



INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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INDOT Seeks Input from Low-Income, Minority Communities for I-69 Section 6

INDOT commits to extensive outreach to low-income or minority communities for feedback

INDIANAPOLIS (November 15, 2016) – As required by federal law, the Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) is reaching out to low-income or minority communities who could be affected by I-69 Section 6, which runs between Martinsville and Indianapolis along the State Road 37 corridor.

As part of the I-69 Section 6 environmental study, the Federal Highway Administration requires INDOT to conduct specific outreach to ensure inclusion of all socio-economic or minority communities. Low-income or minority communities who may be impacted will receive surveys in the mail. Those who receive surveys are asked to complete and return them, postage paid, to assist the I-69 Section 6 project team in determining preferred and selected alternative routes.

Nearly 10,000 surveys were mailed to members of low-income or minority communities, as identified by U.S. Census data, the week of Nov. 7.

Special accommodations

Special accommodations will be made for individuals needing auxiliary aids or services of interpreters, signers, readers or large print materials. Anyone with such needs should contact Rickie Clark with INDOT's Office of Public Involvement at 317-232-6601 or rclark@indot.in.gov.

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