

*Members of the public are invited to*

**CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING  
State Project No. 0134-0151  
Replacement of Existing Stone Culvert Under Route 19 East Street  
in Stafford**

**Thursday, May 29, 2025 6:00 p.m.**

**Stafford Community Center  
3 Buckley Highway, Stafford Springs, CT, 06076**

**Learn more and register:** [portal.ct.gov/DOTStafford0134-0151](https://portal.ct.gov/DOTStafford0134-0151)

The purpose of this meeting is to provide the community with an opportunity to learn about the proposed project and allow an open discussion of any views and comments concerning the proposed improvements. A Q&A session will immediately follow the presentation.

The purpose of the project is to replace the existing stone clapper box culvert due to structural deficiencies. There are no existing catch basins along the edge of road and there is evidence of ponding during rain events. Roadside safety along Route 19 is also substandard.

Right-of-way impacts are associated with the proposed improvements which include temporary construction easements, drainage easements, an aerial easement, right to remove and reset stone wall, and right to grade and construct driveways.

Construction is anticipated to begin spring 2027. The estimated construction cost for this project is approximately \$2.7 million, with 80% Federal funds and 20% State funds.

Members of the public can submit comments and questions during the two-week public comment period following the meeting. Please submit comments and questions by Thursday, June 12, 2025, to [DOTProject0134-0151@ct.gov](mailto:DOTProject0134-0151@ct.gov) or 860-594-2020; [Nicholas.Ivanoff@ct.gov](mailto:Nicholas.Ivanoff@ct.gov) or (860) 594-2597.

**ACCESSIBILITY**

The meeting facility is ADA accessible.

Individuals with limited internet access can listen to the meeting by calling (877) 853-5257 and enter Meeting ID 815 1679 8804. Individuals with hearing and/or speech disabilities may dial 711 for Telecommunications Relay Services (TRS).

Individuals may request that project information be mailed to them within one week of the meeting by contacting [Nicholas.Ivanoff@ct.gov](mailto:Nicholas.Ivanoff@ct.gov) or (860)-594-2597.

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