

*Members of the public are invited to*

**CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
VIRTUAL PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING  
State Project No. 0139-0116  
Replacement of Bridge No. 04569 Carrying Russell Avenue over Philo Brook  
in Suffield**

**Thursday, July 31, 2025, 7:00 p.m.**

**Learn More & Register:** [portal.ct.gov/DOTSuffield0139-0116](https://portal.ct.gov/DOTSuffield0139-0116)

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 structure and provide a structure that is in a state of good repair, improving safety for all roadway users.

The right-of-way impacts associated with the proposed improvements are in the form of slope easements and construction easements.

Construction is anticipated to begin spring 2027 based on the availability of funding, acquisition of rights of way, and approval of permit(s). The estimated construction cost for this project is approximately \$3 million. This project is anticipated to be undertaken with 80% federal funds and 20% state funds.

The public can submit comments and questions during two-week public comment period following meeting. Direct comments and questions by Thursday, August 14, 2025, to [DOT-FLBP@ct.gov](mailto:DOT-FLBP@ct.gov), or (860) 594-2020, or Michelle Rame at [Michelle.Rame@ct.gov](mailto:Michelle.Rame@ct.gov) or (860) 594-3319.

**ACCESSIBILITY**

Non-English language closed captioning will be available on Zoom. The recording will also be posted following the meeting in CTDOT's public meeting playlist at [portal.ct.gov/ctdotVPIMarchive](https://portal.ct.gov/ctdotVPIMarchive).

For limited internet access, call (877) 853-5257 with Meeting ID 859 3525 1612. Project information can be mailed within one week by contacting Michelle Rame at [Michelle.Rame@ct.gov](mailto:Michelle.Rame@ct.gov) or (860) 594-3319.

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