

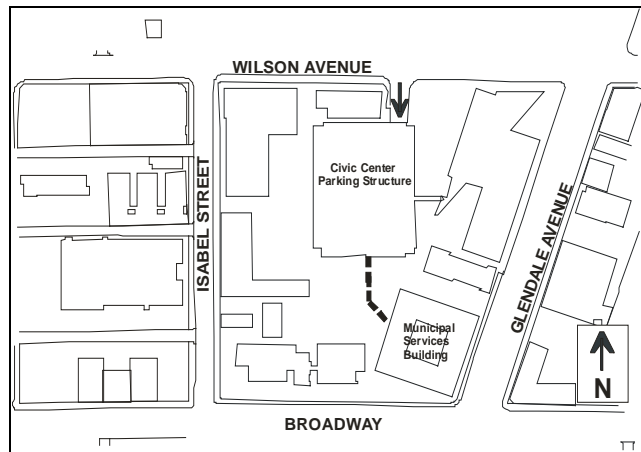


February 12, 2009

Dear Resident, Business and Property Owner:

The City of Glendale's Public Works Department will be conducting a meeting to update the community of the status of the Fairmont Avenue Extension Project, and the Flower Street Extension Project. Attached are summaries of the construction schedules of the above projects.

The meeting will be held on **Monday, March 9, 2009**, starting at 6:30 p.m., and will be conducted at the City of Glendale's Municipal Service Building, Room 105, located at 633 East Broadway. The Municipal Services Building is located at the northwest corner of the intersection of Glendale Avenue and Broadway. Free parking is available at the Civic Center Parking Structure. Access to the parking structure is from Wilson Avenue, between Glendale Avenue and Isabel Street. Please see the below map.



We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your patience and understanding for the inconveniences during the construction of the above projects. If you have any questions or concerns, please call Steven Lujan, Public Works Community Outreach Assistant at 818.548.3986 or email [slujan@ci.glendale.ca.us](mailto:slujan@ci.glendale.ca.us).

Sincerely,

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## **FAIRMONT AVENUE EXTENSION PROJECT:**

### **Project Description:**

Fairmont Avenue Extension Project is a major component of the SR-134/ San Fernando Road Access and Safety Improvement Program – being the largest public transportation project of its kind in the history of the City of Glendale’s Public Works Department. The project includes construction of a bridge structure on Fairmont Avenue, which will extend Fairmont Avenue to the west over San Fernando Road, the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority's railroad tracks, and the Verdugo Wash to join with the southerly extension of Flower Street. Below is additional information regarding the project.

Project Administered By:	City of Glendale Public Works Department
Design Firm:	URS Corporation
Construction Contractor:	Griffith Company
Construction Management/ Inspection:	Jacobs
Construction Period:	January 2008 to August 2010
Construction Cost:	\$23,552,243
Total Project Cost:	\$44,000,000 approx.
Project Funding:	State & Federal Grants

### **Construction Status:**

The project is nearly halfway into construction – scheduled for completion prior to August of 2010. The new Fairmont Avenue - along the Los Angeles River, to the north of the Verdugo Wash - is improved with curb and gutter and has received base paving. All bridge columns are complete in place. The construction activities for the bridge decks and the bridge abutments (end supports of the bridge decks) have started.



The bridge structure is comprised of three frames as follows: Frame A - spanning over the Verdugo Wash; Frame C- spanning over the railroad tracks and San Fernando Road; and Frame B - the center frame connecting Frames A and C. The construction contractor is presently working on construction of the falsework, the temporary structure that will be supporting the bridge deck construction, for the bridge deck at Frame B. Construction of the bridge deck at Frame B is anticipated for completion by mid April, 2009. The construction contractor is then scheduled to enter into the Verdugo Wash to construct the falsework for the bridge deck that will be spanning the Verdugo Wash at Frame A. Construction of the bridge deck over the Wash is anticipated for completion by late October, 2009, at which time the falsework within the Wash is scheduled for removal. The construction activities will then focus on construction of the bridge deck at Frame C over San Fernando Road.



Regularly updated notifications of the status of the construction and related traffic impacts are posted at:



[www.ci.glendale.ca.us/public\\_works/FairmontAvenueExtensionProject.asp](http://www.ci.glendale.ca.us/public_works/FairmontAvenueExtensionProject.asp)

**Please see the back of this page for recent pictures of the construction activities relative to the project.**

**FAIRMONT AVENUE EXTENSION PROJECT:**

Picture 1:	Picture 2:
	
Looking West – Completed columns on east side of San Fernando Road	Looking Northwest – Completed columns within the Verdugo Wash

Picture 3:	Picture 4:
	
Looking Northeast - Bridge abutment steel reinforcement at Fairmont Avenue.	Looking Northeast – Falsework for Frame B, immediately to the west of the railroad tracks.

Picture 5:	Picture 6:
	
Looking North– Falsework for Frame B at mid-span, to the west of the railroad tracks.	Looking Northwest – New Fairmont Avenue, along the Los Angeles River tracks.