# Fields Ertel Road & Butler-Warren Road Intersection Improvements











#### **Purpose of Today's Meeting**

The purpose of this meeting is to present information about proposed improvements to the intersection of Fields Ertel Road & Conrey Road, Fields Ertel Road and McCauly Road, and Fields Ertel Road and Butler-Warren Road in Sycamore Township, Hamilton County, Ohio and Deerfield Township, Warren County, Ohio. This handout provides information about the proposed improvements at the Fields Ertel Road & Butler-Warren Road intersection. The Hamilton County Engineer's Office and the Warren County Engineer's Office is interested in your input and encourages you to provide feedback on the proposed project. Project team members are available at the meeting to discuss the project and answer questions.

Please submit comments by February 23, 2020 so that they may be included in the public involvement summary. You may fill out a comment form at the meeting, email your comments to todd.gadbury@hamilton-co.org, or mail written comments to:

Todd Gadbury Hamilton County Engineer's Office 223 W. Galbraith Rd Cincinnati, OH 45215

# **Project Description**

Hamilton County is proposing improvements to the intersection of Fields Ertel Road and Butler-Warren Road. After obtaining feedback from the public in the April 11, 2019 public meeting, we selected a modern roundabout as the preferred alternative (see back of handout). The improvements will likely shift Butler-Warren Road to line up with 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue. The project will also include curb, drainage improvements, and resurfacing.

#### **Purpose and Need**

The purpose of the project is to reduce congestion and improve safety at the Fields Ertel Road and Butler-Warren Road intersection and to improve system linkage within Hamilton, Butler, and Warren Counties.

# **Funding**

Hamilton County is the project sponsor with Warren County partnering. Funding has not yet been identified for this project.



#### **Construction Schedule**

The construction schedule for this project has not been determined yet. The maintenance of traffic plan will be developed after selection of the preferred alternative and will investigate part width construction and potential use of a detour.

#### **Environmental Studies**

No environmental studies have been prepared for the project at this time.

### **Proposed Schedule**

- Start of Design August 2018
- Public Open House April 2019
- Establish Preferred Alternative June 2019
- Stage 1 Submittal March 2020
- Stage 3 Submittal June 2020
- Final Design August 2020
- Anticipated Start of Construction TBD

# **Right-of-Way Purchase**

Some new right-of-way may be needed for this project but has not been finalized yet. A right-of-way representative from Hamilton County will contact you as soon as definite information becomes available should the ultimate design of the project affect your property or lands.

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# **Previous Public Input**

The Hamilton County Engineer's Office held an open house public meeting on April 11, 2019 to provide information and collect feedback on the proposed improvements to the intersections of Fields Ertel Road with McCauly Road, Fields Ertel Road with Conrey Road, and Fields Ertel Road with Butler Warren Road. A total of 99 people signed in as attending the meeting. Comments were accepted at the meeting and for 30 days following the meeting through mail, email, and over the phone. A total of 50 comments were received and 22 of these comments pertained to the improvents at the intersection of Fields Ertel Road with Butler-Warren Road. A summary of comments received for this intsections is provided to the right.

#### **Preferred Alternative Selection**

The roundabout was selected as the preferred alternative at this location because the roundabout was preferred by the public. The roundabout will also improve safety and reduce congestion.

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Safety	9	
Congestion	16	
Pedestrian Crossing	5	











# COMMENT SHEET Fields Ertel & Butler-Warren

#### Fields Ertel Road & Butler-Warren Road Intersection Improvements

Feedback can also be provided via email:

Public Meeting
January 23, 2020
5:00 PM to 7:00 PM
Sycamore Township Fire Department

Use this form to submit your comments at the Public Information Meeting or mail the comment sheet by **February 23, 2020**.

	todd.gadbury@h	namilton-co.org	
Name: Mailing or E-mail Address:			
What are your major concerr for this intersection?		☐ Congestion	Pedestrian Crossing
Comments:			
1. Have you noticed any spec drainage, or anything else that	•		
2. Do you have comments on t	he proposed design?		
3. Please describe your familia	rity and comfort level	with driving through I	roundabouts?

#### If more space is needed, please attach additional sheets

We appreciate your interest and value your input. Exhibits presented at tonight's meeting may be viewed at the following websites: <a href="http://www.sycamoretownship.org">http://www.sycamoretownship.org</a> and <a href="https://www.hamiltoncountyohio.gov/government/departments/engineer">https://www.hamiltoncountyohio.gov/government/departments/engineer</a>

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