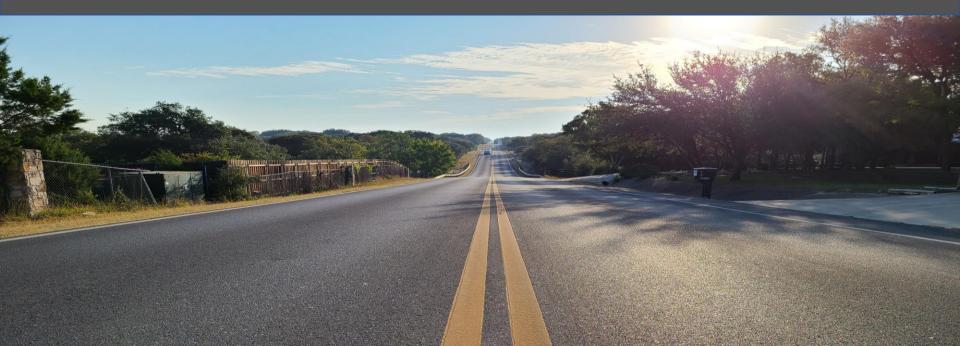




#### Kendall County Boerne Fair Oaks Ranch Transportation Committee



#### **KEY POINTS**

- Support for a Regional Master Thoroughfare Plan
- Continued Development with Increased Traffic
- Most Efficient Means is to Address Now
- Incorporate Requirements of Fair Oaks Ranch into Overall Regional Plan





#### **Transportation Requirements**

- Meet the Needs of Community First
- Consider Efficient Traffic Movement Second
- Retain the Hill Country Characteristic
- Strongly Consider Means that Reduce Environmental Impacts
- Include Capabilities for Multi-Modal Transportation





## Characteristics of Fair Oaks Ranch

# Hill Country Appeal



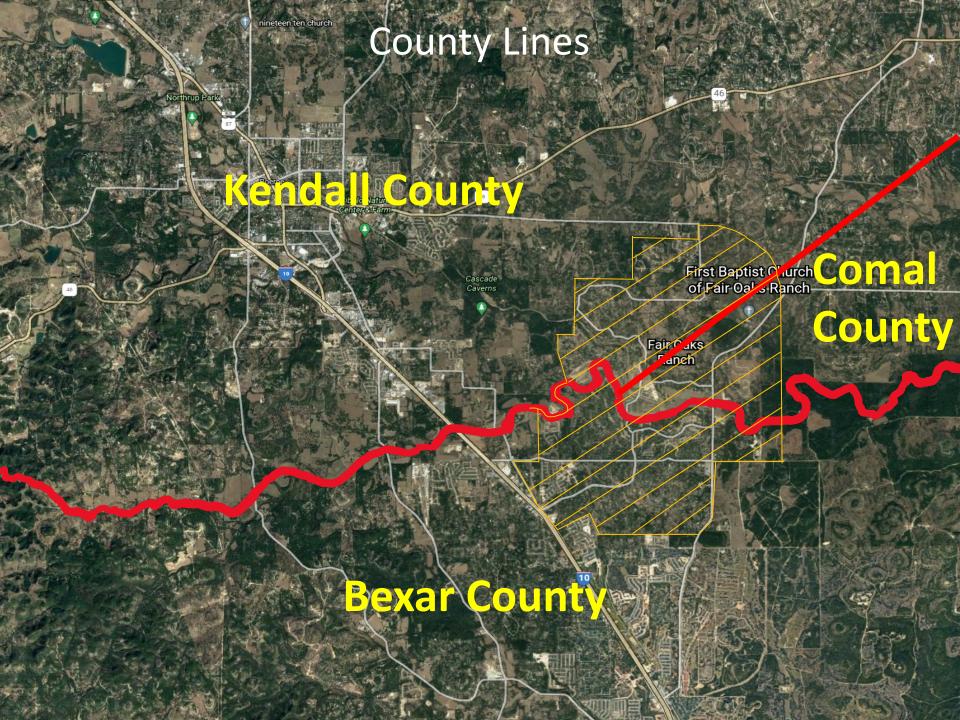




#### **Primarily a Housing Community**



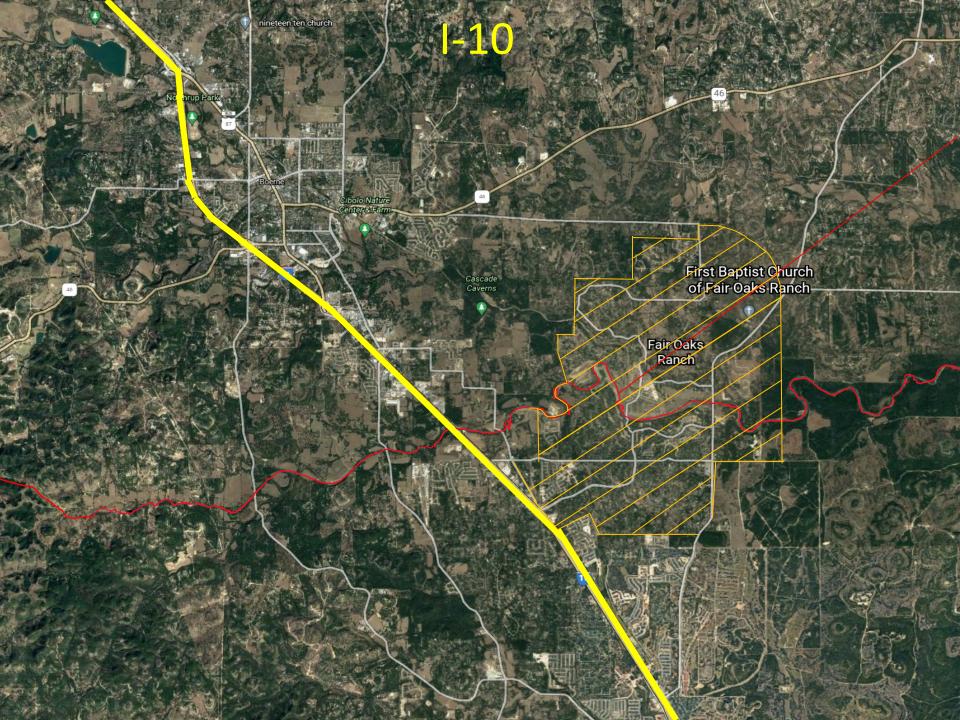


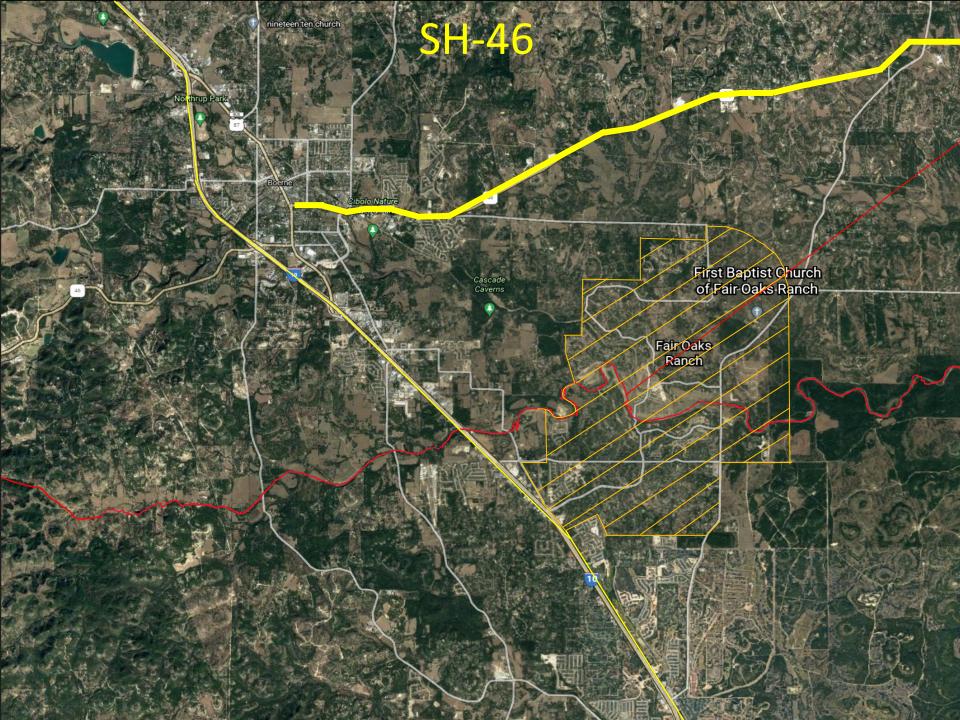


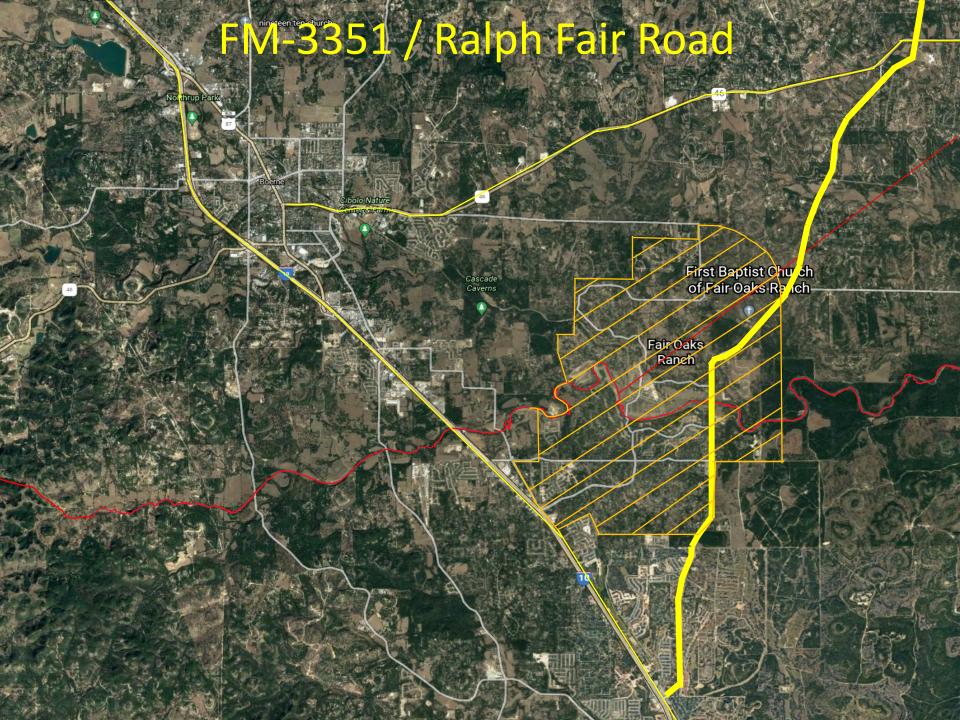


#### **Arterial Streets**

- Serve to Connect the Region
- Major Movement to Work, Shopping, Recreation
- Normally Higher Speed Avenues
- Move Heavy Traffic
- Arterial Streets Impacting Area
  - I-10
  - SH-46
  - FM-3351



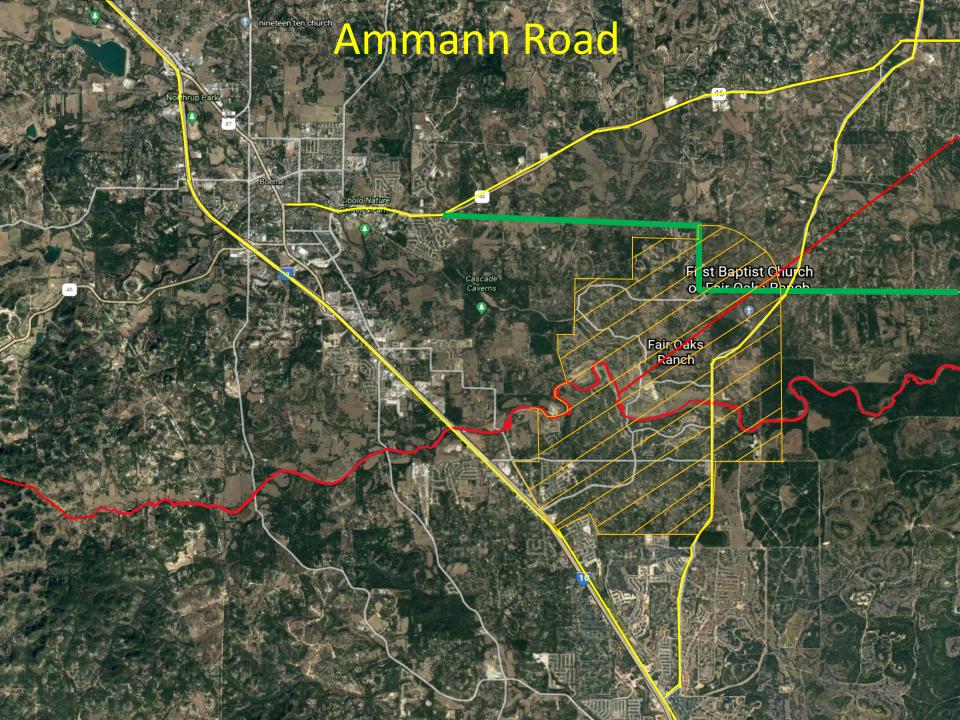


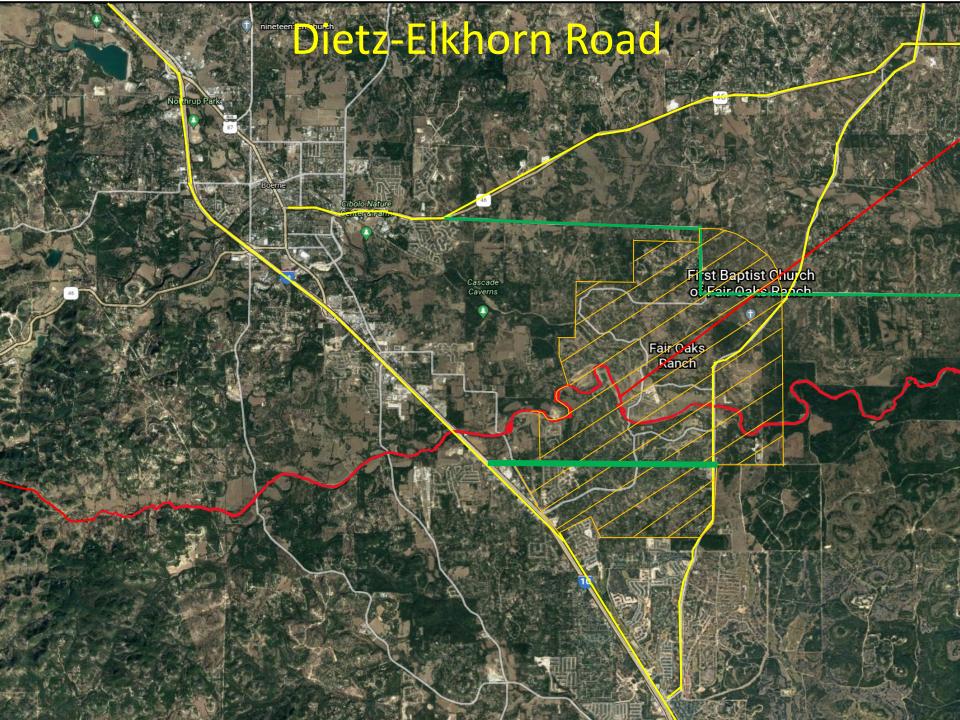




#### **Collector Streets**

- Major Avenues Used to Connect Arterial Streets
- Also Connects Neighborhoods to Arterials
- Collector Streets Impacting Area
  - Ammann Road
  - Dietz-Elkhorn Road
  - Fair Oaks Parkway



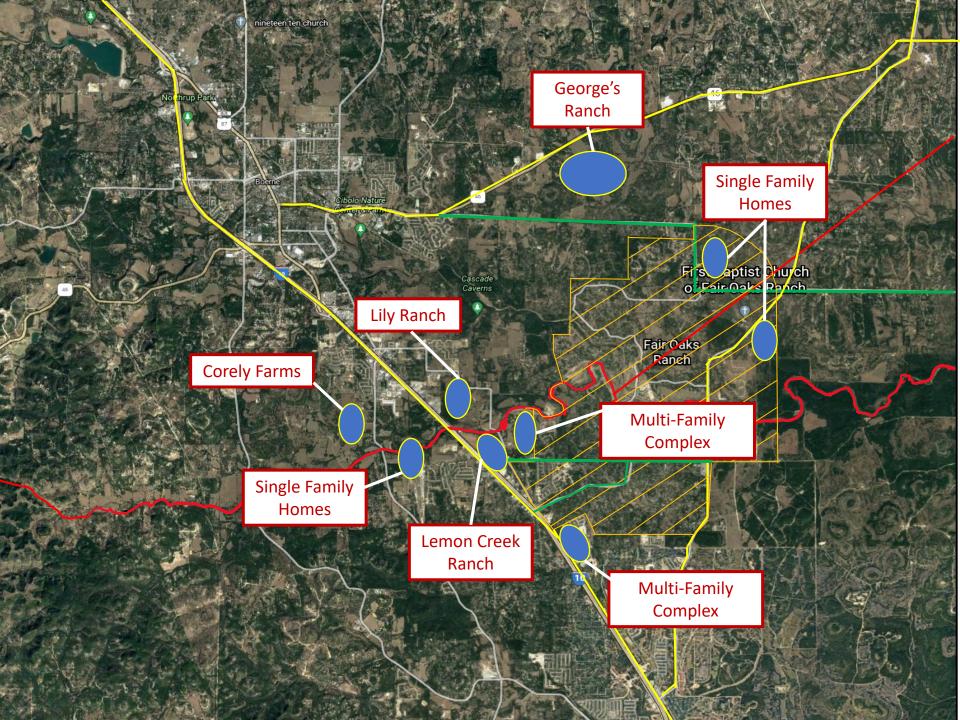






#### **Future Developments**

- The Hill Country is a Highly Desirable Area
- Undeveloped Areas Will Continue to Develop (assumption)
- Cannot Prohibit Development
- New Home Construction up 34% (2019 to 2021) (BISD)
- Given Current Building Regulations, Prepare for the Future
- Future Development Results in Increased Traffic
- Transportation Access is Closely Linked to Quality of Life
- Ease of Access
- Prepare for Future vs Promote Growth





#### Lemon Creek Ranch

(Impact On Future Development)





#### **Future Projects**

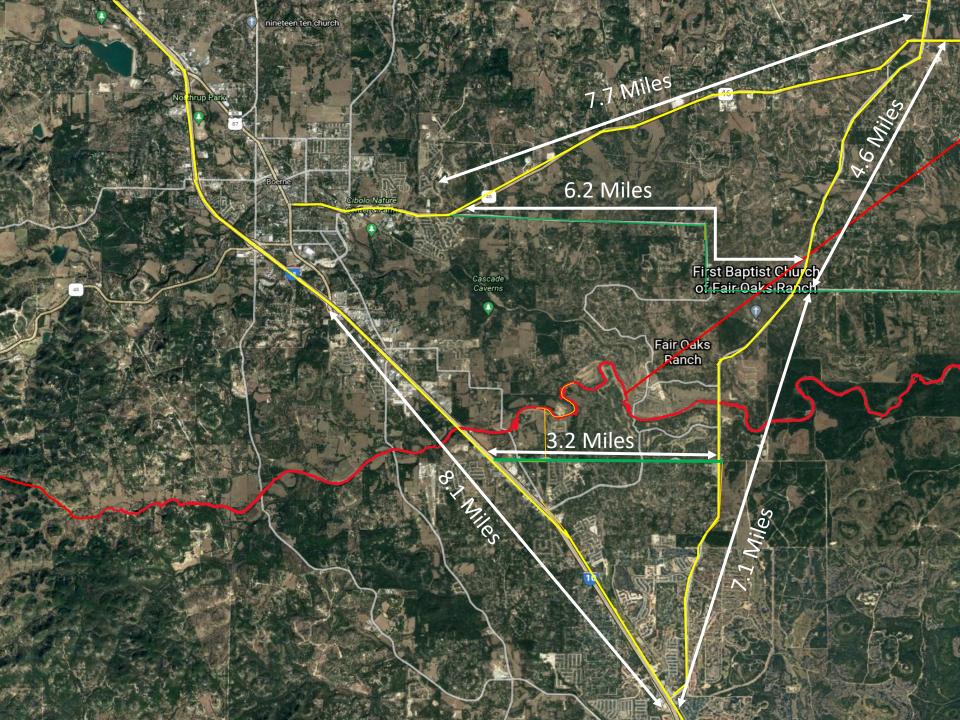
- FM-3351 / Ralph Fair Road
- Ammann Road

- Dietz-Elkhorn Road
- Collector from Ammann Road to I-10



#### FM-3351 / Ralph Fair Road

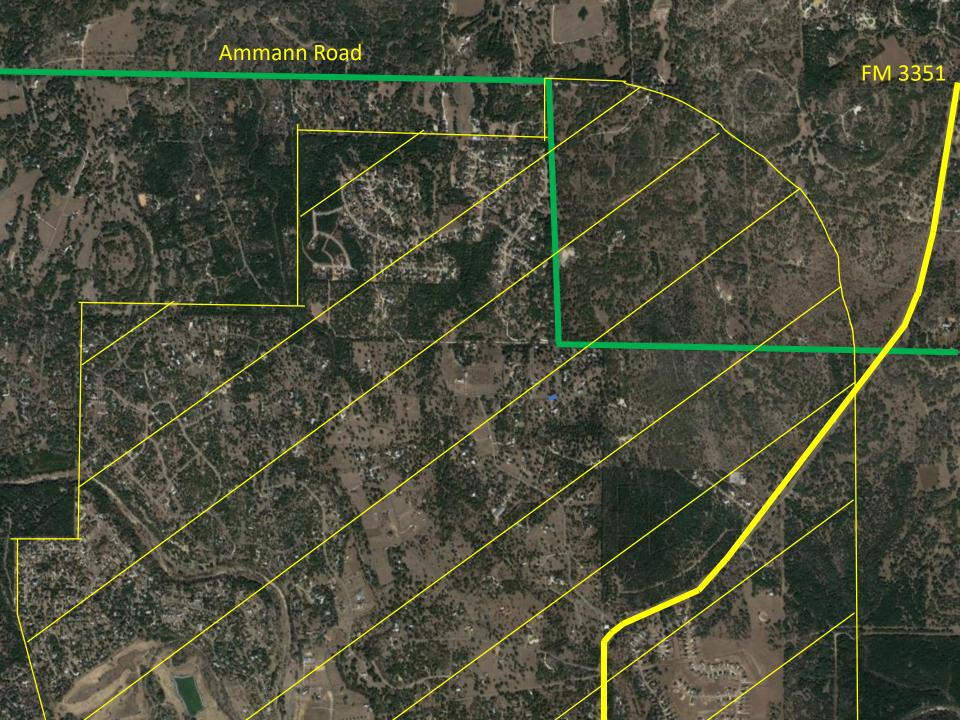
- TXDOT has Plans to Expand (10 yrs)
- Bridge Over Cibolo Creek (2-3 yrs)
- Traffic Already Increasing
- Significant Congestion Areas
  - Fair Oaks Ranch Elementary School
  - Intersection Fm-3351 and I-10
- TXDOT Road Influence Expansion Through Fair Oaks Ranch
- Major North-South Corridor?

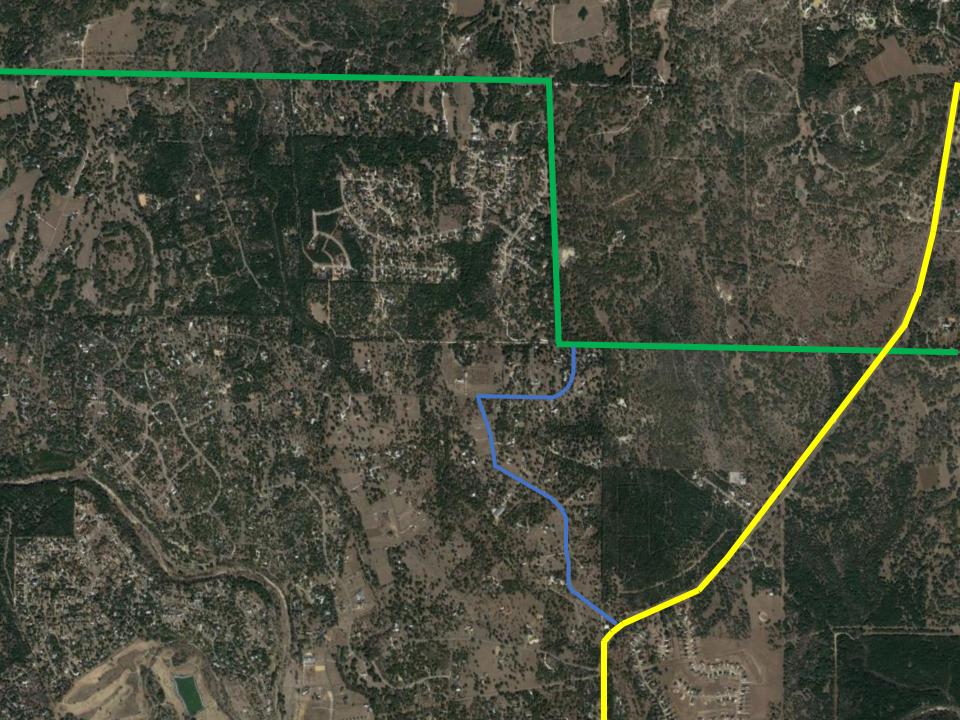


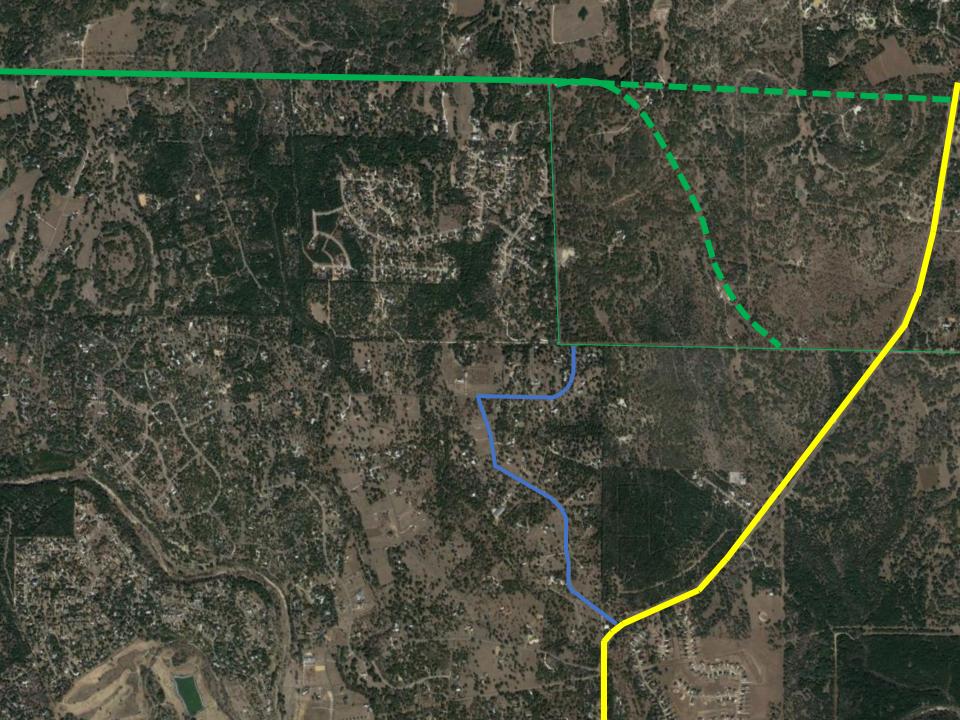


#### **Ammann Road**

- From Boerne Primary Collector to FM-3351 (Not SH-46)
- Dangerous Intersection at FM-3351
- Sharp 90 Degree Turns Not Appropriate for Anticipated Traffic
- Improved East/West Corridor Needed as Area Develops
- Cut Through Rolling Acres / Meadow Creek Trail









#### Dietz-Elkhorn Road

- Neighborhood Street and a Collector Street
- Access to Lemon Creek Ranch (HEB)
- Connects FM-3351 to I-10
- Anticipate Increased Traffic
- No Major Plans to Expand



- East Portion of Road is In Poor Condition
- Congestion at Van Raub Elementary
- Looking to Upgrade Road with Multi-Modal Capability



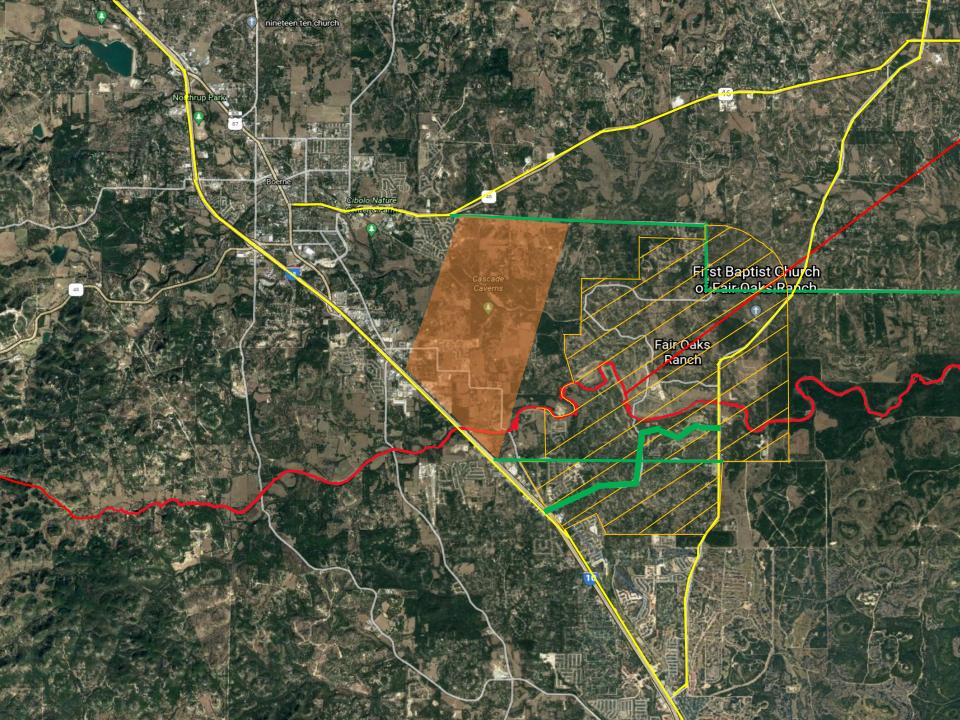
#### Fair Oaks Parkway

- Neighborhood Street and a Collector
- Connects FM-3351 to I-10
- Icon for Fair Oaks Ranch Example of Natural Character
- Do Not Want Increased Traffic
- No Plans to Expand
- Looking at Ways to Improve Pedestrian Usage and Trail Access



#### Collector From Ammann to I-10

- Continued Development in Area (Assumption)
- Establishes a North-South Corridor
- Outside City of Fair Oaks Ranch
- Exact Location Not Identified
- Plan and Prepare Now for Future Local and Regional Demand
- Promote Growth vs Preparation for Future Needs
- Provides a Relief of Traffic
- Reduce Environmental Impacts (More Options Now)
- Retain the Hill Country Look





#### Conclusion

- Support Alignment of County and City's MTPs
- Compliment the Needs and Requirements of All
- Integrate Land Use with Transportation Planning
- Retain Hill Country Character
- Strongly Consider Means that Reduce Environmental Impacts
- Serve the Community Then Efficiently Move Traffic
- Planning and Preparing Now Provides More Options



### Questions