



US 13 Delmar Truck Weigh and Inspection Station



PROJECT NEWSLETTER • SPRING 2016

CONCEPT DEVELOPMENT UNDER WAY; PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULED

The Maryland Department of Transportation's State Highway Administration (SHA) has initiated a project to improve the truck weigh and inspection station along US 13 northbound and southbound in Delmar, Wicomico County. The project extends approximately 0.2 mile, from Mallard Drive to Holly Lane.

For additional information, you are invited to attend a public meeting/Open House on Wednesday, May 11, 2016, from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM. The informational meeting will acquaint the public with the project and provide attendees an opportunity to discuss project details. Maps and other displays will provide project information, and SHA representatives will be available to answer project-related questions. **There will be no formal presentation.** You may arrive at any time during meeting hours and walk through the display area at your own pace. (See back of newsletter for meeting details.)

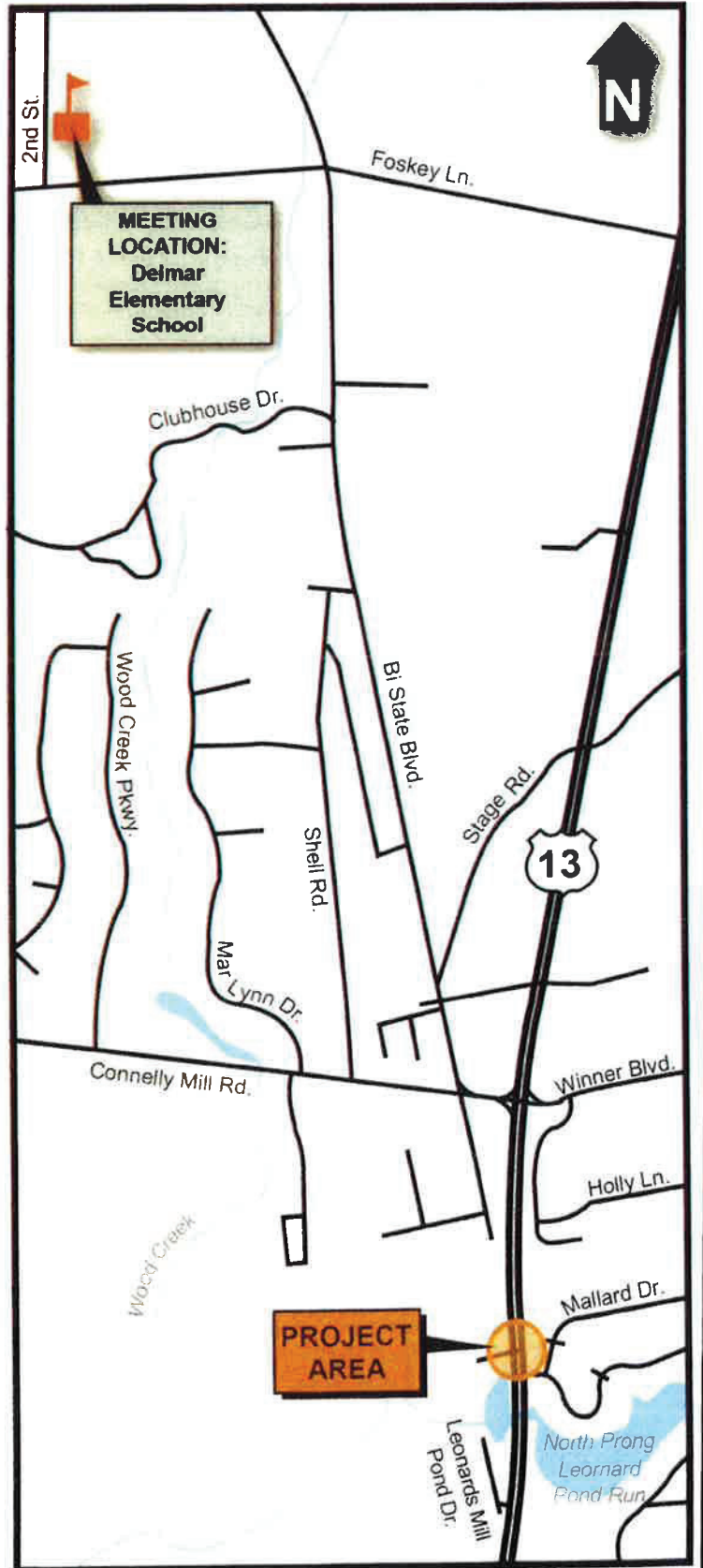
PROJECT PURPOSE AND SCOPE

The purpose of this project is to improve the station operational efficiency and safety and achieve the following goals: (1) improve the static scale and inspection pit area in order to increase safety and processing rates; (2) improve parking facilities for both trucks and staff; (3) accommodate future electronic screening system installation to monitor overweight trucks while in motion and (4) provide water supply and sewage systems for staff at the scale house building. The work will consist of the following:

- Construction of a new scale house building and utility shed for staff
- Upgrade of water and sewer system inside the scale house building and utility shed for staff
- Replacement of the old static scale with updated equipment
- Installation of a cast-in-place concrete inspection pit
- Widening of the inspection area to accommodate the new inspection pit
- Creation of additional parking spaces for staff and visitors
- Development of delineated truck parking areas for drivers visiting the station office
- Establishment of impound parking for out-of-service trucks
- Extension of deceleration/acceleration lanes for trucks exiting/re-entering US 13
- Construction of noise barriers for environmental noise protection

PROJECT SCHEDULE

The project is funded for concept development, design and construction. During the current concept development phase, SHA quantifies impacts on the roadway and adjacent properties before moving forward with full design and construction. Final design for this project should be completed by winter 2016 and construction starts in 2017.





Maryland Department of Transportation

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TRUCK WEIGH AND INSPECTION STATION



WHEN:	WHERE:
Wednesday, May 11, 2016 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM <i>There will be no formal presentation.</i>	Delmar Elementary School 811 S 2nd St. Delmar, MD 21875

FOR MORE INFORMATION

For information on other SHA Projects in Wicomico County, please visit SHA's website at www.roads.maryland.gov and click on **Projects, SHA Projects Page**, and choose **Wicomico County** from the drop down menu, or use the QR Code.

You may also contact:

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REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE

The Maryland Relay Service can assist teletype users at 7-1-1. Persons requiring assistance to participate (interpreter for hearing/ speech difficulties or assistance with the English language) should contact Mr. Umekwe by May 4, 2016.



SHA appreciates the patience and cooperation of the community and apologizes for any inconvenience. SHA reminds motorists to "Think Orange" when driving through work zones by staying alert and slowing down. Always buckle up, and please drive safely.

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