

NOTICE OF A DESIGN PUBLIC MEETING FOR PROPOSED SAFETY AND TRAFFIC
OPERATIONS IMPROVEMENTS TO OLD BEATTY FORD ROAD FROM LENTZ
ROAD TO LOWER STONE CHURCH ROAD IN ROWAN COUNTY

TIP Project No. W-5313

Rowan County

The North Carolina Department of Transportation proposes to upgrade Old Beatty Ford Road from Lentz Road to Lower Stone Church Road. Under current plans, NCDOT will widen both lanes of Old Beatty Ford Road to 12 feet, construct four-foot paved shoulders and install rumble strips on the paved shoulders. Additional right of way will be required for construction. NCDOT will coordinate this project with another project to improve the intersection of Organ Church Road and Old Beatty Ford Road.

NCDOT will hold a design public meeting for the Old Beatty Ford Road widening project on **Thursday, May 9, 2013** from **4 p.m.** until **7 p.m.** at the **Grace Lower Stone Church**, located at **2405 Lower Stone Church Road** in **Rockwell**.

Citizens are invited to speak individually with NCDOT officials and review the proposed design maps. The opportunity to submit written comments or questions will also be provided. Interested citizens may attend at any time during the aforementioned hours. There will not be a formal presentation.

For additional information, contact Karen Reynolds of the NCDOT Project Development and Environmental Analysis Unit at 1548 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1548, by phone at (919) 707-6038 or via email at kreynolds@ncdot.gov.

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who want to participate in this meeting. Anyone requiring special services should contact Ms. Reynolds as early as possible, so arrangements can be made.

Persons who speak Spanish and do not speak English, or have a limited ability to read, speak or understand English, may receive interpretive services upon request prior to the meeting by calling 1-800-481-6494.