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NET RMA Announces Toll 49 Groundbreaking – Location Change

(Tyler, TX) – The North East Texas Regional Mobility (NET RMA) will have a ground breaking ceremony for Segment 4, (the Lindale Relief route) on Thursday, August 18th at **Willow Brook Country Club at 10:30 AM**. The location of the groundbreaking changed due to the continuous rain in the forecast. Segment 4 has been a greatly anticipated addition of the Toll 49 system, allowing traffic on SH 69 to access the toll north of Lindale.

Back in March of 2016, the NET RMA announced Webber LLC as the lowest bidder at \$68.7M for the 6.6 mile stretch of road. The 2-lane undivided road will stretch from I-20 to US 69 north of Lindale. It is projected to be complete in 2018. This new segment of Toll 49 will encompass the safety features being added to other segments of Toll 49.

Chris Miller, Executive Director of the NET RMA said, “This is an exciting time for the agency. Our board has worked very hard to continue to develop segments of Toll 49. Segment 4 (the Lindale Relief Route) was a great next step for them to pursue.”

About the North East Texas Regional Mobility Authority (NET RMA)

The NET RMA is an independent government agency created to accelerate the development of transportation projects in North East Texas. The NET RMA’s mission is to implement transportation solutions that will enhance the quality of life and the economic environment in our area. The NET RMA is governed by a 19-member board of directors that represent each of the member counties: Bowie, Kaufman, Cherokee, Gregg, Harrison, Panola, Rusk, Smith, Titus, Upshur, Wood and Van Zandt. Texas RMAs were made possible through an initiative passed by State Legislature in 2001. The NET RMA was established in October 2004.

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