



You are invited to a Community Workshop!

The Arizona State Transportation Board has allocated resources to facilitate completion of a unique and unprecedented statewide collaborative transportation planning effort known as "Building a Quality Arizona," or "bqAZ". This process will establish the state's long-term multimodal transportation vision and goals based on statewide needs.

A community outreach program has been kicked off, which explores long-range multimodal transportation needs in the 2030-2050 timeframe and assists in crafting the Statewide Transportation Framework. Your involvement in the process is critical to its success.

For the purposes of this study, the state has been divided into four regions. A study team has been assigned to each region to gather input at the local community and regional level to craft Regional Framework Studies. The findings from each region will become "building blocks" to assemble a Statewide Transportation Planning Framework.

The study process is divided into several key phases in which we need your involvement: issues identification, alternatives development and analysis and draft/final Statewide Planning Framework. At each of these phases, stakeholders and the public will be actively involved in reviewing and providing input to the study.

The Eastern Arizona Regional Framework Study team will be in your area during the month of March conducting community workshops to help identify the transportation, land-use and environmental issues that are important to you and your community. You are invited to attend any of the following workshops (content will be identical at each workshop). A presentation will be given at 5:45 p.m., followed by an interactive discussion of issues and opportunities.

March 24, 2008

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.
Torreon Golf Clubhouse Pavilion
651 S. Torreon Loop
Show Low, AZ 85901

March 31, 2008

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.
St. Andrew Catholic Parish Kino Hall
800 N. Taylor Drive
Sierra Vista, AZ 85635

March 27, 2008

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.
Graham County General Services Building
Assembly Room
921 Thatcher Blvd.
Safford, AZ 85546

April 8, 2008

5:30 – 7:00 p.m.
Americana Motor Hotel
639 N. Grand Avenue
Nogales, AZ 85621

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