

PUBLIC INPUT NOTICE

2045 REGION 9 LONG RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN

Virtual Public Input Notice on Draft Plan

(Rock Island, January 13, 2021) —Every five years, the Region 9 Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) is re-evaluated. The update process considers changes in our transportation system and economy, looking 20 years into the future for the area of rural Scott County and all of Muscatine County, Iowa.

Regional officials with Bi-State staff have prepared a draft plan with guidance from the Iowa Department of Transportation. It is ready for public review. The plan includes transportation goals, existing and proposed transportation system improvements, and survey input from citizens within Region 9. Comments from the survey noted future improvements and current issues, such as road conditions, traffic congestion, bike route safety, and intersection safety. The most important goal to these citizens was safety/security within the area. Public input is scheduled prior to the adoption of the plan.

An electronic copy of the draft plan will be available at <https://bistateonline.org/transportation/2012-11-14-00-04-13/2012-11-14-00-08-37/region-9-lrtp.html>. A public hearing is set for Friday, January 29, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. as part of the Region 9 Transportation Policy Committee Meeting. Comments on the draft plan will be accepted in writing prior to the hearing to Katelyn Miner, noted below, or verbally during the public hearing. Persons requiring special material or presentation format should contact Katelyn Miner (309-793-6300, ext. 1145 or kminer@bistateonline.org) on or before January 25, 2021. For general questions, contact Bi-State Regional Commission at (309) 793-6300.

Meetings for Public Input

Bi-State Regional Commission is conducting public input meeting, and a public hearing by the Region 9 Transportation Policy Committee. Citizens, businesses, and other stakeholders are invited to attend to provide feedback on the draft 2045 Region 9 Long Range Transportation Plan. Bi-State staff will be available and will be providing a presentation and overview of the plan at these meetings. Comments on the draft can be made prior to or at either meeting.

Date/Time	Location
Tuesday, January 26 4:30-5:30 p.m.	Virtual Public Input Meeting
Friday, January 29 11:00 a.m.	Virtual Public Hearing
Virtual Information:	Public Input Meeting: Zoom Link: http://bit.ly/3bx0bPR Meeting ID: 841 1626 6081 Passcode: 973025 Public Hearing: Zoom Link: http://bit.ly/2LHHE8H Meeting ID: 813 6048 2404 Passcode: 296021

Note: If you require special accommodations for these meetings, please notify Katelyn Miner, (309) 793-6300, Ext. 1145 or kminer@bistateonline.org



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