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Oct. 17, 2018 Open House Meeting Summary Report



# OPEN HOUSE SCHEDULED TO DISCUSS RED BANK CORRIDOR TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS

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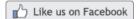
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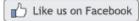
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More information about the Red Bank Corridor project and the Eastern Corridor Program is available at http://easterncorridor.org/projects/red-bank-segment-i/overview/.

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## **MEDIA ALERT**

# Red Bank Corridor Transportation Improvements To Be Discussed at Open House this Wednesday, Oct. 17

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WHEN:	THIS WEDENSDAY, Oct. 17 2018				
	6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.				
WHERE:	Madisonville Recreation Center – Gymnasium				
	5320 Stewart Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45227				
MEETING	Visitors to the Open House may arrive at any point to review project information and talk with the				
FORMAT:	planning team. The Madisonville Recreation Center is ADA accessible.				
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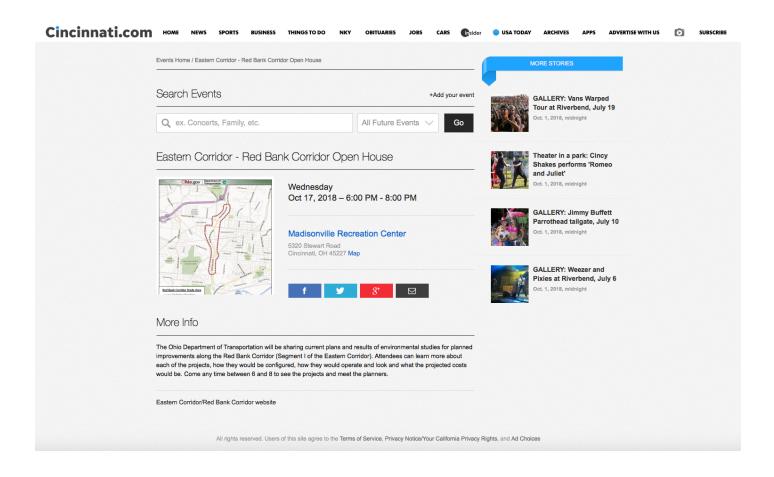
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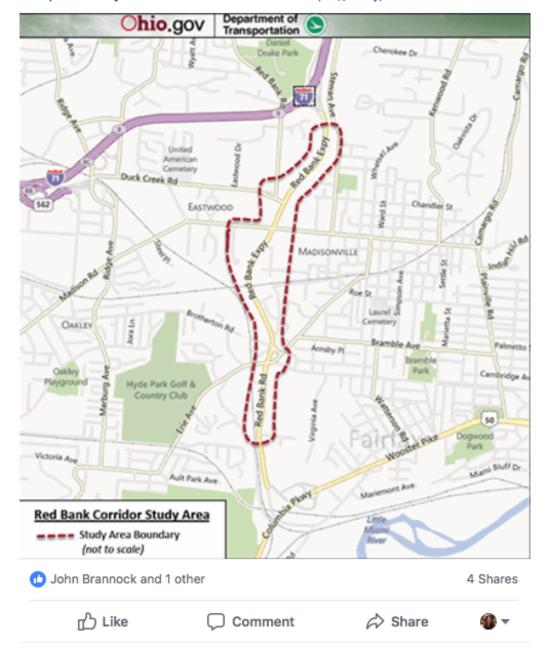


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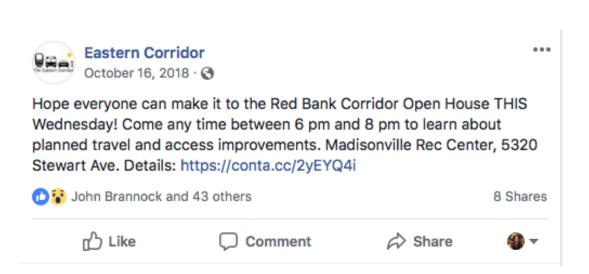
Are you a frequent traveler along the Red Bank Corridor? Come to ODOT's Open House any time between 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 17, to learn more about projects being planned to improve travel and access in the area. Madisonville Recreation Center, 5320 Stewart Road. Hope to see you there! For more details: https://bit.ly/2RecmEB

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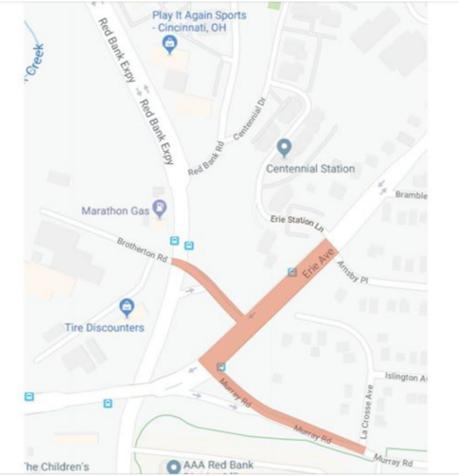




The Eastern Corridor's Red Bank Corridor Open House is next week, Oct. 17! Come any time between 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. to the Madisonville Recreation Center, 5320 Stewart Ave. to hear more about upcoming travel and access improvement being planned along the Red Bank Expressway. Proposed concepts for transportation advancements between Red Bank and the I 275/SR 32 interchange (Eastern Corridor Segments II & III) will be discussed at Open Houses on Oct. 24 & 25. For more information about these opportunities, visit: EasternCorridor.org.







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As you are making plans to come to the Red Bank Corridor Open House TONIGHT 6 to 8 p.m. at the Madisonville Rec Center, 5320 Stewart Ave. in Cincinnati remember that access to the Red Bank Expresssway from Erie/Brotherton/Murray is closed due to a water main break.

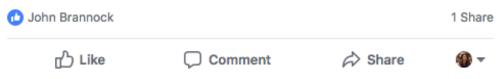




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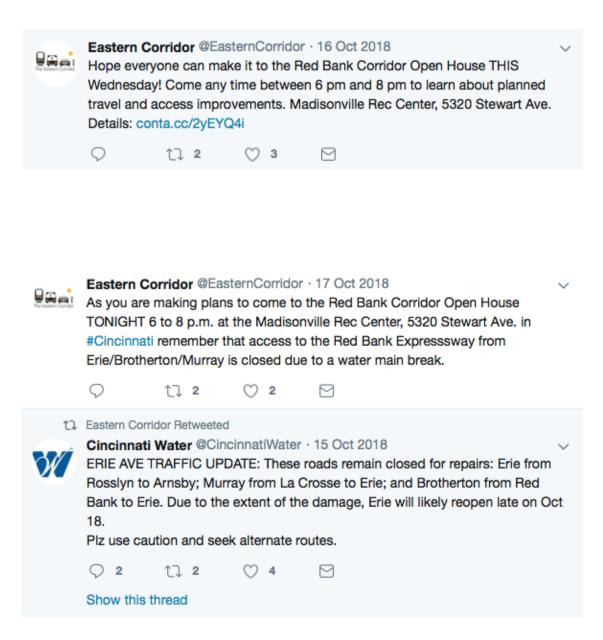
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