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PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

State Road **Environmental Assessment – Illustrative Alternatives** Pittsfield Township, Michigan

September 14, 2011

The Washtenaw County Road Commission (WCRC) will hold a Public Information Meeting for Key Stakeholders to display the Illustrative Alternatives as part of an Environmental Assessment (EA) of State Road from Michigan Avenue northerly to Ellsworth Road in Pittsfield Township. The public information meeting for key stakeholders will be held at the Pittsfield Township Hall, 6201 W. Michigan Avenue, Ann Arbor, Michigan 48108 on Wednesday, September 14, 2011 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Three options are being considered during the initial stage of the study. Referred to as "Illustrative Alternatives," all of these options will include non-motorized facilities such as onstreet bike lanes and/or multi-use paths as well as transit facilities. The Illustrative Alternatives being considered include:

- Five-lane roadway (two travel lanes in each direction and a continuous center left turn lane). This alternative will include traffic signals at major intersections.
- 2. Narrow four-lane boulevard (two travel lanes in each direction and a median that is approximately 20 feet wide). This alternative will include roundabouts at the major intersections.
- 3. Wide four-lane boulevard (two travel lanes in each direction and a median that is approximately 60 feet wide). This alternative will include traffic signals at major intersections with indirect left turns (also known as "Michigan Lefts").

The meeting will include a brief presentation at 10:00 a.m. and will be followed by an open house format, providing individuals with the opportunity to discuss the project with WCRC staff and the consultant team. In addition, a general public meeting will be held on September 14, 2011 from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. followed by a presentation to the Pittsfield Township Board of Trustees at 6:30 p.m.

If you have any questions or if you are unable to attend this meeting and would like further information on the State Road EA, please contact Sheryl Soderholm Siddall, P.E., WCRC Assistant Director of Engineering, at 734.327.6687 or email siddalls@wcroads.org.