NOTICE OF A CITIZENS INFORMATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR THE PROPOSED TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS TO US 401 FROM NC 210 TO SR 1436 (MATTHEWS ROAD)

TIP Project No. R-5185

Harnett County

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) will hold the above Citizens Informational Workshop on Tuesday, January 19, 2010 between the hours of 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. in the Harnett County Government Complex-Commons Area, 309 W. Cornelius Harnett Boulevard, Lillington.

The purpose of this workshop is for NCDOT representatives to provide information, answer questions, and accept written comments regarding this project. Information presented at this workshop will be general in nature, as detailed plans have not been prepared for the project. Interested individuals may attend this informal workshop at their convenience during the above stated hours. Please note there will be no formal presentation.

NCDOT proposes to widen US 401 from the intersection with NC 210 to just north of SR 1436 (Matthew Road). US 401 will be widened from the existing two-lane and three-lane segments to a four-lane, grassy-median divided roadway. Additional right of way and the relocation of homes and businesses may be required for construction.

The purpose of the project is to improve the traffic carrying capacity of US 401 and to accommodate future traffic. The project will coincide with the development of the Harnett County Health System (Central Campus), located on the north side of US 401 across from SR 1321 (McKinney Parkway).

Anyone desiring additional information may contact Mr. Matthew Potter, NCDOT Project Development and Environmental Analysis Branch, at 1548 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1548, by phone (919) 733-7844 ext. 227 or email mwpotter@ncdot.gov.

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who wish to participate in this workshop. Anyone requiring special services should contact Mr. Potter as early as possible so that arrangements can be made.