

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC MEETING PROJECT FILE NO. 608565

A Public Information Meeting will be held by MassDOT to discuss the proposed conceptual Improvements on St. James Avenue at St. James Boulevard and Carew Street project in Springfield, MA.

LOCATION: East Springfield Neighborhood

Council

1437 Carew Street Springfield, MA

DATE/TIME: November 7, 2019

at 6 PM

This location is accessible to people with disabilities.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this meeting is to solicit input on the proposed

conceptual improvements along St. James Avenue at St. James Boulevard and Carew Street . All views and comments made at the meeting will be reviewed and considered to the maximum extent

possible.

PROPOSAL: The proposed project consists of mobility improvements along St. James

Avenue from approximately Ames Street to Merida Street in Springfield, MA. This is a safety improvement project which will include improved multi-modal accommodations as well as an evaluation of traffic signal operations at the intersections of Carew Street and St. James Boulevard. Both intersections have been identified as High Crash locations. The concepts have considered pedestrian and bicycle accommodations, the locations of commercial driveways and traffic operations throughout the project limits. Conceptual plans have been developed for the entire project length; however, at this point the contract is only anticipated to advance work at and immediately adjacent to the two traffic signals at St. James Boulevard and Carew St.