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Memorandum To: External Scoping Meeting Attendees

From: Eugene Tarascio 
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Subject: External Scoping Meeting
STIP Project U-5845 (Widen S. Churton Street from I-40 to Eno River)
And STIP Project U-5848 (Extend Orange Grove Road to US 70 Bus)
Hillsborough, Orange County,
WBS 50235.1.1 (U-5845) and 50237.1.1 (U-5848)

The Project Development and Environmental Analysis Unit (PDEA) has started the project development, environmental and engineering studies for the subject projects. The projects are included in the North Carolina Department of Transportation's federally approved 2016-2025 State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and are both scheduled for right of way beginning in fiscal year 2021 and construction let in fiscal year 2022.

A joint External Scoping Meeting for both projects has been scheduled on **Thursday, September 22 at 10:15 a.m.** The meeting will be held in the NCDOT Structure Design Conference Room C, 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 projects and project areas. 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/>

The U-5845 Project Data Sheets begin on page one of the packet in the project file, and the U-5848 Project Data Sheets begin on page five of the packet in the project file. The figures in the packet are for both projects, combined. 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 projects. 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.





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Thank you for your assistance in the project development process. If you have any questions concerning the projects or the Project Data Sheets, please contact Eugene Tarascio, Project Planning Engineer at (919) 707-6046 or by email at gtarascio@ncdot.gov. Please include the TIP Project Numbers in all correspondence and comments.

