RECONSTRUCTION OF THE PELL BRIDGE APPROACHES NEWPORT, RI RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORKSHOP

The Rhode Island Department of Transportation (RIDOT) proposes to reconstruct and reconfigure the Pell Bridge approaches in Newport, Rhode Island. The purpose of the proposed improvements is to improve safety for all users, relieve vehicle congestion, and spur economic development.

RIDOT is preparing an Environmental Assessment (EA) that will describe the purpose of the project, alternatives analyzed, project impacts, and identification of a preferred alternative. RIDOT is holding a public workshop to provide details on the need for the project and existing conditions and to receive public input. Information regarding the public workshop is shown below.

Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018

Time: 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Place: Newport City Hall, 43 Broadway, Newport, RI 02840

RIDOT welcomes comments on the proposed project.

Comments can be provided at the public workshop, by mail, or via the online portal listed below. Comments will be most useful if provided by

March 31, 2018.

Rhode Island Department of Transportation

c/o VHB

1 Cedar Street, Suite 400

Providence, RI 02903

Submit comments online here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PellBridgeProject

The meeting hall is accessible to persons with disabilities. RIDOT provides reasonable accommodations and/or language assistance free of charge upon request., as available. For accommodations or language assistance, please contact VHB, KCabral@vhb.com. Requests should be made at least 48 hours before the workshop.

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