. Adjourn Audit Committee

# Approve the minutes from the January 29, 2020 Regular Board Meeting

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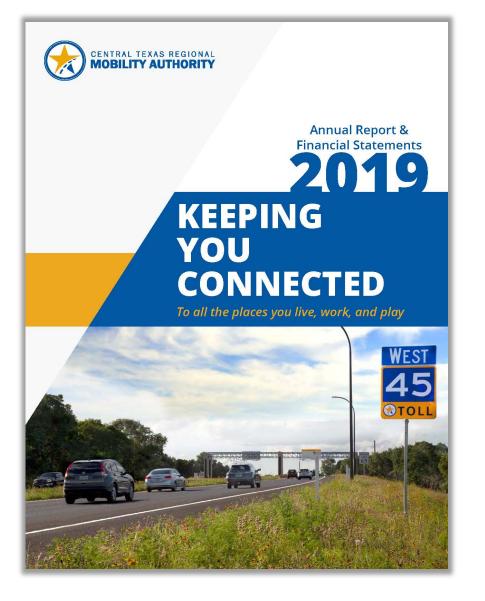
Bobby Jenkins Chairman

# Approve and adopt the 2019 Mobility Authority Annual Report

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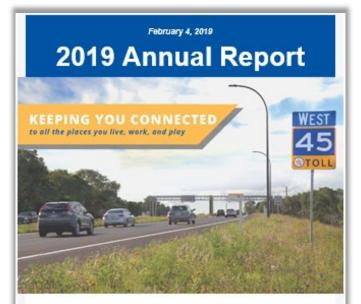
**Dee Anne Heath** Director of Government Relations and Communications

## **Annual Report**



» Our yearly review of the agency and its performance against the Strategic Plan

- » Features key projects and financial statements
- » Required as part of the Texas Administrative Code



#### A Look Back at a Monumental Year

2019 Annual Report now available

#### Dear Friends

2019 was a monumental year for the Mobility Authority. Beginning with the success of 45SW Toll Road, we delivered on several critical projects that will provide meaningful and long-term relief to our region. In August, we opened Phase I of 183 Toll Road in east Austin with usage exceeding projections in just the first month. And construction for the first of three flyovers linking 290 Toll with SH 130 reached completion before the year's end – eight months ahead of schedule.

We're proud to share with you our 2019 Annual Report & Financial Statements which provides a look back at the past year's accomplishments. » Distributed digitally to an extensive list of elected officials, key stakeholders and agency e-newsletter subscribers

#### » Printed copies available upon request and provided to investors

#### » Available on website

#### » Evolved from a required milestone to a dynamic resource

- » Demonstrates commitment to
  - » transparency
  - » fiscal responsibility and accountability
  - » dependability and dedication to public service
  - » visionary leadership



# Overview

## Leadership

#### our board OF DIRECTORS

We are governed by a seven-member board of directors responsible for setting policies, identifying priority projects, and ensuring the agency is operated in an efficient, effective, and transparent manner. Our volunteer members are appointed by our founding counties and serve two-year terms.





**Bobby Jenkins** Chairman Gubernatorial Appointee — 2019

**Nikelle S. Meade** Vice-Chair Travis County Appointee — 2012



to our outgoing chairman, Ray A. Wilkerson, for 10 years of dedicated service to Central Texas. We **appreciate the many benefits his time and expertise** made possible for the region.



**David B. Armbrust** Board Member Travis County Appointee — 2012

**John Langmore** Board Member Travis County Appointee — 2018



David Singleton Board Treasurer Williamson County Appointee — 2003



Mark Ayotte Board Secretary Williamson County Appointee — 2017



**Mike Doss** Board Member Williamson County Appointee — 2019



Mike Heiligenstein Executive Director Since 2003



# **A Shared Vision**

# many faces **ONE VISION**

Our team of dedicated employees loves the Central Texas region as much as you do and we are committed to preserving and improving everything that makes it great. We wear many hats when it comes to being Central Texans. Here is what some of us have to say about living and working in Central Texas:



live, work, and play.

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By working at the Mobility Authority, I am able to see first-hand how my contributions impact my family and our quality of life. Not many people get to say that. I am truly blessed.

TRACIE BROWN, **Director of Operations** 



#### I use the Mopac Express Lane to get home as fast as I can to these munchkins.

GREG MACK. Assistant Director of IT and Toll Systems





My main motivation at the Mobility in our kids' lives.





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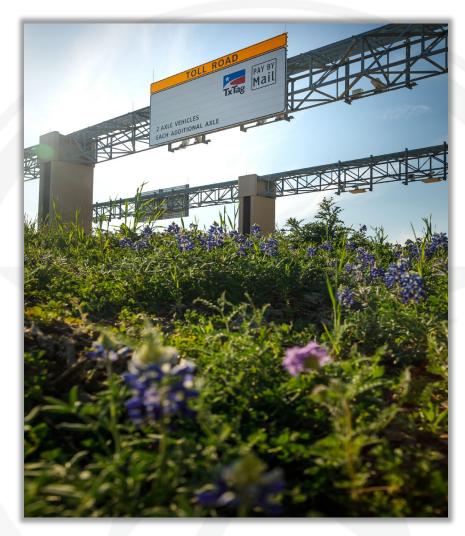
Getting the chance to work on the biggest projects in the region making some of the biggest differences in people's lives is awesome. Getting to



# **Building New Connections**



- » Saves up to 11 minutes in travel time
- » Reduced neighborhood traffic by 30 percent
- » Average weekday transactions are 30 percent higher than projections





» Phase 1: average weekday transactions were 220 percent above projections during the first month of tolling As we eagerly await the completion of the 183 South project, I applaud the Mobility Authority's design, which will offer our customers improved access from the north and south."

- Charley Wilson, Callahan's General Store





# **Building New Connections**



- » South-to-west direct connector opened January 2020 – eight months ahead of schedule
- » Project completion anticipated for 2021





## **Beyond the Pavement**



#### TRAIL EXPLORER **BY CTRMA**

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## **Beyond the Pavement**

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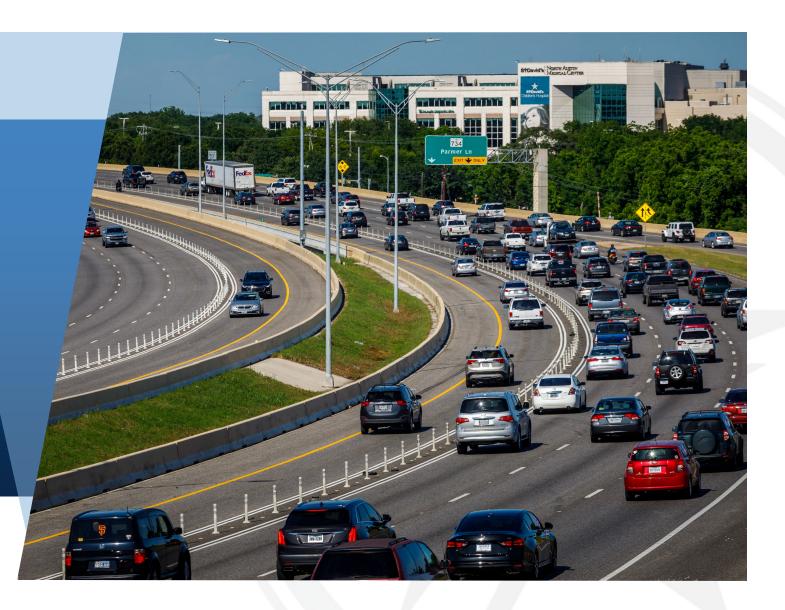
28 graduates and 17 students registered for January 2020



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# **2019 Financial Statements**

- The Mobility Authority's current total assets grew to roughly \$2.475 billion
- The Mobility Authority experienced a roughly 18 percent growth in operating revenues over the previous year



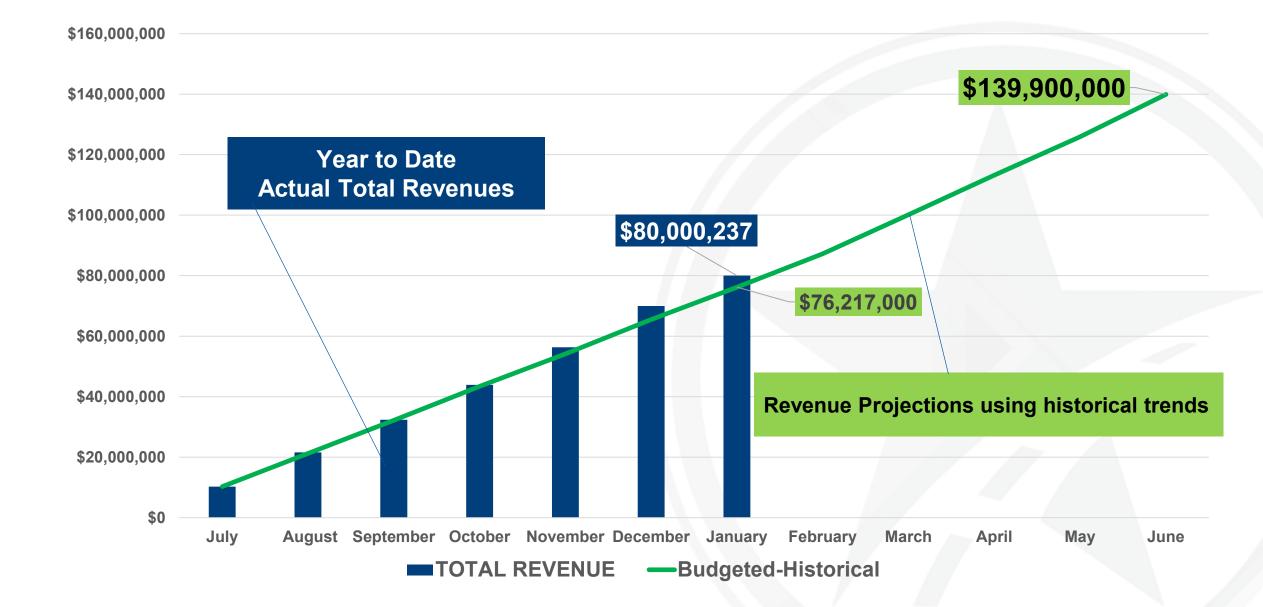
# Accept the financial statements for January 2020

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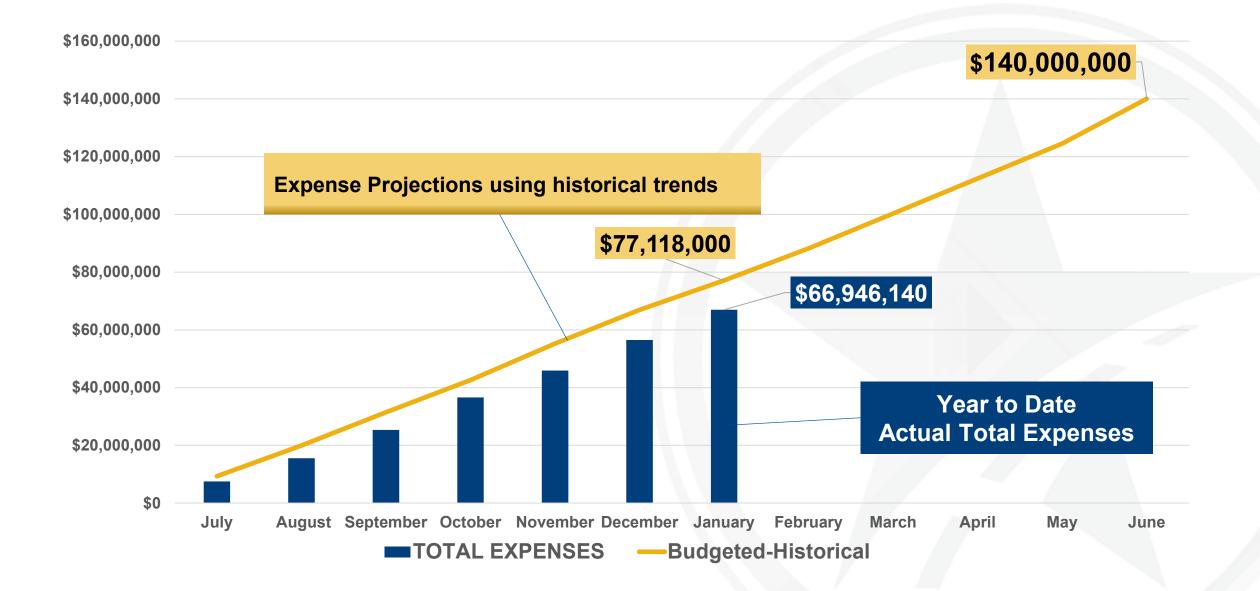
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Mary Temple Controller

# **Actual vs Budgeted Revenue**







# Discuss and consider awarding a contract for financial advisory services

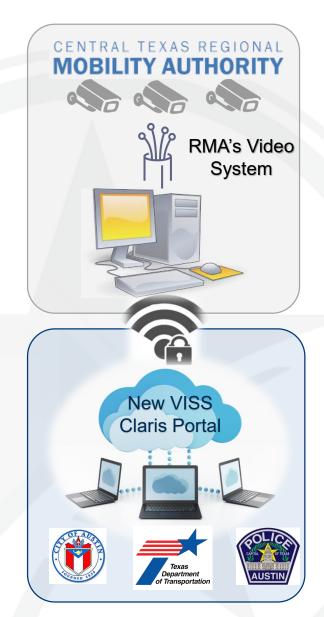
**Bill Chapman** Chief Financial Officer #7

**Discuss and consider approving** an agreement with Luna Data **Solutions Inc. for the** implementation and licensing of a video sharing system to support regional incident response coordination

**Tracie Brown** Director of Operations #8



- » The Mobility Authority's current video system is a secured closed video system that will be kept as-is for RMA's operational needs
- » A new cloud-based Video Interoperability and Sharing System (VISS) will be implemented and connected to the current video system to publish video streams over the internet
- » The new VISS will share the Authority's CCTV video streams with its regional partners (TxDOT, COA, APD, HERO, etc.) to improve coordination and incident response

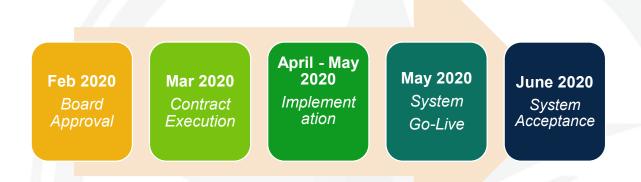


#### **Project Cost Items:**

» VISS Initial Implementation	\$ 50,000
» 1 <sup>st</sup> Year Subscription	\$ 64,000
» 2nd Year Subscription	\$ 64,000
» 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year Subscription	\$ 64,000
» Project Contingency (10%)	\$ 11,400
TOTAL *	\$253,400

\* Project total does not include the optional year 4 renewal at \$64,000, required telecommunications circuit upgrades or additional firewalls.

#### **Project Milestones (Planned):**

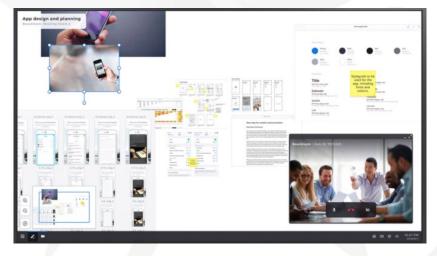


Discuss and consider approving an agreement with Ford-Audio Visual Systems, LLC for conference room technology updates

**Tracie Brown** Director of Operations **# 9** 

- » Installation of upgraded audio, phone and video equipment in the Board Room and all conference rooms
- » Includes wireless audio & presentation equipment
- » Large format displays with touchscreen, video and digital whiteboard capability





### » Project Cost

» Hardware» Integration» TOTAL

\$ 99,950.00
\$ 64,359.52
\$164,309.52

## » Project Schedule

- » Prepare system drawings, purchase equipment, assemble equipment, program control software and in-shop testing (10-12 weeks)
- » On-site installation, testing and commission (4 weeks)

**Discuss and Consider Approving Amendment No. 1** to the Interlocal Agreement with the Texas A&M **Transportation Institute for a Technology Corridor Strategy** 

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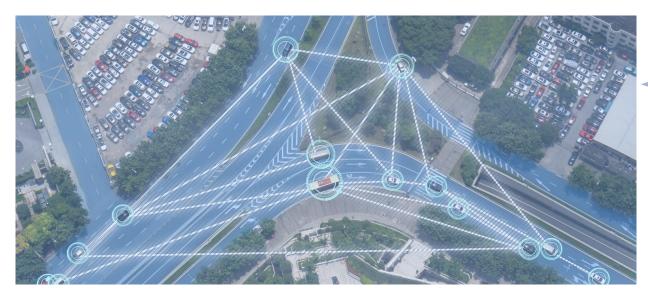
Jeff Dailey, Deputy Executive Director Mia Zmud, Mobility Innovation Manager

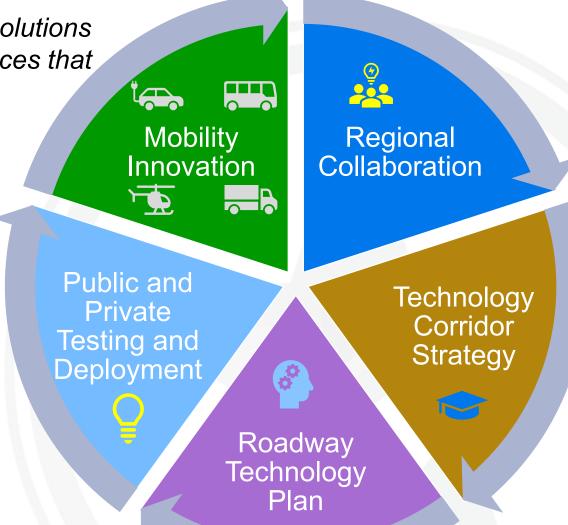


# **Innovation Strategy**

Mission:

To implement innovative, multi-modal transportation solutions that reduce congestion and create transportation choices that enhance quality of life and economic vitality.





# **Texas A&M Task Assignments**

# » Existing ILA – Board approved March 2019 » Three research tasks in-progress, one completed



#### Customer Experience Survey

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**In Progress** – Set priority action items to improve customer experience (June 2020)



#### MoPac Express Travel Behavior Analytics



**In Progress –** Improve ability to predict future demand and plan for Express Lanes (Sept. 2020)

5 <u>NEW</u> Develop Technology Corridor Strategy



#### Wrong Way Driving Characteristics and Mitigation Measures

**In Progress** – Apply process to future roadways; Inform Roadway Technology Plan (June 2020)



#### Industry Scan of Online Survey Panels

**Complete –** Supported decision to pursue an 'off the shelf" panel platform in Spring 2020

Status:

Data collection

👰 Data analysis



Brief Presented/Complete



#### Research & Planning

- Current and planned technology
- Public survey on emerging technology
- Stakeholder interviews
- Collaboration vision and process
- Connected Vehicle Pilot Project Evaluation Plan
- March June

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#### **Partner Support**

• Workshop

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- Vision and goals
- Value proposition
- Collaboration Strategies
- April June

#### **Develop Strategy**

• Workgroup meetings

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- Project / technology selection process
- Project evaluation and deployment process
- August November

Technology Corridor Strategy

### » Task 5 / Amendment No. 1

- » Scope: Develop Technology Corridor Strategy
  » Schodulo: March 2020 through Nevember 2020
- » Schedule: March 2020 through November 2020
- » Cost: \$250,000
- » ILA Term: Extends term through June 30, 2021

### » Requested Action

Approve Amendment No.1 to the Interlocal Agreement with the Texas A&M Transportation Institute for a Technology Corridor Strategy

**Discuss and consider** approving an Interlocal **Agreement with the Capital Area Rural Transportation** System to provide funding for the Eastside Bus Plaza transfer facility

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**Jeff Dailey, P.E.** Deputy Executive Director

# **CARTS Eastside Bus Plaza**



» Multi-modal station includes 2,200 sq. ft. passenger terminal and 10 bus bays

» Allowable use by Mobility Authority for toll payment and customer service functions

» Marketing of Mobility Authority and funding contribution

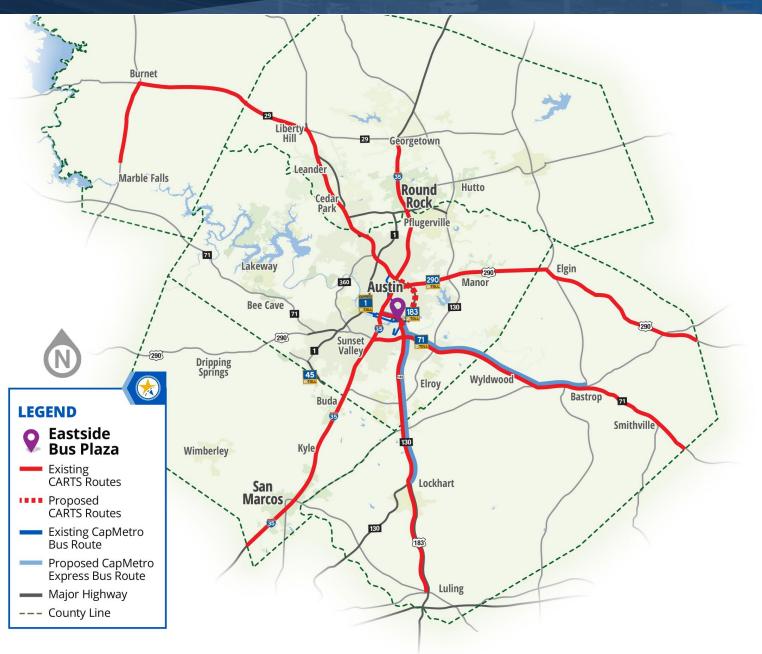
»\$7,540,000

»\$400,000 from Mobility Authority»Complete early 2021

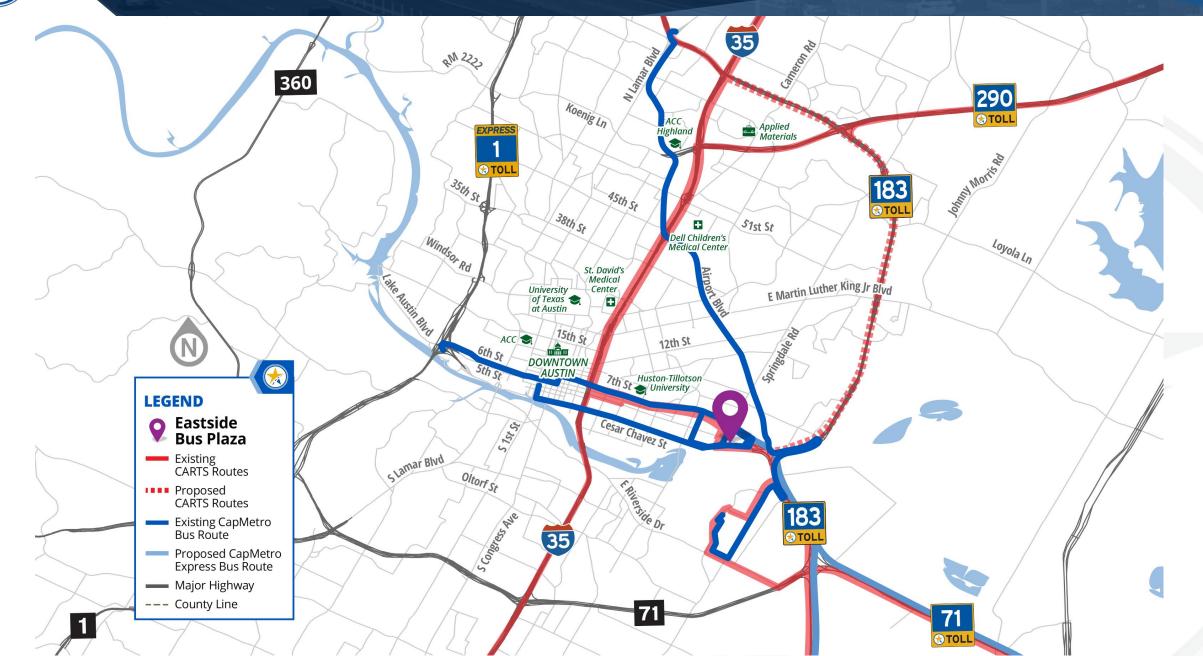
# **CARTS Eastside Bus Plaza**

» Serve as interface between CARTS Interurban Coach service (28 daily connections) and Capital Metro routes (106 daily connections)

» Prototype for future Project Connect stations



### **CARTS Eastside Bus Plaza**



### **CARTS Eastside Bus Plaza**



Source	Amount
CARTS – Project Development and Construction	\$2,000,000
CAMPO – Project Development and Construction	\$3,000,000
Capital Metro – Project Development and Construction	\$1,500,000
CTRMA – Project Development and Construction	\$400,000
City of Austin – Roadway Rehabilitation and Signals (not confirmed)	\$640,000
TOTAL	\$7,540,000

- » Negotiations and value engineering have resulted in approximately \$1M in cost reductions
- » TxDOT land contribution valued at \$750,000



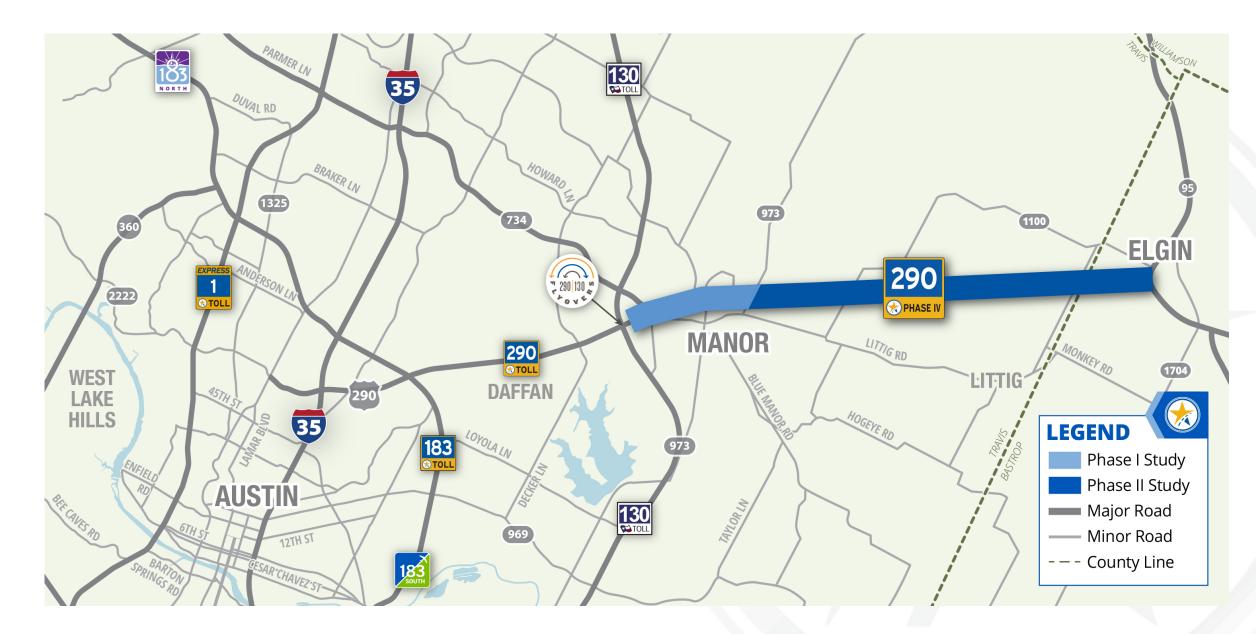
» Staff requests Board approval of an interlocal agreement with the Capital Area Rural Transportation System to provide funding assistance for the Eastside Bus Plaza transfer facility

**Discuss and consider approving Work Authorization No. 15 with Atkins North America, Inc. for** general engineering consultant services for development of the Manor Expressway (290E) Phase IV project

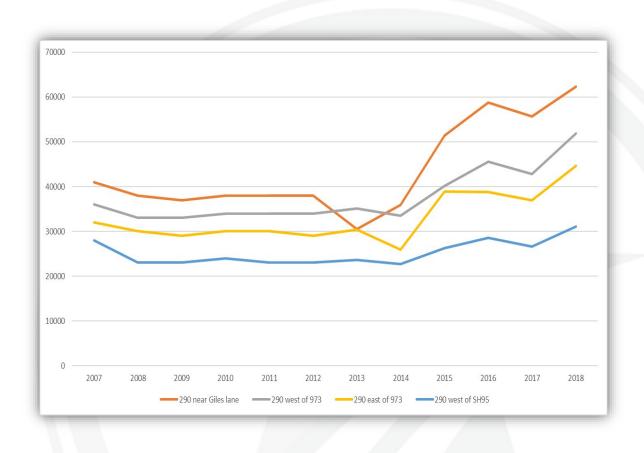
**Justin Word, P.E.** Director of Engineering



### **290E Phase IV Project**

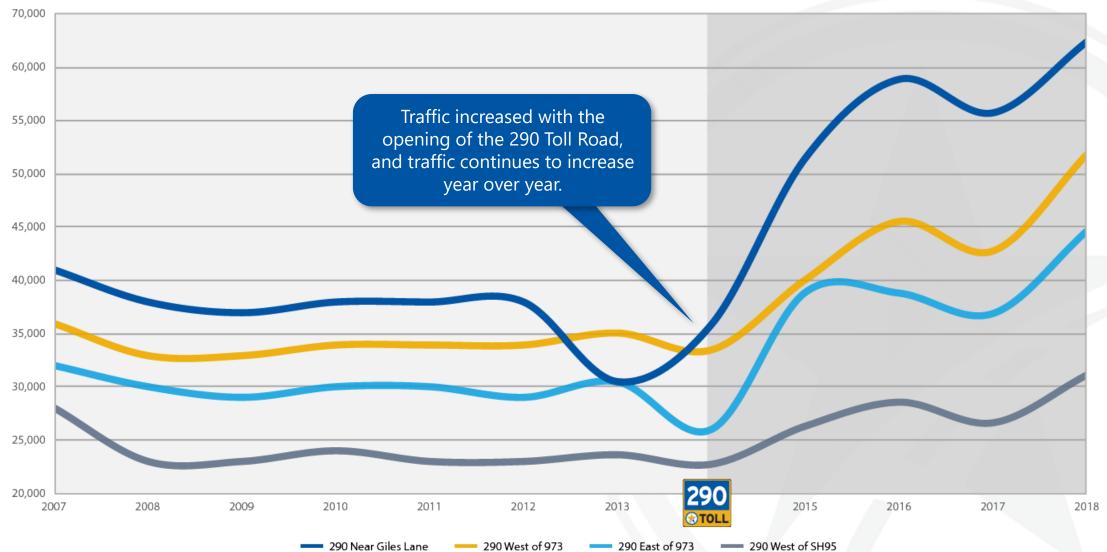


- » In 2007, prior to construction of the 290 toll road there were:
  - » 41,000 vehicles per day west of Giles Road
  - » 36,000 vehicles per day west of FM 973
- » By 2018 there were 51,848 vehicles a day west of FM 973
- » Traffic has been growing 4% to 5% per year east of SH 130





#### **US 290 CORRIDOR VOLUMES 2007 - 2018**





#### » Manor City Council:

» Passed resolution on October 16, 2019, calling "for the proper roadway authority to consider an extension of US Highway 290 Phase IV Tollway through the City."

#### » Elgin City Council:

» Passed resolution on November 5, 2019, stating "The Mayor and City Council do hereby call for the proper roadway authority to consider an extension of US Highway 290 East Phase IV Tollway."



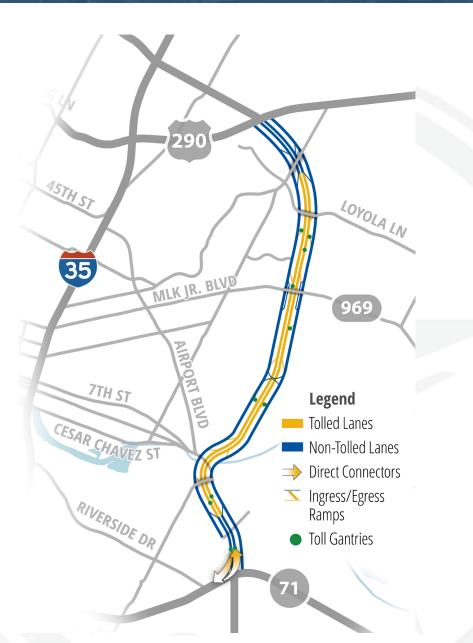
- » Study conceptual project
- » Estimate potential project cost
- » Run sketch level traffic and revenue forecasts
- » Begin environmental constraints analysis
- » Determine financial feasibility

#### **Update on Transportation Projects**

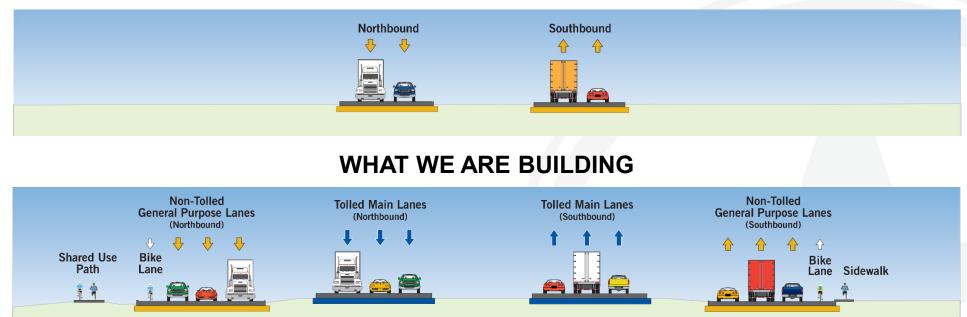
A. 183 South
B. 183 North
C. 183A Phase III
D. MoPac South
E. Barton Skyway

**Justin Word, P.E.** Director of Engineering

- » Project Limits: US 290 to SH 71
  » Project Length: 8 miles
  » Total Project Cost: \$743 Million
- » Project Status: Approximately 82% complete
  - » Phase I from US 290 to Techni Center Drive opened to traffic and tolling on August 1, 2019
  - Phase II from Techni Center Drive to SH
     71 opens Late 2020



#### WHAT EXISTS TODAY



- » A new expressway with three tolled lanes in each direction and three nontolled general-purpose lanes in each direction
- » New bicycle lanes, pedestrian bridges, sidewalks, shared use paths, trailheads, aesthetic enhancements and significant landscaping



### **183 South Project Milestones**

#### » Project Status:

- » Overall project is 88% complete
- » Construction activities are 81% complete

#### » Projected Project Completion:

- » Latest contractor schedule indicates December 2020 completion
- » Team is working on traffic shifts that would adjust schedule forward approximately 2 months

#### **Update on Transportation Projects**

A. 183 South
B. 183 North
C. 183A Phase III
D. MoPac South
E. Barton Skyway

**Justin Word, P.E.** Director of Engineering

### **183 North Mobility Project Overview**



# » Project Limits: » SH 45 to MoPac/Loop 1

### » Project Length:

» 9 miles on US 183

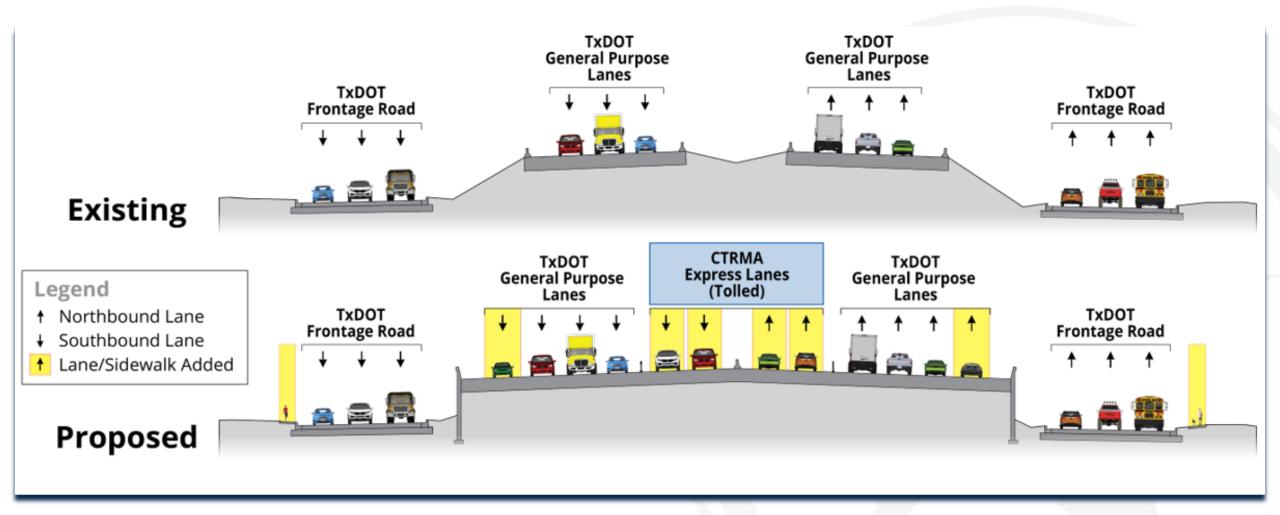
# » Total Project Cost:

» \$580 Million

#### » Project Status:

» Design-Build Procurement

### **183 North Mobility Project Scope**





#### **Accomplishments**

- Federal Highway Administration Cost Estimate Review
- ☑ One-on-One Meetings
- Industry reviewed RFDP drafts
- ☑ Future and existing traffic models
- Project Development Agreement with TxDOT
- TxDOT & FHWA Approval
- ☑ Issued Final RFDP

Evaluate Alternative Technical Concepts
 Receive Final Detailed Proposals

**Next Steps** 

#### Select Design-Build Contractor

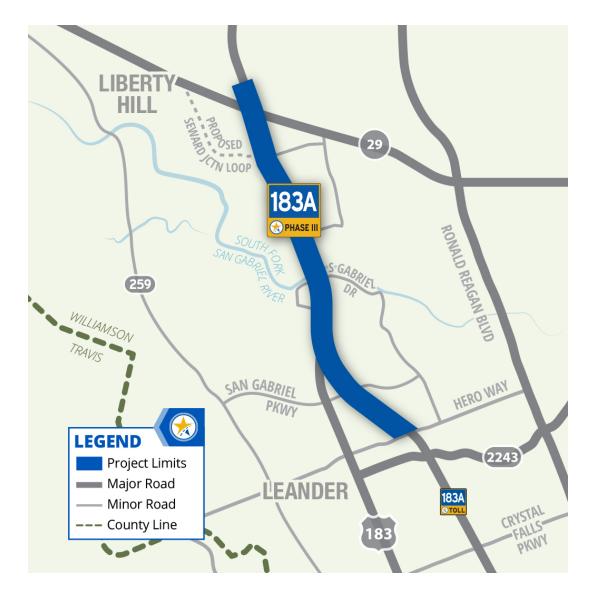
Negotiate and execute the contract

#### **Update on Transportation Projects**

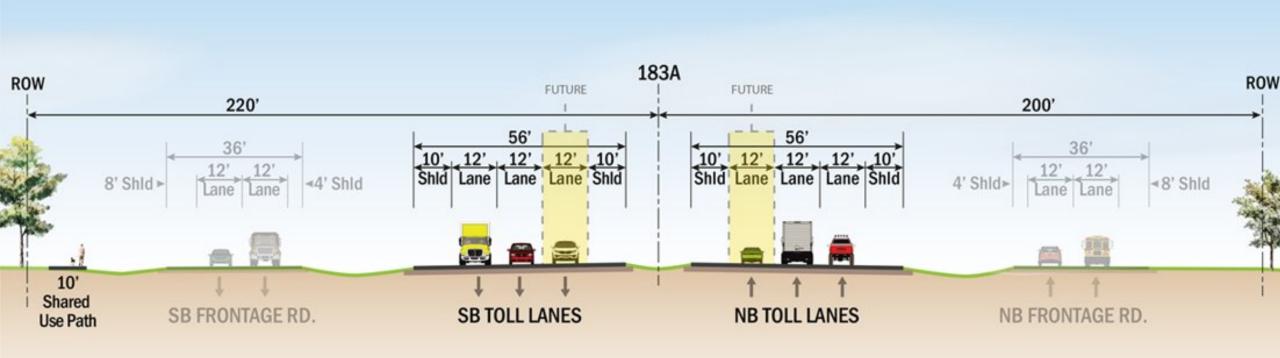
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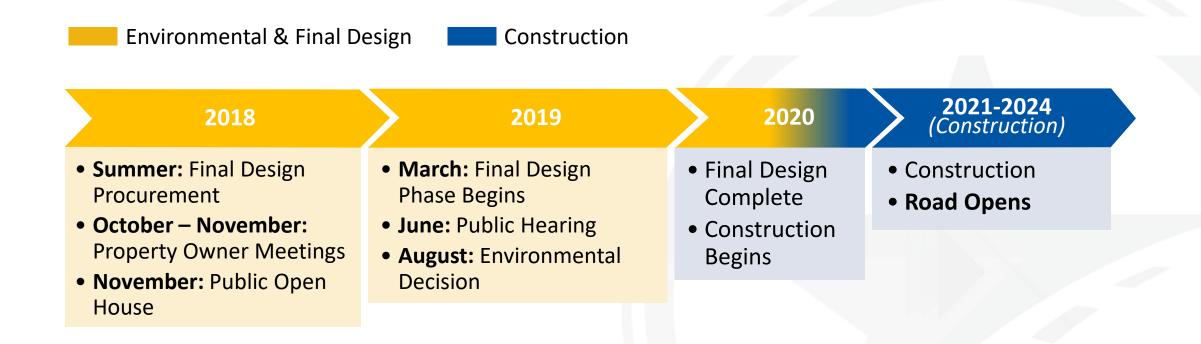
> **Justin Word, P.E.** Director of Engineering

### **183A Phase 3 Project Overview**



» Project Limits: » SH 29 to Hero Way » **Project Length:** » 6.6 miles » Total Project Cost: » \$260 Million » Project Status: » Final Design





### **183A Phase 3 Project Milestones**

#### **Accomplishments**

- Received and Reviewed 60% Plans
- Right of Way Acquisition Offers Issued (3 out of 4)
- Submitted TIFIA Letter Of Intent
- ☑ Initiated Utility Relocation Agreements

#### **Next Steps**

- Execute Construction PDA with TxDOT
- Complete Final Design
- Procure CE&I team
- □ Finalize acquisition of ROW
- Utility Relocations
- Let and award a construction contract
- □ Finalize project financing
- □ NTP construction phase

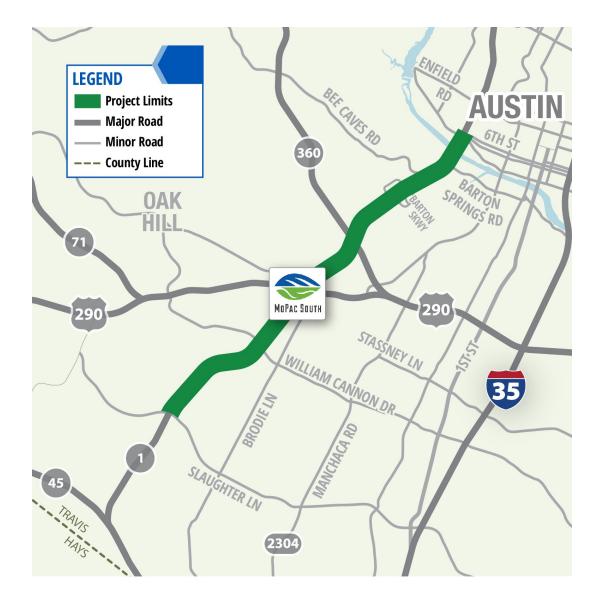
#### **Update on Transportation Projects**

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**Dee Anne Heath** Director of Government Relations and Communication #13

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### **MoPac South Project Overview**



### » Project Limits:

» Cesar Chavez Street to Slaughter Lane

### » Project Length:

» 8 miles on MoPac South

#### » Total Project Cost:

» Update in Progress

#### » Project Status:

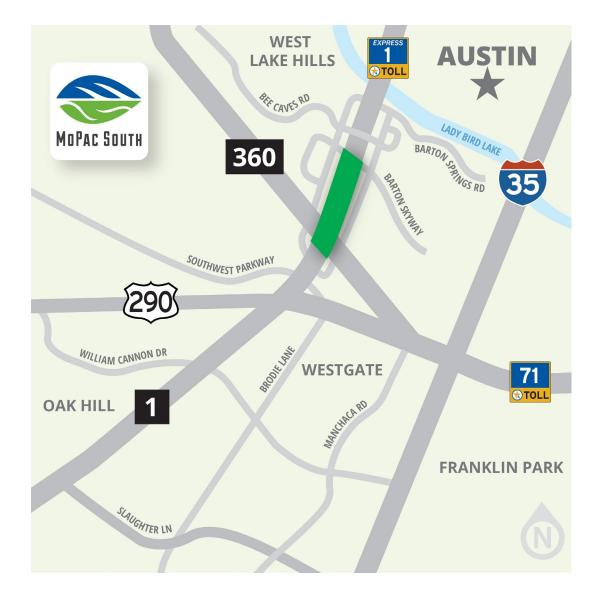
» Environmental Assessment

#### **Update on Transportation Projects**

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**Justin Word, P.E.** Director of Engineering

### Barton Skyway Ramp Relief Project Overview 64



#### » Project Limits:

» Barton Skyway to Loop 360

### » Project Length:

» 1.5 miles on MoPac

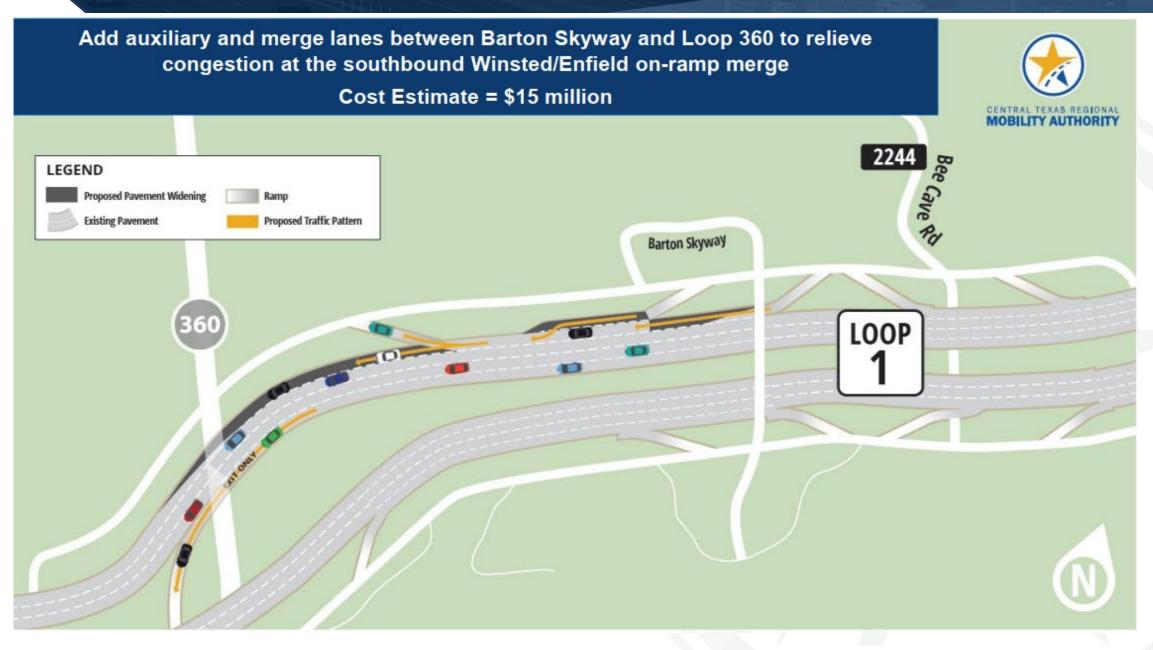
# » Total Project Cost:

» \$15 Million

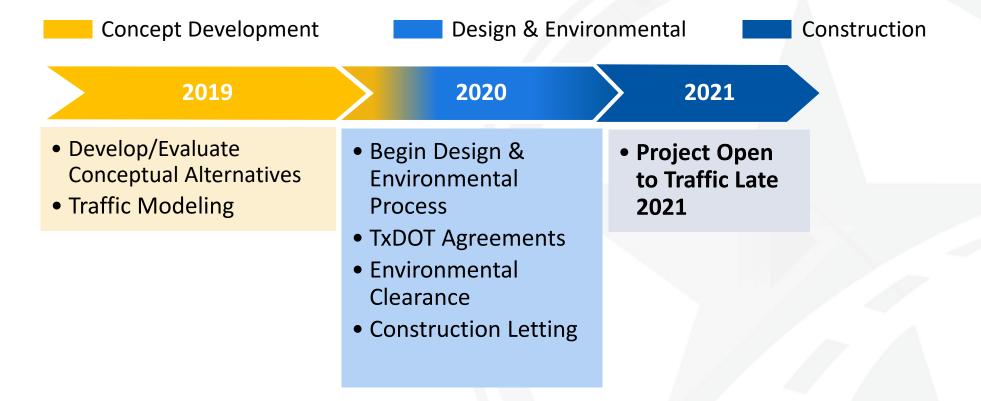
### » Project Status:

» Environmental/Design Procurement

### Barton Skyway Ramp Relief Project Scope



### Barton Skyway Ramp Relief Project Timeline 66



### Barton Skyway Ramp Relief Project Milestones 67

#### **Accomplishments**

Conceptual Configuration Selected
 Initial Coordination with TxDOT
 Request for Qualifications Issued – Design & Environmental Services

#### **Next Steps**

TxDOT Project Agreements
 Select Designer – March 2020
 Receive Environmental Decision – Fall 2020
 Advertise for Construction Bids – Late 2020
 Award Construction Contract – Late 2020
 Begin Construction – Early 2021
 End Construction / Open to Traffic – Late 2021

# **Roadway Technology Plan**

Jeff Dailey, P.E., Deputy Executive Director Tracie Brown, Director of Operations

#### » Strategic Plan

» To implement innovative, multi-modal transportation solutions that reduce congestion and create transportation choices that enhance quality of life and economic vitality

#### » Improved mobility

- » Increase capacity, reduce congestion
- » Immediate benefits
- » Establishes a test bed
- » Deploy next generation technology:
  - » Enhance traveler information, roadway operations, and incident response and clearance

### **Propose Technology**

- » Automated Incident
   Detection System (AID)
   » Fixed Cameras
- » Connected Vehicle System
  - » Roadside Units
  - » Vehicle to Infrastructure Communications
- » Enhanced Traffic / Information Management System







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#### MoPac Express Lane, 290 Toll, and 45SW Toll 71



#### A. 45SW Awards

- B. WTS Rosa Parks Diversity Leadership Award
- C. Future CTRMA Headquarters
- D. Workforce update
- E. New employee introduction

Mike Heiligenstein Executive Director #15

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### **CDL Graduation Event**









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A. 45SW Awards
B. WTS Rosa Parks Diversity Leadership Award
C. Future CTRMA Headquarters
D. Workforce update

E. New employee introduction

Mike Heiligenstein Executive Director

### **Executive Session**

- 16. Discuss acquisition of one or more parcels or interests in real property needed for the ultimate configuration of the 183A / SH 29 interchange and related legal issues, pursuant to §551.072 (Deliberation Regarding Real Property) and §551.071 (Consultation with Attorney).
- 17. Discuss acquisition of one or more parcels or interests in real property needed to serve as a headquarters for the Central Texas Regional Mobility Authority and related legal issues, pursuant to §551.072 (Deliberation Regarding Real Property) and §551.071 (Consultation with Attorney).
- 18. Discuss legal issues related to claims by or against the Mobility Authority; pending or contemplated litigation and any related settlement offers; or other matters as authorized by §551.071 (Consultation with Attorney).
- 19. Discuss legal issues relating to procurement and financing of Mobility Authority transportation projects, as authorized by §551.071 (Consultation with Attorney).
- 20. Discuss personnel matters as authorized by §551.074 (Personnel Matters).

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# **Adjourn Meeting**

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Bobby Jenkins Chairman

### **Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors**



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