



**City of Phoenix**  
STREET TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

### Alignment Study Fact Sheet

Sonoran Desert Drive alignment has been planned and designated as a major arterial roadway since 1987. This roadway is an important east-west alignment between Interstate 17 and northeast Phoenix. The City of Phoenix Street Transportation Department has engaged the services of TY Lin International to perform a roadway alignment study for the future Sonoran Desert Drive.

#### Study Includes:

- Study of existing and future development
- Research impacts and connection to the Sonoran Preserve including equestrian/wildlife linkages, pedestrian accommodations, and scenic corridors
- Evaluate major drainage and wash crossing locations
- Evaluate Sonoran Desert Drive / Dove Valley Road intersection alternatives
- Determination of right-of-way easement footprint necessary to construct the roadway
- Traffic analysis and verification of proposed cross sections
- Public and Municipal outreach and involvement
- Evaluate locations and geometrics for connector roads within study area
- Alignment Study Report



#### Study Partners:

- City of Phoenix
- Arizona State Land Department
- North Gateway Village Planning Committee
- Phoenix Mountain Preservation Council
- Phoenix Sonoran Preserves and Mountain Parks/Preserves Committee
- Area residents/property owners

#### Study Schedule:

- March 2013 - Begin Project Study
- Public Open House #1 - May 2013
- Public Open House #2 - July 2013
- Public Open House #3 - October 2013
- November 2013 - Final Alignment Study Complete

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