

THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROCESS

INITIATION AND SCOPING CAMPO approves project and agency sponsor	PURPOSE AND NEED Identify the problem we are trying to solve	RANGE OF ALTERNATIVES Develop possible alternatives that address	SCREENING Evaluate to learn which alternatives	REASONABLE ALTERNATIVES Advance reasonable alternatives for further study	ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS OF ALTERNATIVES Thoroughly analyze alternatives for potential	RECOMMENDED BUILD ALTERNATIVE MOVES FORWARD Study team makes recommendation based on	DRAFT DOCUMENTATION REVIEW / PUBLIC HEARING The Draft Environmental Document is presented for	FINAL DOCUMENTATION REVIEW The Final Environmental Document is completed for	ENVIRONMENTAL DECISION Either the preferred build alternative or	If Build Alternative is selected: PROJECT SPONSOR IDENTIFIES PROJECT FUNDING
chooses to move forward into environmental phase	2	the problem	best address the problem 4	5	impacts 6	evaluation criteria matrix results 7	agency and public review at a formal Public Hearing 8	TxDOT Environmental Division review and consideration	the no build alternative 10	AND CHOOSES TO MOVE FORWARD