



# Wirtz Dam Road Project



## Purpose

Burnet County and the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) are partnering to reconstruct Wirtz Dam Road (County Road 426). Currently, Wirtz Dam Road is an undivided two-lane roadway which extends from RM 1431 to the Colorado River and from the Colorado River to RM 2147. Growth in Central Texas has led to increased traffic and reduced mobility on major corridors, including US 281. The goal of the project is to improve regional connectivity, mobility, and safety by reconstructing Wirtz Dam Road and building a new crossing over the Colorado River.

## Overview

**Limits:** From RM 1431 to RM 2147

**Location:** Burnet County, Texas

**Length:** 3.68 miles

**Estimated Cost:** \$35 million

### The project proposes to:

- Reconstruct Wirtz Dam Road to be a two-lane, undivided roadway with paved shoulders.
- Build a new bridge over Lake Marble Falls.
- Add left-turn and right-turn lanes and add deceleration and acceleration lanes at multiple locations.

**Construction is anticipated to begin June 2025.**

## Public Involvement

The purpose of the public meeting is to share project information, present proposed schematics, and collect input from the community. All input will be considered as this project moves forward.

### To submit a comment:

- Email to [Toni.Red@txdot.gov](mailto:Toni.Red@txdot.gov) with the subject line "Wirtz Dam Road Project."
- Fill out a comment card and mail to: TxDOT Austin District Office, 7901 N. I-35, Austin, TX 78753

While comments are always welcome, they must be received or postmarked by **Friday, Sept. 6, 2024**, to be included in the official meeting documentation.

### Project Map

