



May 15, 2025

The Honorable Irene M. Haines  
First Selectman  
Town of East Haddam  
1 Plains Road, P.O. Box 385  
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Dear First Selectman Haines:

Subject: Virtual Public Information Meeting Confirmation  
State Project No. 0040-0149  
Replacement of Bridge No. 01382, Abandonment of Bridge No. 02703,  
Rehabilitation of Bridge No. 02704; SR 609 (Leesville Road)  
Town of East Haddam

This is to confirm with your office the scheduling of a Virtual Public Information Meeting to be presented by the Connecticut Department of Transportation (CTDOT) concerning the subject projects. The meeting will be held on June 18, 2025, at 6 p.m. Instructions on how to access the meeting and on other details can be found on the project webpage: <http://portal.ct.gov/DOTEastHaddam0040-0149>.

A copy of the Public Meeting Notice, which contains a brief description of the proposed project, is transmitted herewith. Prior to the scheduled meeting, a member of CTDOT's project team will also provide a copy of the project display materials for posting to the Town's website.

The Public Meeting Notice can also be distributed to interested parties and will be published in the Hartford Courant on June 4 and 11, 2025.

Maintenance and protection of traffic during construction will consist of closing the road/bridges and detouring traffic via Route 149 and Route 151 as shown on the detour map transmitted herewith.

If you would like to participate in introducing the meeting on the evening of the event or have any questions or comments regarding this project, please contact Francisco T. Fadul, Project Manager, at (860) 594-2078.

Very truly yours,

Francisco T. Fadul, P.E.  
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For: Transportation Principal Engineer  
Bureau of Engineering and Construction

Enclosures: 0040-0149\_VPIM Public Notice Display Ad  
0040-0149\_Detour Map

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