



For Immediate Release:
Monday, March 13, 2017

Contact:
Natalie Dale
404.631.1814

Fulton County...

Public Information Open House set for I-85/SR 138 Improvements

ATLANTA – The Georgia Department of Transportation will host a public information open house March 14th on its plan to redesign the interchange of Interstate 85 at State Route 138/Jonesboro Road. This project also includes improvements along SR 138/Jonesboro Road.

To that end, Georgia DOT proposed operational improvements include:

- Modification of the SR 138 and Interstate interchange to a Diverging Diamond Interchange (DDI); with
- Lengthened entrance/exit ramps on I-85 as well as the addition of a shared through/right-turn lane; and
- Pedestrian and bicycles facilities; signal upgrades, landscaping and lighting throughout the project corridor

The proposed project is approximately 1.90 miles along SR 138 beginning at Goodson Connector and ending at Buffington Road. This project is located in Fulton County; within the city limits of Union City, Georgia.

The Department is seeking public comments on the proposal. The open house will be held from **5 p.m., until 7:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 14th**. The open house will be held in the Etris Community Center, located at 5285 Lakeside Drive, Union City, Georgia 30291.

Comments will be accepted at the open house and written statements also can be submitted until March 28th to:

Eric Duff
State Environmental Administrator
Georgia Department of Transportation
600 West Peachtree Street, NW – 16th Floor
Atlanta, Georgia 30308

For more information on the I-85 Interchange at SR 138/Jonesboro Road, please contact Sam Samu, P.E., GDOT Project Manager, at 404.631.7545 or ssamu@dot.ga.gov.