

2010

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- December 1st Luncheon— Harbor Light Choir – Salvation Army
- January— TBA
- February—TBA

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TxDOT to Replace Bridge on El Camino Real

The Texas Department of Transportation plans to replace the bridge on El Camino Real over the bayou between NASA Parkway and Medical Center Boulevard. The project is anticipated to begin next spring, sometime between February 2011 and May 2011. Harris County and the City of Webster are planning to partner on a project to build sidewalks along the stretch at the same time. This will replace the pavement and add turn lanes for the remainder of El Camino which will greatly improve the pedestrian mobility for people to walk in the surrounding areas while adding to the esthetics of El Camino Real.

Due to the enormous impact of the project on traffic congestion in the area, TxDOT has promised to expedite as much as possible, meeting with all the utility companies this past month and determining at best the utilities could be out of the way by February 2011 and in worst case by April 2011. Another update meeting with the utility companies will take place in December.

Jeff A. Volk, Southeast Harris County TxDOT Engineer, noted that “Due to the structural complexity of the existing bridge, it is not possible to phase the construction to allow the bridge to stay open during reconstruction. Plans are to close the bridge and detour traffic.” Additionally, the county has requested that the signal timing at NASA and El Camino/Egret Bay be adjusted to assist movement during the 3-4 month closure. Traffic will be rerouted along NASA to Saturn to Bay Area.

Affected area of El Camino Real



2010 Texas Transportation Forum

JANUARY 6-8, 2010

*Hilton Hotel
Austin, Texas*



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<http://tti.tamu.edu/conferences/ttf10/>

Safety on the Roads for the Upcoming Holiday Season

Thousands of holiday travelers will soon hit the road to visit family and friends, and many of them will be navigating unfamiliar roads for long stretches of time during atypical hours of the day, such as early morning or late evening. Drivers planning long distance road trips should beware; these long journeys can be tiring and fatigue can be deadly behind the wheel. Drowsy driving causes more than 100,000 crashes each year, and results in 40,000 injuries and 1,500 deaths. If you are planning a road trip this holiday, get a good night's sleep the night before and remember to stop every two hours to stretch and get fresh air. If you become tired while driving, stop. A short nap and consuming caffeine can provide a temporary energy boost. To ensure your roadway safety this holiday season, follow these additional helpful tips: Service your vehicle before your trip. Crashes and disabled vehicles cause 25 percent of highway congestion. Be sure and check the battery, vehicle lights, windshield wipers and fluid, brakes, oil level, and tires. Stock your vehicle with the proper equipment and supplies including a flash light, jumper cables, flares or reflective triangles, first aid supplies, and a properly inflated spare tire.

Christmas Celebration Luncheon
December 1st

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December 1st



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11:30– Registration & Program

12:00– Lunch & Program



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If you know anyone that would like to be added to our email database please email: Stevie.Jones@gcli.com



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