DART Blue Line Extension
Design – Build Project
Garland – Rowlett
Garland Construction Update
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Blue Line Extension

[Map showing the Blue Line Extension route from Garland to Rowlett, with existing and future light rail stations marked.]
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DART Blue Line to Rowlett

Summary of Construction Zones

ZONE A  ZONE B  ZONE C  ZONE D  ZONE E  ZONE F  ZONE G

Garland

Rowlett

= DART ROW
= Bridge or Tunnel
= At Grade Crossing
= Freight Realignment
= DART LRT Station
DART Blue Line Extension

City of Rowlett
Rowlett Creek LRT Bridge
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DGNO Freight Bridge
Dexham Road At-Grade Crossing
Dexham Road At-Grade Crossing
Main Street LRT Bridge
Main Street LRT Bridge

DGNO LRT Bridge

Main Street LRT Bridge

DGNO Freight Line
Rowlett Road At – Grade Crossing
Rowlett Road At – Grade Crossing

LRT Guideway

DGNO Freight Line
Rowlett Road At – Grade Crossing

- DGNO Freight Line
- LRT Guideway
- S
Martin Drive / Melcer Drive

Martin/Melcer Drive
Downtown Rowlett Station
Downtown Rowlett Station
Downtown Rowlett Station

Rowlett Station

Rowlett Park & Ride

S
Downtown Rowlett Station

Rowlett Station
DART Blue Line Extension
Progress

City of Garland
Construction
Progress Photographs
Focus Areas

• KCS LRT Bridge
• SH – 78 LRT Bridge
• Rainbow Estates Sound Wall
• SH – 66 LRT Bridge
• Centerville Road At-Grade Crossing
KCS LRT Bridge Overview

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Summary of Construction Zones

ZONE A
ZONE B
ZONE C

KCS LRT Bridge Zone A

= DART ROW
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= DART LRT Station
KCS LRT Bridge

Walnut Drive
KCS LRT Bridge

Walnut Drive
KCS LRT Bridge
KCS LRT Bridge

South 1st Street
SH – 78 LRT Bridge Overview

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Summary of Construction Zones

ZONE A
ZONE B
ZONE C

SH – 78 LRT Bridge
Zone A
SH – 78 LRT Bridge Overview

Construction

May 2011

SH-78 LRT Bridge Columns / Caps

June 2011

SH-78 LRT Bridge Deck Paving

July 2011

SH-78 LRT Bridge Bridge Complete

AB&R Milestone
SH – 78 Freight Bridge
SH – 78 Freight Bridge
Rainbow Estates Sound Wall Overview

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Summary of Construction Zones

Rainbow Estates Sound Wall
Zone B

= DART ROW
= Bridge or Tunnel
= At Grade Crossing
= Freight Realignment
= DART LRT Station
Rainbow Estates Sound Wall Overview

- Rainbow Estates Sound Wall Foundations (NOV 2010)
- Rainbow Estates Sound Wall Panels (DEC 2010)
- Rainbow Estates Sound Wall Wall Complete (APR 2011)

AB&R Milestone
LRT Guideway / DGNO Freight Line

Rainbow Estates
LRT Guideway
DGNO Freight Line
Rainbow Estates Sound Wall
Rainbow Estates Sound Wall

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DGNO Freight Line
Rainbow Estates Sound Wall
Rainbow Estates Sound Wall
SH – 66 LRT Bridge Overview

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SH - 66
LRT Bridge
Zone C
SH – 66 LRT Bridge Overview

NOV 2010

SH – 66 LRT Bridge Deck Paving

DEC 2010

Construction

JAN 2011

QUARTER 3

FEB 2011

MAR 2011

MAY 2011

AB&R Milestone

SH – 66 LRT Bridge Bridge Complete

It's all connected.
SH – 66 LRT Bridge
SH – 66 LRT Bridge

LRT Guideway
SH – 66 LRT Bridge

SH-66
SH – 66 LRT Bridge
Centerville Road At-Grade Crossing Overview

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Summary of Construction Zones

Centerville Road
At – Grade Crossing
Zone D
Centerville Road At-Grade Crossing Overview

- **Phase A** – Complete (2 NB Lanes) – Nov 2010
- **Phase B** – Start (1 NB Lane / 1 SB Lane) – Dec 2010
- **Phase C** – Start (2 SB Lanes) – Jan 2011
- **Phase C** – Complete (2 SB Lanes) – Feb 2011
- **AB&R Milestone** – Mar 2011

The timeline shows the planned construction phases from Nov 2010 to May 2011.
At-Grade Crossing: Centerville Road

LRT Guideway

DGNO Freight Rail

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At-Grade Crossing: Centerville Road

LRT Guideway
DART Blue Line Extension

Methods of Communication
Upcoming Community Activities

06/11/11:
City of Garland Juneteenth Celebration

06/15/11:
Rowlett Road Closure Public Meeting

06/18/11:
Rainbow Estates Safety Day

07/20/11:
City of Rowlett Community Play Day
Door Hangers

- Small geographic area
- Can be hung on individual doors

Face-to-Face

- Individual / group meetings
- Issue / concern resolution
- Concept presentation
- Agreements
Electronic Newsletter

- Quarterly
- Distributed by request
- Available on the web site

Web Site

- DART – www.dart.org
- City of Garland – www.ci.garland.tx.us
- City of Rowlett – www.rowlett.com
- Project – www.austinprojects.com
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