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INTERSTATE 80 PLANNING STUDY — PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

Des Moines. On July 24, 2018, the Department of Transportation (DOT) held an in-person public information hearing at the Botanical Gardens in Des Moines regarding the [I-80 Planning Study](#). The purpose of the meeting was to inform the public and solicit comments regarding [technical reports](#) concerning future development of Interstate 80 (I-80) and the final report, [Vision for Infrastructure Investment](#).

Representatives from the DOT were on hand to answer questions and discuss aspects of the study. Technical aspects of the plan include:

- [Guiding Principles for the Interstate System](#).
- [System Evaluation of Interstate Overhead Bridges](#).
- [Viability of Truck-Only or Restricted Lanes](#).
- [Diversion Strategy \(Viability of Alternative Route Improvements\)](#).
- [Automated Corridors](#).
- [Existing Conditions](#).
- [Resiliency and Vulnerability](#).
- [Viability of Modal Options](#).
- [Tolling Considerations](#).
- [Vision for Infrastructure Investment](#).

This was the fourth [meeting](#) related to the study. The previous three were held online. The deadline to submit [public comments](#) for the report is August 14, 2018.

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