

WELCOME

EXPLORE TUDOR-PIGGOTT CONNECTIONS

East St. Louis, IL

Public Open House Information Meeting

Please sign-in and pick up a project fact sheet.



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GOALS AND OBJECTIVES OF TODAY'S MEETING

Goals of today's meeting:

- Introduce and share the purpose of the study
- Provide an overview of the study process and schedule
- Solicit comments/concerns on transportation issues in the study area from the public

The project team includes the St. Clair County Highway Department and the engineering/public involvement consultant team, consisting of EFK Moen, LLC, Added Dimension, LLC and Horner & Shifrin, Inc. Please review the exhibits, ask questions and fill out the comment forms.



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WHY IS THE EXPLORE TUDOR-PIGGOTT CONNECTIONS STUDY BEING CONDUCTED?

This study will identify options that could improve transportation connectivity, circulation and safety for existing conditions and future transportation needs by:

- Clarifying traffic routes
- Revitalizing residential communities
- Strengthening local circulation within the industrial and business community
- Reducing delays within study limits at railroad crossings
- Enhancing economic development opportunities

The study will assess existing conditions, traffic patterns, environmental constraints, and social residential impacts.



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PROJECT HISTORY

Three previous engineering studies were conducted in 1974, 1994 and 2004. Due to the lack of local and state support and involvement, none of these studies moved forward. ***St. Clair County is exploring if there is local interest for a project that could qualify for future funding. This project should focus on common goals of improving connectivity, providing a new gateway entrance to East St. Louis and encouraging revitalization of the residential community and economic development.***



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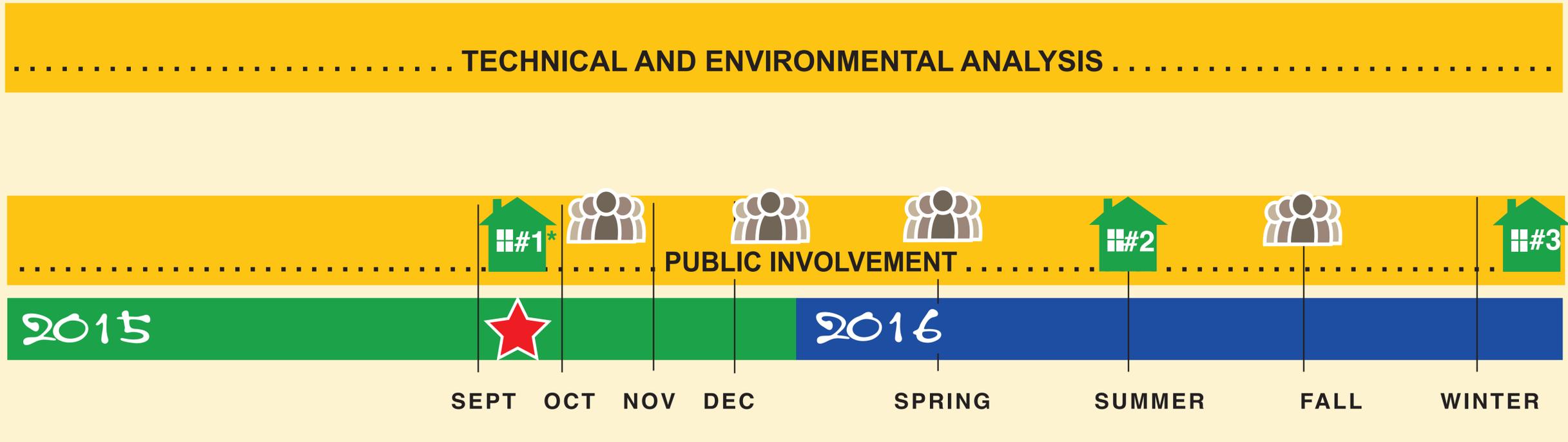


Tudor-Piggott Connections - Study Timeline

Timeline

The Study Team will provide environmental and technical information, and listen to your comments to see what roadway connections will benefit the community. Together we will develop options that connect the I-64 ramps at Tudor-Piggott to IL Route 15.

Over the upcoming months, the study team will take feedback received from this public meeting, develop the Community Advisory Group (CAG), conduct CAG meetings, collect stakeholder input and perform technical, environmental and social/economic analysis.



Public Meeting



We Are Here



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Form Study Team



Textizen Survey



Gather Input from the Community

- Stakeholder Meetings
- Open House Public Meeting #1
- Texting Survey



Form Community Advisory Group (CAG)

ROAD MAP



Study Team and CAG
Generate Options that Meet the Needs of the Community, Improve Connectivity within the Study Area and that can Qualify for County and/or State Construction Funding



Study Team and CAG
Discuss Existing Traffic Patterns, Traffic Volumes, Other Connections in the Region



Public Meeting #3
Present the Study Recommendations to the Public and Key Stakeholders



FINAL STUDY REPORT

Public Meeting #2
Present Feasible Options at Open House Meeting for Public Comments

Study Team and CAG
Using Public Comments and Technical Analysis, Recommend a Project that will Improve Connectivity within the Study Area

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WHO ARE THE STAKEHOLDERS?

The success of a project is contingent upon the participation and input from affected stakeholders.

A stakeholder is anyone who could be affected by the study and its outcome.

People support what they help create.



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GET INVOLVED

The study team is looking for direct input from the local community to understand the community's concerns and transportation needs. The following are several ways the community can get involved in the **EXPLORE TUDOR-PIGGOTT CONNECTIONS** Study:

Community Advisory Group

The project team is accepting applications to serve on the CAG.

St. Clair County Website

www.co.st-clair.il.us

Social Media/Text Surveys

Text your ideas and comments to 618-669-0999

Project Newsletters

Sign up for the mailing list.

Public Meetings

Three public meetings will be held.

Media

Watch your local newspapers.

One-on-One Meetings

With small groups and property owners.



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COMMUNITY ADVISORY GROUP (CAG)

A key part of the study process is the creation of a CAG. The CAG will share the opinions of the broader community with the study team; distribute study information throughout the community by CAG members; and help identify and develop alternatives.

The CAG will be limited to a group of 20-25 members. The study team will select the CAG members. CAG members will include representatives from the following:

- County and Consultant Staff
- Business Leaders
- Community Leaders
- Residents
- Commuters/Commercial Drivers
- Governmental Leaders
- Interested groups, neighborhoods or organizations
- Emergency Response Representatives

CAG members will be expected to comply with these responsibilities:

- Attend each CAG meeting and participate in group discussions and activities (expect to attend 3-5 meetings over the next year; meetings should last approximately 2 hours).
- Follow the CAG ground rules that include respecting the opinions of other CAG members and working toward a positive outcome.
- Represent your organization or constituency and distribute project information.



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