

**E. BUTLER ROAD (S-107)**  
**PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING**  
**December 16, 2010, 5:00 – 7:00 PM**

**Welcome**

The South Carolina Department of Transportation (SCDOT) and the Greenville-Pickens Area Transportation Study (GPATS) Policy Committee and staff welcome you to this public information meeting concerning proposed improvements to 0.5 mile of East Butler Road at Mauldin High School including improvements to the intersection with Bridges/Corn Roads. The purpose of this meeting is to provide an opportunity to review and discuss individually with representatives of SCDOT the proposed widening of East Butler Road including additional turning lanes at the Bridges/Corn intersection. Another purpose of the meeting is to gather information from the public or any interested organization on historic or cultural resources in the area. Please review the displays and ask any questions you may have. If you desire to make a written comment, please complete a comment sheet and deposit in the box located in the meeting room or mail (or email) your comments by December 31, 2010, to the address shown at the bottom of the comment sheet. Your comments will enable us to design the project so that it meets the needs and desires of the community. Thank you for your participation.

**Project Information**

Existing East Butler Road from I-385 to just north of Mauldin High School is a five lane road with curb and gutter and sidewalks. The proposed project extends that same five lane roadway to the Bridges/Corn intersection. At the intersection, there would be one southbound through lane, with the outside lane a right turn only lane. Left turn lanes would be included on all four legs of the intersection. Right turn lanes would be included on Bridges Road and on northbound E. Butler Road. Additional pavement would be provided on E. Butler Road and on Bridges and Corn Roads to accommodate bicyclists.

**Schedule and Budget**

Right of way acquisitions are scheduled for the second half of 2011 with construction beginning by mid-2012. The current budget for this project is about \$3 million dollars.

**Traffic & Accidents**

The current traffic volume on East Butler Road averages about 15,000-16,000 vehicles per day (VPD). Assuming a 1.5% average growth rate over the next 20 years, traffic volumes are anticipated to be about 18,000 VPD in 2020 and 21,000 VPD in 2030. For the four year period 2006-2009, a total of 41 crashes were reported including no fatality crashes, 7 injury crashes and 34 property damage only crashes. Most accidents were rear end or angle collisions.

**Thank You**

Thank you for your participation. Please share this information with any interested persons unable to attend today. Please contact Tommy Elrod at [ElrodJT@scdot.org](mailto:ElrodJT@scdot.org) or Jonathan Chasteen at [ChasteenJR@scdot.org](mailto:ChasteenJR@scdot.org) or by telephone at 864-241-1010 in Greenville with any questions you may have. This hand-out is available by email upon request.