

# Hairy Man Road Safety Improvements Brushy Bend Drive to Sam Bass Road



## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### 1. What is the Hairy Man Road Safety Improvement Project?

This project is a part of the 2013 Williamson County Road Bond Program. The purpose of the proposed Hairy Man Road Safety Improvement Project is to improve the safety along the roadway for motor vehicles, pedestrians and bicyclists, as well as provide safer access to park facilities. Project limits include the roadway between Brushy Bend Drive and Sam Bass Road, a distance of approximately 2.4 miles. This project includes a traffic study and preliminary evaluation of possible safety improvements along the corridor.

The proposed project design includes:

- Adding two-foot shoulders to the roadway
- Adding rumble striping along the centerline and along the edge of the roadway
- Adding turn lanes into Olson Meadows Park and Creekside Park
- Improvements to park entrance driveways

### 2. Why is this project needed?

This project is needed to improve the safety for motor vehicles, pedestrians and bicyclists on Hairy Man Rd.

### 3. What is the County's role in this project?

The County is responsible for the design, construction and maintenance of the roadway.

### 4. What is the construction schedule for this project?

The project design is anticipated to be completed summer 2018, with construction starting in fall 2018.

### 5. Will residents and business owners be displaced?

No displacements of residences or businesses will occur as a result of the improvements.

### 6. What criteria were used to determine the proposed improvements?

To determine the proposed safety improvements, the County and its consultants evaluated safety concerns, the design speed and alignment of the roadway, right-of-way needs and cost estimates, as well as a design aimed to minimize the impact to trees.

### 7. How is the project being funded?

This project is funded by the 2013 Williamson County Road Bond Program.

### 8. Will trees be removed as part of this project?

Yes, trees within the project limits will be impacted. The County will make every attempt to preserve as many trees as possible.

### 9. How many traffic accidents have occurred in the study area in the last five years? How many were fatalities?

Between 2011 and 2016, approximately eight to nine crashes have been reported along Hairy Man/Brushy Creek Rd. each year. Two known fatalities have been reported during this period.

### 10. Where may I go to ask questions or receive more information about the Great Oaks at Brushy Creek Improvement Project?

For more information about this project, please visit [www.roadbond.org](http://www.roadbond.org). Questions or comments may be directed by email or phone to the Williamson County Road Bond Program at [roads@wilco.org](mailto:roads@wilco.org) or (512) 244-8610.