

Harlem Avenue between 63rd and 65th

Public Meeting #1 Summary | November 16, 2016

105

people attended
the meeting

8

comment sheets
were received*

58

community context
audit forms were
received*

**Between Nov. 16– Dec. 1*

The first public meeting for the IL 43 (Harlem Avenue) Phase 1 Study was held on Wednesday, November 16, 2016 at the Summit Park District, 5700 S. Archer Road in Summit, IL, from 4:00 P.M.–7:00 P.M.

The meeting was held in an open house format where attendees were asked to view a 10-minute presentation, view exhibit boards, and discuss the study with the project team. Attendees were encouraged to comment on an aerial roll map and leave their feedback.

The exhibit boards included:

- The project map
- The project development process
- The Phase I timeline
- An existing and projected traffic conditions map
- An environmental and community resources map
- A crash analysis
- A description of the Context Sensitive Solutions (CSS) process
- A description of how to get involved
- A description of the Community Advisory Group (CAG)



COMMENTS

Eight comments were gathered during the public comment period, November 16–December 1, 2016.

These comments included:



**Construction
timeline**



**Traffic on
neighboring
streets**



**Relocation
concerns**



**Grade separation
suggestions**

ATTENDANCE

Joe Alonzo

*Chicago Department
of Transportation*

Tom Bernas

St. Rene Goupil Parish

Joe Bongmo

*Congressman
Dan Lipinski*

Jim Butler

Village of Bedford Park

Jim Cainkar

Village of Summit

Mark Ferguson

Belt Railway Company

Gary Gaines

Afton Chemical

Nora Garza

*Lishmore Place III
Condo Association*

Jerry Hurckes

*Congressman
Dan Lipinski*

Steve Klotz

*Bedford Park
Fire Department*

John Lough

City of Chicago

Hector Lugar

City of Chicago

Sean Maloy

*Bedford Park
Fire Department*

Mary Mraz

City of Chicago

Kevin Ormins

*Bedford Park Public
Works Director*

Sergio Rodriguez

Village of Summit

Christopher Steinway

Belt Railway Company

Casimer Wisniowicz

City of Chicago

Marie Zilka

Clearing Civic League

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