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Latest News

- D2: Three corridor alternatives using DART-owned right-of-way through Victory Park are recommended for further study Pacific, Elm and Commerce. All alternatives include options for connecting to the Deep Ellum area by way of Swiss Ave. (preferred) or Monument St.
- D2: DART hosted two public meetings on April 18, where staff presented an analysis of the revised Set of Reasonable Alternatives. The presentation is available at DART.org/D2.
- D2: A Community-sponsored planning charrette was held in Deep Ellum April 19 to discuss, develop, and present design options for the east-end of the alignment. Materials from the meeting are available at DART.org/D2
- Public meetings scheduled for May 15, 17, and 22 in North Dallas, Richardson and Carrollton.

D2 Meetings since April 14

- April 18: Two public meetings on D2 presenting alignment updates
- **April 19:** Planning charrette and open house to discuss, develop and present design options for the Swiss Ave. alignment

D2 Upcoming Meetings

- April 26: Meeting with The Real Estate Council (TREC) and Downtown Dallas, Inc.
 (DDI) to discuss delaying project planning schedule to review alignment selection
 process.
- May 1: Brief AT&T representatives on recent D2 progress.
- Mon, May 8; 1:00 p.m.; City Hall, Joint DART Board/COD TTRP Committee; provide D2 briefing.
- Early-/Mid-May: Joint Stakeholder/Technical Committee Meeting; present results of Detailed Evaluation

Cotton Belt Upcoming Meetings

- **April 27:** DART meeting with Addison, Carrollton, Coppell, Richardson and Plano City Managers.
- Public meetings scheduled for May.
 - o Monday, May 15; 7:00 p.m., Parkhill Junior High School Cafeteria
 - o Wednesday, May 17; 6:30 p.m., Richardson Civic Center
 - o Monday, May 22; 6:30 p.m., DeWitt Perry Middle School
- Ongoing coordination discussions between DART and corridor city staffs.
- Continuing to engage business and community leaders to keep them informed on Cotton Belt project status.
- Additional dates/times for meetings with stakeholders and elected officials to be determined.

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