



PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of Intent to Adopt a Mitigated Negative Declaration
Study Results Available

SR-91/Adams Street Interchange Project

Announcement of Public Meeting



WHAT'S BEING PLANNED?	The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), as assigned by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), in cooperation with the City of Riverside proposes to reconfigure the State Route 91 (SR-91)/Adams Street interchange from post mile (PM) 15.1 to 16.2 in the City of Riverside in Riverside County, California. Project improvements, lane restriping, and construction signage would extend along Adams Street from approximately 544 feet south of Magnolia Avenue to 990 feet south of Auto Center Drive, as well as along SR-91.
WHY THIS AD?	Caltrans has studied the effects this project may have on the environment. Our studies show it will not significantly affect the quality of the environment. The report that explains why is called an Initial Study/Environmental Assessment (IS/EA). This notice is to tell you of the preparation of the proposed Initial Study with Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration/Environmental Assessment and of its availability for you to read, and offer you the opportunity to attend a public meeting. A meeting will be held to give you an opportunity to talk about certain design features of the project with Caltrans' staff before the final design is selected. The tentative schedule for the purchase of land for right of way and construction will be discussed, and Caltrans' staff will explain the Caltrans relocation assistance for residents/businesses moved by the project.
WHAT'S AVAILABLE?	Maps for the Initial Study with Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration/Environmental Assessment and other project information are available for review and copying at the Caltrans District 8 Office (464 W 4 th Street, San Bernardino, 92401) on weekdays from 8 am to 4pm. The Initial Study with Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration/Environmental Assessment is also available at: https://riversideca.gov/publicworks/engineering
WHERE YOU COME IN	Do you have any comments about processing the project with a Mitigated Negative Declaration and the Initial Study/Environmental Assessment? Do you disagree with the findings of our study as set forth in the Proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration? Would you care to make any other comments on the project? Please submit your comments via email to: Vivian.Ho@dot.ca.gov or in writing to the following address, no later than February 23, 2024 : California Department of Transportation, District 8 ATTN: Shawn Oriaz, Senior Environmental Planner 464 West 4 th Street, MS-827 San Bernardino, CA 92401-1400; The date we will begin accepting comments is January 25, 2024 . If there are no major comments, Caltrans will proceed with the project's design.
WHEN AND WHERE	A public meeting will be held on, February 8, 2024 at the Arlington Library, 9556 Magnolia Avenue, Riverside, 92503 from 6pm to 8pm. Individuals who require special accommodation (American Sign Language interpreter, accessible seating, documentation in alternate formats, etc.) are requested to contact Shawn Oriaz at (909) 501-5743 at least 21 days prior to the scheduled meeting date. TDD users may contact the California Relay Service TDD line at 1(800) 735-2929 or Voice Line at 1(800) 735-2922.
CONTACT	For more information about this study or any transportation matter, contact Caltrans at: Eric Dionne, Chief, Public and Media Affairs, Eric.Dionne@dot.ca.gov , (909)383-4631, 464 W. 4th Street, MS 1247, San Bernardino, CA 92401.