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New website for Illinois 148 and Old Illinois 13

Site seeks public participation on proposed Williamson County project

CARBONDALE – The Illinois Department of Transportation is inviting the public to learn more and comment about the proposed roundabout at the intersection of Illinois 148 and Old Illinois 13 west of Marion. Instead of hosting a regular public meeting, IDOT will share details of the project and encourage public participation from June 27 through July 15 through a new website, <https://idot.illinois.gov/projects/Illinois-148-and-Old-13-Roundabout.html>.

The proposed roundabout will include impacts to Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge located in both the southeast and southwest corners of the intersection. As such, it is subject to protection under Section 4(f) of the U.S. Department of Transportation Act of 1966. Detailed documentation describing the impacts and mitigation associated with the effects of Illinois 148 and Old Illinois 13 on Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge will be included in project materials for this meeting.

At <https://idot.illinois.gov/projects/Illinois-148-and-Old-13-Roundabout.html>, the public can view aerial photography with proposed alignment alternatives, proposed typical sections, a safety overview, and submit comments.

Physical copies of the project materials will also be available at the Illinois Department of Transportation District 9 office from June 27 through the end of the day on July 11. The District 9 office is open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mondays through Fridays and is located at 2801 W. Murphysboro Road in Carbondale. All comments received by July 15 will become part of the official public meeting record.

Written comments not submitted electronically should be sent to:

Illinois Department of Transportation
P.O. Box 100
Carbondale, Ill. 62903
Attn: Carrie Nelsen, IDOT District 9 Program Development Engineer

People without internet access can contact IDOT District 9's Program Development Engineer Carrie Nelsen at (618) 549-2171 ext. 280 for more information about the project.

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