

NCDOT TO HOLD A PUBLIC MEETING JULY 30 FOR THE PROPOSED BRIDGE REPLACEMENT OF THE BRIDGE ON MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DRIVE WITH AN ALUMINUM BOX CULVERT IN ROBESON COUNTY

The [N.C. Department of Transportation](#) will hold a public meeting regarding the proposed Bridge Replacement of a bridge on Martin Luther King Jr. Dr. (N.C. 41) over Gum Branch Canal with an aluminum box culvert in Lumberton, Robeson County.

The purpose of this project is to provide a safer and more durable structure at the location. The existing bridge is very old and is required to be replaced as per the safety standards. All information along with the maps will be available at the meeting.

The purpose of this meeting is to seek public input on the proposed bridge replacement.

The meeting will take place on Wednesday, July 30 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at W. H. Knuckles Elementary School, 1520 Martin Luther King Jr. Dr., Lumberton. Citizens may stop by at their convenience at any time during the open-house hours; there will not be a formal presentation. NCDOT representatives will be available to answer questions and receive comments regarding the proposed project. Written comments or questions can also be submitted at the meeting or later to by August 13.

The maps are also available online at <http://www.ncdot.gov/projects/publicmeetings/>.

For additional information, contact Brice Bell, NCDOT Division 6 Bridge Program Manager, P.O. Box 1150, Fayetteville, NC 28302, phone: 910.486.1493, fax: 910.486.1959 or email: bricebell@ncdot.gov .

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who want to participate in this workshop. Anyone requiring special services should contact Anamika Laad, Senior Public Involvement Officer at 1598 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1598, by phone at (919) 707-6072, by fax at (919) 212-5785, or by email at alaad@ncdot.gov as early as possible so that arrangements can be made.

NCDOT will provide interpretive services upon request for persons who do not speak English, or have a limited ability to read, speak or understand English. Kindly request it prior to the meeting by calling 1-800-481-6494.