

7. HIGHWAY MATTERS**A. UPDATE ON THE U.S. ROUTE 460 PROJECT**

At Supervisor West's request, I contacted Mr. Phil Rinehart, the Route 460 Project Manager with VDOT, and asked if he'd attend Monday's meeting and provide the Board a project status update.

B. MONTHLY CONCERNS

Please come prepared to share any highway concerns that exist within your respective district.

Mike Johnson

From: Mike Johnson
Sent: Friday, January 17, 2014 4:15 PM
To: Megan O'Reilly (MOReilly@travesky.com)
Subject: FW: Commonwealth Connector Update

Good afternoon, Megan. Received your voice message on Wednesday, and apologize for the delay in responding. Phil indicated that either he or Mr. Utterback would provide our Board an update on 1/27. I've got it scheduled early on the agenda and we should get to it just a few minutes past 7:00 p.m.

As shared with Phil below, our Board is interested in what "new information" will be considered by the Corps and FHWA in the SEIS – in other words, what's changed since the Record of Decision for the project was approved? They're also looking for a status report on the project – when will the SEIS be completed and how long will it take for the Corps and FHWA to review it? What will happen in the meantime? Will project design continue? Right of way acquisition in non-jurisdictional areas? Any construction in non-jurisdictional areas? Or will everything be on hold until a 404 permit is issued? It's just a lot of misinformation out there right now and they'd like to get the right information from the folks that know.

I'll be back in the office Tuesday if you'd like to chat.

Best regards,
Mike

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From: Mike Johnson
Sent: Monday, December 30, 2013 4:21 PM
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Cc: 'rwest@southamptoncounty.org'
Subject: Commonwealth Connector Update

Phil,
Would you or a member of your team be available to brief our Board of Supervisors at their January 27, 2014 meeting (7:00 p.m.)? They're particularly interested in the "new information" that will be considered by the ACOE and FHWA in the Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (SEIS). They're also interested in the latest project schedule, particularly whether final design and ROW acquisition will be able to proceed prior to completion of the SEIS, and whether or not construction in non-jurisdictional areas is expected to begin prior to issuance of the Section 404 permit.

Best regards,
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From: Mike Johnson
Sent: Tuesday, December 17, 2013 5:24 PM
To: 'Kee, Jerry (VDOT)'
Subject: RE: Pothole on Darden Scout Road

You're the man! Thanks, Jerry.

From: Kee, Jerry (VDOT) [mailto:Jerry.Kee@VDOT.Virginia.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, December 17, 2013 12:30 PM
To: Mike Johnson
Subject: RE: Pothole on Darden Scout Road

Will take care of it.

From: Mike Johnson [mailto:mjohnson@southamptoncounty.org]
Sent: Tuesday, December 17, 2013 9:50 AM
To: Kee, Jerry (VDOT)
Cc: Alan Edwards
Subject: Pothole on Darden Scout Road

Jerry,
Only 1 highway issue raised at last night's BOS meeting – the pothole that was fixed several months ago on Darden Scout Road between Sycamore Ave. and Lakeside Drive has returned – can you please let Ben know?

Thanks,
Mike

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