

NOTICE OF A CITIZENS' INFORMATIONAL WORKSHOP  
FOR THE PROPOSED N.C. 143 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS FROM  
WEST BUFFALO CREEK TO N.C. 143 BUSINESS WEST OF ROBBINSVILLE

TIP Project No. R-2822B

Graham County

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) will hold a citizens' informational workshop on Thursday, November 29, 2012, from 6 – 8 p.m. at the Graham County Community Center, located at 196 Knight Street, in Robbinsville.

NCDOT proposes to improve existing N.C. 143 from West Buffalo Creek to N.C. 143 Business west of Robbinsville. Improvements will consist of widening and possible realignment of certain portions of the roadway. The purpose of the proposed project is to improve safety along this stretch of roadway. The project is approximately 4.5 miles long.

Right-of-way acquisition is scheduled to begin in 2017, followed by construction beginning in 2019. These dates are tentative and are subject to change.

NCDOT representatives will be available in an informal setting to answer questions and receive comments about the proposed project. Maps showing the proposed project will be on display. The opportunity to submit written comments or questions will be provided and is encouraged. Interested citizens may attend at any time during the workshop hours. There will not be a formal presentation.

Anyone desiring additional information may contact NCDOT Project Development Engineer, Wilson Stroud, by phone at (919) 707-6045 or email [wstroud@ncdot.gov](mailto:wstroud@ncdot.gov). Additional information can also be found on the project's website at: <http://www.ncdot.gov/projects/nc143/>.

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

For persons who speak Spanish and do not speak English, or have a limited ability to read, speak or understand English, interpretive services will be available at the meeting upon request. For more information, please call 1-800-481-6494 prior to the meeting.