

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

DEERFIELD, X-A002(898) #24477

Pursuant to NH RSA 230:14 and Public Law 100-17 (Surface Transportation and Uniform Relocation Assistance Act of 1987), a public hearing has been set to discuss the culvert on NH 107 over Freese Pond. The improvements will include the replacement of the metal pipe arch culvert with a four-sided precast concrete box culvert. Additional improvements will include a new bridge rail, bridge approach rail, and guardrail in the location of the culvert.

The hearing will be held at:

**GEORGE B WHITE BUILDING
BOARD OF SELECTMEN MEETING ROOM
8 RAYMOND ROAD, DEERFIELD, NH 03037
ON THURSDAY, MAY 26, 2022, AT 6:00 P.M.**

The venue will be open at 5:30 pm for the inspection of plans by any interested persons.

On May 5, 2022, the Governor and Executive Council approved the petition of the NH Department of Transportation to convene a public hearing to determine whether there is the occasion for the laying out of this project and acquiring necessary property rights. A Commission of Three Persons was appointed to conduct this hearing. The Commissions members are Tom DeBlois, Ray Chadwick, and Tom Morgan.

This Notice of Public Hearing provides notice of the date, time, and location of the hearing to the petitioners, the owners of land over which the road may pass, and all others interested. No less than fourteen days prior to the hearing, this notice will be posted in at least two public places in the Town of Deerfield and a copy will be left with the Town Clerk of Deerfield. Interested landowners, local officials, and highway users are invited to attend the hearing and will have the opportunity to express their comments relative to the project. Audio of the hearing will be recorded.

Maps, plans, the environmental studies, and other pertinent information developed by the Department, along with written reports received because of the coordination with other agencies, are available at the Department of Transportation at the John O. Morton Building, 7 Hazen Drive, Concord, New Hampshire for inspection and copying. Please call David Scott, Project Manager, at (603) 271-2731 in advance for an appointment.

Written statements and other exhibits may be submitted to the Chairman of the Commission, c/o Peter E. Stamnas, Director of Project Development, NH Department of Transportation, PO Box 483, Concord, NH 033020483 up to the date of the hearing for inclusion in the official record.

Any individuals needing assistance or auxiliary communication equipment due to sensory impairment or other disabilities should contact Stephen G. LaBonte, Administrator of the Bureau of RightofWay, NHDOT, PO Box 483, Concord, NH 033020483. TDD access: Relay NH 18007352964. Notification of the need for assistance must be made at the earliest convenience. This project will be administered according to the requirements of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and related statutes to ensure nondiscrimination.

/s/Stephen G. LaBonte
Stephen G. LaBonte, Administrator
Bureau of Right-of-Way
N.H. Department of Transportation

Dated at Concord, NH
May 12, 2022