



# Public Information Meeting

to discuss proposed improvements on  
U.S. 20 in Woodbury County

**Thursday, Oct. 16, 2014, between 5 and 7 p.m.**

Correctionville Community Center, 312 Driftwood St., in Correctionville

All interested persons are invited to attend this meeting anytime between 5 and 7 p.m. to discuss proposed improvements along U.S. 20 from Minnesota Avenue/Woodbury County Road L-25 east to west of Correctionville.

**Traffic would be detoured during construction using Iowa 31, and Woodbury County roads D-22 and L-21. More information is available on the Iowa DOT's website: [www.iowadot.gov/pim](http://www.iowadot.gov/pim).**

This project is part of the proposed reconstruction of U.S. 20 improvement project in Woodbury, Ida, and Sac counties and will affect the Sioux Bend Wildlife Management Area. The property is considered a wildlife/waterfowl refuge, and the Iowa DOT will acquire approximately 5.85 acres. Information about the impact on the Sioux Bend Wildlife Management Area is on the Iowa DOT's website: [www.iowadot.gov/ole/otherprojectinfo.html](http://www.iowadot.gov/ole/otherprojectinfo.html).

The wildlife area has been determined to be a Section 4(f) resource and the acquisition of right of way is expected to have "de minimis" impact on the area. Section 4(f) of the U.S. Department of Transportation Act of 1966, was enacted as a means of protecting publicly owned parks, recreation areas and wildlife/waterfowl refuges, as well as historic sites of local, state, or national significance, from conversion to transportation uses. De minimis impacts are defined as those that, after consideration of any measure(s) to minimize harm (such as avoidance, minimization, mitigation, or enhancement measures), do not adversely affect the activities, features, and attributes of the Section 4(f) resource.

The meeting will be conducted utilizing an open forum format. Iowa DOT staff will be present to informally discuss the proposed improvement. No formal presentation will be made.

The meeting space is accessible for persons with disabilities. However, if you require special accommodations at the meeting, please notify the Iowa DOT contact listed below by Oct. 13.

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More information will be posted as it becomes available at the Iowa DOT's website: [www.iowadot.gov/pim](http://www.iowadot.gov/pim).