

Discuss Bridger Canyon Corridor Planning Study Thursday, April 2, 2015 6:00 P.M. Bridger Canyon Fire Hall 8081 Bridger Canyon Rd, Bozeman, MT

The Montana Department of Transportation (MDT), in coordination with Gallatin County and FHWA, will present and discuss the Draft Bridger Canyon Corridor Planning Study. The intent of the study is to identify issues, constraints, and potential opportunities for improvements within the study area. The study area begins at the MT 86 intersection with Story Mill Road at Reference Post (RP) 1.95 just east of Bozeman, and ends at the intersection with U.S. 89 at RP 37.5 near Wilsall, MT. The Bridger Canyon Corridor Planning Study is a pre-environmental study that allows for planning-level coordination with community members, stakeholders, environmental resource agencies, and other interested parties. The study identifies potential improvement options, which will assist in facilitating a smooth and efficient transition from transportation planning to future project development/environmental review. Implementation of potential improvement options is dependent on funding availability. The Bridger Canyon Corridor Planning Study is a planning-level study and is not a design or construction project.

The purpose of the meeting is to explain the planning study process, and, also, present and discuss the Draft Bridger Canyon Corridor Study.

The meeting is open to the public and attendance is encouraged. MDT attempts to provide accommodations for any known disability that may interfere with a person's participation in any service, program or activity of our department. If you require reasonable accommodations to participate in this meeting, please call Sarah Nicolai at (406) 324-7412 at least two days before the meeting. For the hearing impaired, the TTY number is (406) 444-7696 or 1-800-335-7592, or call Montana Relay at 711. Alternative accessible formats of this information will be provided upon request.

Comments may also be submitted in writing at the meeting; by mail to Sarah Nicolai, DOWL, 1300 Cedar Street, Helena, MT 59601; by email to snicolai@dowl.com; or online at www.mdt.mt.gov/pubinvolve/bridger

Please indicate comments are for the Bridger Canyon Corridor Planning Study. Interested parties are encouraged to join the study mailing list by submitting their name and contact information to Sarah Nicolai at snicolai@dowl.com