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301 US 301 Project Development

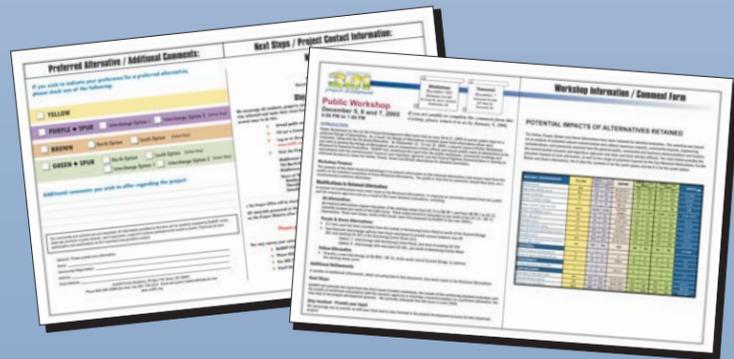


Thank You!

We thank you for taking the time to review tonight's materials and for participating in the US 301 Project Development effort.

Your insights and suggestions are valuable and greatly appreciated. Your comments, along with those of the federal and state environmental resource and regulatory agencies will be considered in reaching an informed decision on a recommended preferred alternative.

Nathan Hayward III
Secretary
Delaware Department of Transportation



Project Development Schedule

The following project schedule is extremely aggressive. The Project Team is committed to meeting this schedule. Timely completion of the effort is critical. Alternative corridors that are available today to address project needs will become more costly, with significantly greater impacts, if the decision on this project is delayed. The transportation problems that exist today along US 301 will continue to get worse with the mixture of truck traffic and continued planned growth.

Feb – Jun '05	Develop Project Purpose and Need/Goals and Objectives, and Potential Range of Alternatives
Jun '05	Public Workshop #1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Present Project Purpose and Need/Goals and Objectives Present Potential Range of Alternatives/ Preliminary Assessment of Their Effects
Jul – Aug '05	Evaluate Range of Alternatives and Develop Recommendations for Alternatives Retained for Detailed Study
Sep '05	Public Workshop #2 (Sep 12 th , 13 th and 19 th) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Present Range of Alternatives and Assessment of Effects Suggest Alternatives Recommended for Detailed Evaluation and Alternatives Not Recommended for Further Consideration
Sep –Dec '05	Complete Detailed Evaluation of Alternatives
Dec '05	Public Workshop #3 (Dec 5 th , 6 th and 7 th) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Present Results of Detailed Evaluation of Retained Alternatives
Early '06	Public Workshop #4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Present Recommended Preferred Alternative



Stay Informed & Up-To-Date

We encourage all residents, property owners, business owners and those who travel the US 301 Corridor to stay informed and make their views known on alternatives that will solve the problems on US 301. There are several ways to do this:

- ▶ Attend public workshops
- ▶ Fill out a Comment Form
- ▶ Log on to the project website for all the latest information: www.us301.org
- ▶ Visit the Project Office

Middletown Square Shopping Center
723 North Broad Street
Middletown, DE 19709

Hours of Operation
Mondays 10AM - 2PM
Thursdays 3PM - 7PM
Saturdays 9AM - 1PM

(The Project Office will be closed for the holidays beginning on December 22 and will reopen on January 5)

All materials presented at the public workshops will be available at the Project Office after December 7 and on the Project Website after December 13.

Please provide us with your comments by January 9, 2006.

You may address your comments via:

- ▶ DeIDOT Public Relations, PO Box 778, Dover, DE 19903
- ▶ Phone 866-485-9988 (toll-free)
- ▶ Fax 302-739-2217
- ▶ Email dot-public-relations@state.de.us



Consultation and coordination with the environmental resource agencies will be continuous throughout the project development effort.