

INPUT SOUGHT ON PROPOSED SOUTHFIELD ROAD IMPROVEMENT, MT. VERNON TO 13 MILE

The Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC), in partnership with the communities of Southfield, Lathrup Village, Beverly Hills and Southfield Twp., is seeking input on the updated design concept for a future improvement to the Southfield Road corridor from just south of Mt. Vernon Road to approximately a quarter mile north of 13 Mile Road.



PROJECT DETAILS

The proposed improvement for the corridor is the result of several years of collaboration among the representatives of the four communities, the Road Commission and public input. The proposal calls for the reconstruction of this section of Southfield Road as a divided boulevard, with some sections having three through lanes in each direction and some having two through lanes in each direction.

The proposed design can be viewed at the project website: <http://southfieldroadcorridor.com>.

At this point, funding to reconstruct the road as proposed has not been identified. Therefore, there is no proposed time frame for when the improvement might take place.

HOW TO PROVIDE INPUT

Anyone wishing to provide input on the design concept for this section of Southfield Road may do so through July 23 through either of the following methods:

- E-mail the Road Commission at design@rcoc.org
- Call the Road Commission at 877-858-4804

Once the partners have received and incorporated public input, the preferred design will be submitted to

the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) and the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) for review and approval.

NEXT STEP

After MDOT and FHWA have completed their reviews of the design concept, a formal public hearing will be scheduled to provide the public with another opportunity to provide input. After that, final concept approval will be sought from MDOT and FHWA.

ADDITIONAL INFO

Additional information is available on the project page of the RCOC website (www.rcocweb.org). Simply click on the "Road Projects" button on the site home page and select "Southfield Road Environmental Assessment" from the list of projects.

For more information:

Call RCOC's Department of Customer Services at (877) 858-4804 or send us an email at dcsmail@rcoc.org or via the RCOC Website, www.rcocweb.org