

# NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF ROADS NOTICE OF HIGHWAY PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

**Tues., Oct. 1, 2013; 4:00 – 6:00 PM**

*Information Open House Public Meeting*

Dwight Volunteer Fire Hall, 198 N. 1st St., Dwight, NE

## **STP-BH-66-6(106) N-15 to Dwight; CN 13044** **STP-66-6(105) Dwight to N-79; CN 13018** **STP-66-6(108) Dwight East Bridges; CN 13018a**

The Nebraska Department of Roads (NDOR) will hold a public information open house regarding three proposed projects on Nebraska Highway 66 (N-66) south of the village of Dwight in Butler and Saunders counties. The meeting will be held at the Dwight Volunteer Fire Hall, 198 N. 1st St., Dwight, NE, on Tues., Oct. 1, 2013, 4:00-6:00 P.M.

The *N-15 to Dwight* project would begin at Nebraska Highway 15 (N-15) and run to Nebraska Highway Spur 12D (S-12D) by the village of Dwight. The *Dwight to N-79* project would run from S-12D to Nebraska Highway 79 (N-79).

The *Dwight East Bridges* project would consist of three bridges along N-66 between S-12D and N-79. These bridges span a stream below Butler County Reservoir 67-A between County Roads “U” and “V”, Oak Creek between County Roads “V” and “W”, and North Oak Creek by Valparaiso.

The improvements on the *N-15 to Dwight* and *Dwight to N-79* projects would consist of repairing the existing roadway, milling (a process of grinding off the surface), and resurfacing. The *Dwight East Bridges* project would consist of bridge repairs. The bridge below the Butler County Reservoir and the Oak Creek bridge would be widened and rehabilitated. The entire superstructure of both of those bridge would be replaced along with the existing approach sections. The deck on North Oak Creek bridge by Valparaiso would be replaced and approach sections added. Each bridge would undergo abutment repairs and the existing guardrail replaced.

No new permanent property rights for right-of-way (ROW) are anticipated. There would be minor permanent wetland impacts associated with the *N-15 to Dwight* project. Mitigation would not be required.

Construction on the *N-15 to Dwight* and *Dwight to N-79* projects could begin as early as spring of 2015 and be complete as early as fall of the same year. The proposed construction would be built “under traffic,” meaning without diverting N-66 traffic; however, temporary delays in the project area may occur. The *Dwight East Bridges* project would begin the following spring and be completed by late fall of 2016. The proposed bridge construction would require detouring N-66 traffic; however, local traffic would be maintained as much as possible. The detour route would utilize Nebraska Highway 92 (N-92), N-15, and N-79. Local access would be maintained during construction.

The public meeting is being held to provide information regarding the project, currently in the design phase, and receive input. All interested persons are invited to attend and present relevant comments and questions. Design information will be displayed and personnel from NDOR will be present to answer questions and receive comments. The information “open house” format allows the public to come anytime during the posted hours, gather pertinent information about the project, speak one-on-one with project personnel, and leave as they wish.

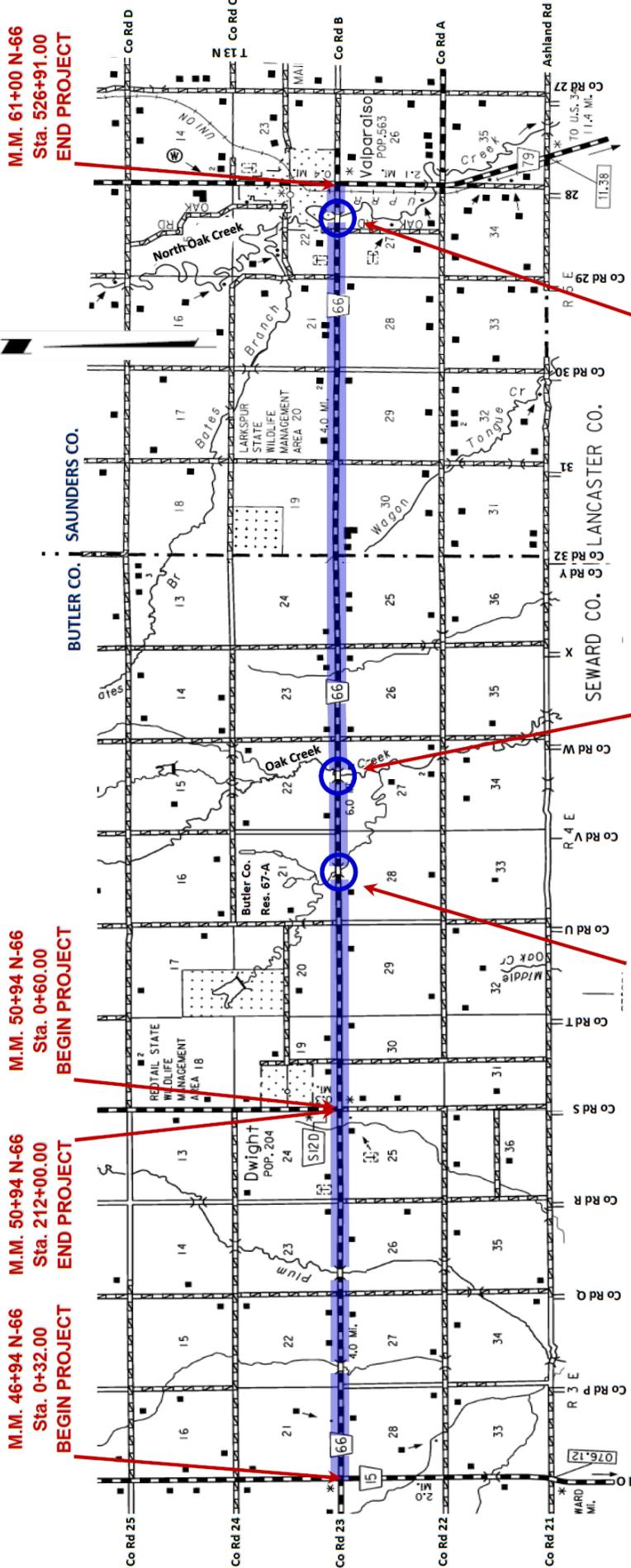
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NDOR will make every reasonable accommodation to provide an accessible meeting facility for all persons. Appropriate provisions for the hearing and visually challenged or persons with Limited English Proficiency (LEP) will be made if the Department is notified by Sept. 20, 2013. Notification should be submitted to: Greg Weinert, Public Hearings Officer, Nebraska Department of Roads, P.O. Box 94759, Lincoln, NE 68509-4759; [greg.weinert@nebraska.gov](mailto:greg.weinert@nebraska.gov); voice telephone (402) 479-4871, TDD (402) 479-3834, Fax (402) 479-3989. Information on the projects will be posted on the NDOR website [www.transportation.nebraska.gov/projects/](http://www.transportation.nebraska.gov/projects/) at the “Dwight” link. For further details, contact Tom Goodbarn, District One Engineer, (402) 471-0850, [thomas.goodbarn@nebraska.gov](mailto:thomas.goodbarn@nebraska.gov).

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