

# Interstate 69 System In Texas

Enhancing Safety, Moving Freight, Creating Economic Opportunities & Expanding Coastal Evacuation Capacity

**CONNECTING TEXANS** - More than a third of Texans live in the counties along the path of the Interstate 69 System.

**UNDERSERVED REGIONS** - Approximately 900 miles of future I-69 in Texas remain to be upgraded to full interstate standard. About 800 miles of that flow through Economically Disadvantaged Counties and other rural areas. Interstate access will bring new economic development opportunities to these communities.

**SAFETY & CONGESTION MITIGATION** - Every mile of new interstate enhances safety for traveling Texans. Congestion relief projects at urban and rural choke points add to driver safety.

**EVACUATION CAPACITY** - I-69 System routes already provide key avenues for coastal evacuation and more upgrade projects will reduce evacuation gridlock and travel times.

**MOVING FREIGHT** - Texas highway freight volumes, including border trade and inter-regional trucking, will double in the next 20 years. The entire I-69 System is part of the Texas Highway Freight Network and a key part of the Texas and national supply chain.

**FUNDING** - Continued funding from state and federal sources is essential to speeding up I-69 development.



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