

# DART Cotton Belt / Silver Line Community Input

## Dear recipients below:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor & City Council           | <input type="checkbox"/> City Manager & Staff Executives |
| <input type="checkbox"/> DART CEO                       | <input type="checkbox"/> DART Board of Directors         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NCTCOG Transportation Director | <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Railroad Administration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Congressman/Senator            | <input type="checkbox"/> State Rep/Senator               |

## I am writing to you today because I am:

- Angry       Frustrated       Concerned       Scared  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

about the Cotton Belt/Silver Line project and DART's misrepresentation of facts in their current Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) and want to request your assistance for action.

## My key concerns are:

- Safety       Noise/Vibration       Flooding of Streets       Traffic Delays  
 Freight       Lack of Station with Parking Nearby       Environmental  
 Delays in Public Safety Response       Communication from DART  
 Non-compliance/non-conformity  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_.

## To address this/these issue(s), I think you should:

- Design the train with grade separation at Meandering Way and Dickerson  
 Ensure Hillcrest remains without any ponding/flooding on the street  
 Require all recommendations from the Quiet Zone Field Diagnostic Study be implemented to address safety concerns of community  
 Reduce the train speed to match the speed vehicle are allowed to travel on streets  
 Incorporate operational items as part of safety measures  
 Install a detection system to stop the train if there is anything in the tracks  
 Reroute the train up the tollway to Plano/PGBT  
 Do not let the train be built in Dallas  
 Convert to Light Rail  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Respectfully,

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

For one-stop distribution of your letter, email to [district12@dallascityhall.com](mailto:district12@dallascityhall.com), drop off at 7028 Judi Street, or bring to the Community Rail Meeting for Far North Dallas residents on April 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm, PTAA – Hillcrest @Arapaho.

**If you are not currently signed up for the District 12 enews, you can stay in the loop by signing up at [tinyurl.com/d12enews](http://tinyurl.com/d12enews).**

*Impacted Streets – Hillcrest, Coit, Sugar Cane, Osage, Campbell, Frankford, Meandering Way, Dickerson, Davenport, Keller Springs, Genstar, La Manga, McKamy, Meadowcreek, Brentfield, Parkhill, Spring Creek, Cansler, Mapleshade.*

# **RAIL CONSTRUCTION WILL BE STARTING SOON**

## **\*Important Meeting\***

**Frequency of Trains  
Traffic & Safety  
Construction Plans**



**City of Dallas**

**April 4  
6:30 pm, PTAA  
15720 Hillcrest**