

LEGAL NOTICE
OAKLAWN AVENUE IMPROVEMENTS
BETWEEN HALPIN AVENUE AND CAMORE DRIVE
STATE PROJECT No. 135-321

In accordance with the Connecticut Department of Transportation Policy on Public Involvement/ Public Information Meeting for the Highway Layouts (Corridor) and Designs, the City of Stamford will hold a Public Information Meeting at 7:00 P.M. on Wednesday, January 7, 2015 and the SNOW DATE is January 8, 2015 in the Stamford Government Center Cafeteria located on the 4th Floor of 888 Washington Boulevard, Stamford, for the **OAKLAWN AVENUE IMPROVEMENTS BETWEEN HALPIN AVENUE AND CAMORE DRIVE**, a distance of approximately 1,600 feet, which includes sidewalks on both sides of Oaklawn Avenue, and realignment of Cantwell Avenue at Old North Stamford Road; and realignment of Benstone Street at Stanwick Place. Preliminary design has been completed and the project is being presented to the public for the city to recommend this project advance to final design.

It is the policy of the City of Stamford and the State of Connecticut to keep the public informed and involved when such projects are undertaken. It is important that the community be provided an opportunity to offer its input and share its concerns.

The Information Meeting will be concerning the City's recommended concept plans for the roadway improvements to **OAKLAWN AVENUE IMPROVEMENTS BETWEEN HALPIN AVENUE AND CAMORE DRIVE** to include sidewalks on both sides of Oaklawn Avenue, and realignment of Cantwell Avenue at Old North Stamford Road; and realignment of Benstone Street at Stanwick Place. Cantwell Avenue will remain as a two-way street. The proposed improvements of the project will increase the cross section of the roadway to accommodate sidewalks, current roadway design standards and realign intersections. The proposed improvements will have improved lane and street geometry to improve traffic operations. The estimated project construction cost is three million (\$3,000,000) dollars. The Federal Highway Administration will provide 80% of the project cost, whereas the Connecticut Department of Transportation and the City of Stamford will each provide 10% of the project cost.

Preliminary design plans will be available for public inspection ten days before the scheduled date of the Public Information Meeting, at the City of Stamford, Traffic Engineering located on the 7th Floor of 888 Washington Boulevard, Stamford, CT, Monday through Friday, between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

Written statements or exhibits in place of, or in addition to the oral statements made at the Information Meeting may be mailed or delivered to the office of Mr. Mani S. Poola, Traffic Engineer, 888 Washington Boulevard, City of Stamford, Stamford, CT 06901 no later than 4:00 p.m. January 23, 2015. Such written comments or exhibits must be reproducible in black and white and on paper not to exceed 8" x 11" in size. These written statements or exhibits will be made part of the Public Information Meeting minutes and will be considered in the same way as oral statements.

Deaf and hearing impaired persons wishing to attend this Public Information Meeting and requiring an interpreter may make arrangements by contacting Ms. Vivienne Lewis at (203) 977-4189 at least five working days prior to the Public Information Meeting.

The City of Stamford, Traffic Engineering staff will be available an hour prior to the Public Information Meeting to answer questions regarding the project. All persons interested are welcome to attend this Public Information Meeting.