WESTPARK PARK AND RIDE SERVICE CONCEPTS STUDY





OVERVIEW & OUTREACH SEPTEMBER 2023

STUDY INTRODUCTION

BACKGROUND



Given changes in travel demand and travel patterns resulting from the pandemic, the County is re-assessing how Westpark Park and Ride (WPPR) will support the county's transportation needs.

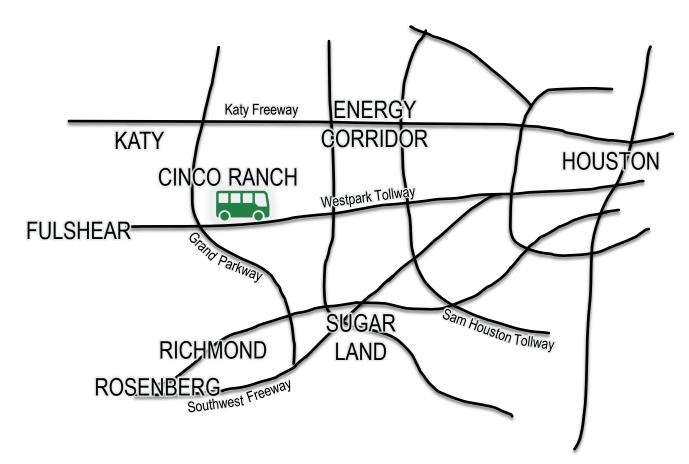
We need your input to help us figure out what those transportation needs are!



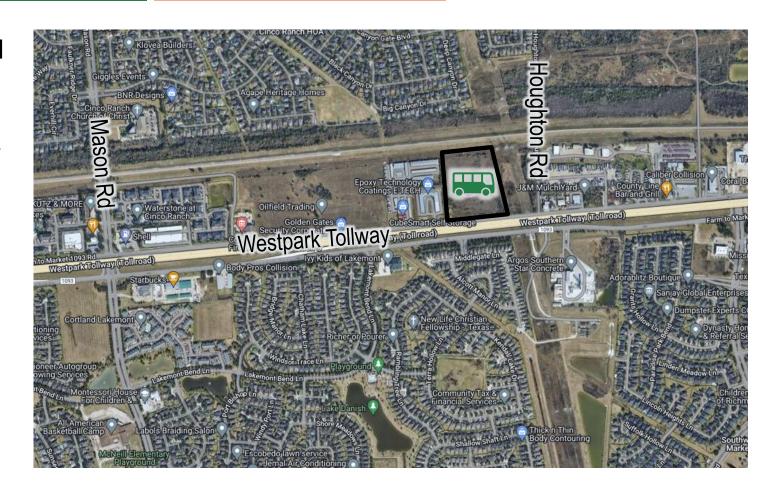


WPPR is located at 19820 FM 1093 in Fort Bend County, just on the north side of the Westpark Tollway and just west of Houghton Road.

LOCATION OF WPPR IN THE REGION



LOCATION OF WPPR ALONG WESTPARK TOLLWAY



STUDY TEAM



The study is being conducted by the Texas A&M Transportation Institute (TTI) under contract to Fort Bend County.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE STUDY?

STUDY TASKS



- 1. Identify potential WPPR users and their needs. ◀ IN PROGRESS
- 2. Establish WPPR goals and guiding principles.
- 3. Develop and evaluate preliminary options.
- 4. Obtain public input on preliminary options.
- 5. Identify and refine the preferred option.
- 6. Develop a financial plan for the preferred option.

INPUT NEEDED



HOW TO PROVIDE INPUT

Participate in a Virtual (Online)
Open House

See tx.ag/WestparkPR

for meeting materials, an input form, and a schedule of live online discussions

Contact the Study Team

Call (512) 407-1170 or e-mail k-blume@tti.tamu.edu

Call (281) 633-6722 or e-mail Sarah.Coulter@fortbendcountytx.gov



INPUT NEEDED

We are interested in discussing **commute** transportation needs and **other** transportation needs.

Provide input using the **input form** at <u>tx.ag/WestparkPR</u> or by contacting the study team.

Information shared with the study team will be kept anonymous.

Participants should share only information they feel comfortable sharing.





Example questions on the input form:

- Where do you generally live? (city or area)
- Where do you generally work? (city or area)
- Where do you often travel outside of work? (city or area)
- What would make traveling by bus an appealing alternative to driving?
- Would you use WPPR for carpooling and vanpooling?
- How would you get to and from WPPR?



NEXT STEPS

STUDY TASKS



- 1. Identify potential WPPR users and their needs.
- 2. Establish WPPR goals and guiding principles. ◀ NEXT STEP
- 4. Obtain public input on preliminary options.
- 5. Identify and refine the preferred option.
- 6. Develop a financial plan for the preferred option.

HOW TO GET MORE INFORMATION



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Review the Project Web Page

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!