

## FY27-31 Regional Public Transportation Coordination Plan

### **Public Comment Period**

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# Agenda



#### Central Texas Council of Governments

#### Public Meetings Regarding the FY27-31 Regional Public Transportation Coordination Plan

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#### **Public Meetings**

#### Meet-and-Greet / Open House Style - In Person

Monday, October 27, 2025 3:00 PM – 6:00 PM Helping Hands Ministry of Belton 2210 Holland Rd. Belton, TX 76513

Tuesday, October 28, 2025 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM Milam County TRAID 2025 Senior Expo New Salem Building at Fair Park 308 Walnut Street, Rockdale, TX 76567

Tuesday, November 4, 2025 San Saba, TX 76877 Postponed, but will be rescheduled

Thursday, November 20, 2025 Hamilton, TX 76531 Postponed, but will be rescheduled



#### Meet-and-Greet / Open House Style - In Person

Saturday, December 6, 2025 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM Christmas on Marshall St., Gatesville, TX 76528

#### **Virtual Meeting**

Monday, December 8, 2025 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM

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#### \*Note of Basic Requirement:

Public notice of public involvement activities and the time established for public review and comment on the Regional Public Transportation Coordination Plan (RPTCP)—and other related planning documents—will satisfy the Program of Projects (POP) requirements of the Urbanized Area Formula Program (FTA Section 5307). This applies to services operated by Hill Country Transit District (HCTD) and Central Texas Rural Transit District (CTRTD), the designated transit providers for the region.

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# Background

#### **Background**

The Regional Public Transportation Coordination Plan (RPTCP), formerly known as the Regionally Coordinated Transportation Plan (RCTP) is a planning document mandated by the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) and the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT). It must be updated every five years, and this current update covers Fiscal Years 2027–2031 (FY27–31).

The RPTCP serves as both a blueprint and a toolbox for improving coordination and development of public transportation services across the region. It guides the implementation of new and expanded efforts that generate efficiencies, which are then leveraged to enhance existing services or introduce new ones that increase access for transit-dependent populations, including rural residents, seniors, individuals with disabilities, low-income residents, zero-car households, youths, individuals with limited English proficiency, Veterans, clients of workforce agencies, and job seekers.

TxDOT Region 23 encompasses a nine-county area in Central Texas: Bell, Coryell, Hamilton, Lampasas, Llano, Mason, Milam, Mills, and San Saba. The Central Texas Council of Governments (CTCOG) facilitates planning and coordination efforts within this region. However, Mason and Llano counties are not part of the CTCOG planning area and are therefore excluded from this study.

This update builds upon the foundation laid in the previous planning cycle and continues to prioritize collaborative efforts, drawing from public feedback, stakeholder input, and coordination with Hill Country Transit District (HCTD) and Central Texas Rural Transit District (CTRTD) to strengthen regional transportation planning and improve access.

# Public Engagement Activity and Plan Adoption Schedule

#### Public Engagement Activities: FY27-31 Plan

Dates	Task
October 20, 2025 -	Baseline Assessments of Transportation Needs
December 15, 2025	Online Survey
	Minimum 45-day Public Comment Period
October 20, 2025 –	Comments may be received in any of the following ways:
December 15, 2025	Email: <u>ktmpo@ctcog.org</u>
	Phone: 254-770-2364
	U.S. Postal Service: Central Texas Council of Governments
	C/O Anita Janke, FY27-31 RPTCP
	P.O. Box 729, Belton, TX 76523
	Comments must be received or postmarked by Monday December
	22, 2025, to be included in the official record of public meeting.
October 27, 2025	Meet-and-Greet / Open House Style – In Person
3:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Helping Hands Ministry of Belton
	2210 Holland Rd. Belton, TX 76513
0	Bell County
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8:00 am – 12:00 pm	Milam County TRAID 2025 Senior Expo
	New Salem Building at Fair Park
	308 Walnut Street, Rockdale, TX 76567
November 4, 2025	Milam County  Most and Creat / Open House Style In Barren
November 4, 2025	Meet-and-Greet / Open House Style – In Person
10:00 am – 2:00 pm	San Saba County Health Fair San Saba Civic Center, Mill Pond Park
	1190 Thomas Steward Drive, San Saba, TX 76877
	San Saba County
November 20, 2025	Meet-and-Greet / Open House Style – In Person
8:00 am – 12:00 pm	National Rural Health Day
	Hamilton Public Library
	201 N. Pecan, Hamilton, TX 76531
	Hamilton County
December 6, 2025	Meet-and-Greet / Open House Style – In Person
10:00 am – 2:00 pm	Christmas on Marshall St., Gatesville, TX 76528
	Coryell County
TBD	Formal Meeting Followed by Open House – In Person
	Emphasis on Stakeholder Engagement
TBD	Meet-and-Greet / Open House Style – In Person
	Mills County
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TBD	Meet-and-Greet / Open House Style – In Person  Lampasas County
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December 16-29, 2025	Staff Develop Public Engagement Summary (Draft)
January 6, 2026	CTRTAG Review and Discuss
January 7-21, 2026	Staff Finalize Public Engagement Summary

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## **End of Packet**