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Memorandum To: External Scoping Meeting Attendees

From: Wilson Stroud, Project Development Engineer and
Brett Abernathy, Division 9 Project Manager

Subject: External Scoping Meeting
STIP Project U-760: Widen Hopkins Road (SR 2649) and Big Mill Farm
Road and extend Big Mill Farm Road with a new interchange at I-40
Bus./US 421, Kernersville, Forsyth County, WBS 46381.1.1

The Project Development and Environmental Analysis Unit (PDEA) has started the project development, environmental and engineering studies for the subject project. This project is included in the North Carolina Department of Transportation's federally approved 2016-2025 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and is currently scheduled for right-of-way to begin in fiscal year 2021 and construction let in fiscal year 2023.

An External Scoping Meeting has been scheduled on **Thursday, September 21 from 10:15 a.m to 12:15 p.m.** The meeting will be held in the NCDOT Structures Management Conference Room, Century Center, 1000 Birch Ridge Road in Raleigh.

The general purpose of this meeting is to begin early coordination with our agency partners by discussing known information about the project and project area. There are Project Data Sheets, mapping, and other materials for this meeting in the project file located on the PDEA Merger website:

<https://xfer.services.ncdot.gov/pdea/MergerMeetings/>

Please review this material and be prepared to discuss any additional known information regarding your resource and/or area of expertise as it may concern the project. We would especially appreciate any information you might have that would be helpful in identifying and evaluating important issues or topics that should be considered.

Thank you for your assistance in the project development process. If you have any questions concerning the project or the Project Data Sheets, please contact Wilson Stroud, Project Development Engineer at (919) 707-6045 or by email at wstroud@ncdot.gov, or Brett Abernathy, Division 9 Project Manager at (336) 747-7800





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