

# DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION STATE OF GEORGIA

## INTERDEPARTMENT CORRESPONDENCE

**FILE:** P. I. Nos. 311000, 311005, 311400 and 311410 **OFFICE:** Environment/Location  
**DATE:** November 7, 2006

**FROM:** Harvey D. Keeper, State Environment/Location Engineer

**TO:** Distribution Below

**SUBJECT:** PUBLIC INFORMATION OPEN HOUSE SYNOPSIS

PROJECT NUMBERS & COUNTY: NH-IM-16-1(92), NH-IM-16-1(131), NH-IM-75-2(177),  
NH-IM-16-1(104), Bibb County

PROJECT NAME: Proposed I-16/I-75 Interchange improvements, I-75 improvements from I-16 to  
Pierce, I-16 improvements from I-75 to Coliseum Drive, and I-16/Coliseum Drive  
Interchange improvements

DATE: November 2, 2006 at the Macon Centreplex, 200 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia, 4:00 pm –  
7:00 pm

NUMBER IN ATTENDANCE: 129

FOR: 18

CONDITIONAL: 6

UNCOMMITTED: 3

AGAINST: 17

OFFICIALS IN ATTENDANCE: Don Tussing, Macon MPO  
David Fortson, Bibb County Engineering  
Rick Hutto, City Council  
Sgt. Jason Shelton, Macon Police  
Vernon Ryle, Macon MPO  
Christopher L. Dunn, Bibb Sheriff's Office  
Jared Downs, Senator Johnny Isacson's Office  
Sid Cherry, Macon Bibb County Urban Development Authority

MEDIA: The Macon Telegraph; WMAZ, Channel 13; WGXA, TV 24-Fox News; Channel 58-NBC

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Project would create additional noise impacts; project is overkill; provide a  
bypass similar to I-475 in order to divert traffic away from downtown Macon; proposed project will be  
beneficial

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