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TITUS COUNTY JUDGE

CR 4754 Bridge Closure
Titus County
Over Williamson Creek
Bridge NBI #19-225-AA47-50-001

The Honorable Brian P. Lee
Titus County Judge
100 West First Street, Suite 200
Mt. Pleasant, TX 75455

Dear Judge Lee:

In reviewing the current inspection report and load rating calculations, it was determined by the TxDOT Bridge Division according to the guidelines found in TxDOT's Bridge Inspection Manual set by the Federal Highway Administration, the bridge on CR 4754 over Williamson Creek needs to be closed to traffic as soon as possible. Please notify Randell DeLoach at randell.deloach@txdot.gov when this bridge closure has been accomplished. This bridge will need to remain closed until it can be repaired or replaced. Failure to follow closure recommendations could result in the loss of federal funds.

Through the Federal Highway Administration's Highway Bridge Program, this structure is already funded for replacement in 2021. Because of the closure, we will work with TxDOT Bridge Division to possibly advance the letting of this project.

If you have any questions in the interim, please contact me at (903)799-1204 or Randell DeLoach at (903)799-1217.

Sincerely,

Glenn R. Yowell, P.E.
District Bridge Engineer
Atlanta District

cc: Roger Ledbetter

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Roger Ledbetter

From: Randell Deloach <Randell.Deloach@txdot.gov>
Sent: Thursday, June 29, 2017 7:38 AM
To: Roger Ledbetter
Subject: Re: CR 4574 over Williamson Creek
Attachments: ~WRD000.jpg

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Since it is already approved to be replaced you can remove the old structure a place a culvert. We will then show it as a temporary structure. I think we can still get it moved up somewhat since we had to close it.

Sent from my youiPhone

On Jun 29, 2017, at 7:33 AM, Roger Ledbetter <r.ledbetter@co.titus.tx.us> wrote:

If we close the road and remove the bridge superstructure and leave the abutments ,can we place a temporary culvert. If we do this will it affect the bridge replacement or the timeline for the project?

From: Randell Deloach [<mailto:Randell.Deloach@txdot.gov>]
Sent: Monday, June 26, 2017 12:23 PM
To: r.ledbetter@co.titus.tx.us
Cc: Glenn Yowell
Subject: CR 4574 over Williamson Creek

Roger, I have attached the inspection files for this bridge. We will send you a formal notification of closure recommendation ASAP. If you need anything else in the meantime let me know.

Randell

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Notice of Titus County Road Closure

County Road 4754 will be closed beginning Monday July 10th due to a structurally deficient bridge at Williamson Creek. It will be closed to all through traffic from County Road 4660 to FM 1735. It will remain closed until the old bridge can be removed and a temporary culvert can be installed.

Please use caution when driving on County road 4754 and other roadways in the area due to construction traffic.