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Pete K. Rahn, Secretary
Maryland Department of Transportation
7201 Corporate Center Drive
Post Office Box 548
Hanover, Maryland 21076



Re: Dorchester County Highway Priorities 2019

Dear Secretary Rahn:

The Dorchester County Council is submitting the following list of potential transportation improvements along State Highways in Dorchester County for future State of Maryland funding consideration.

- Extension of guardrail at Route 50 at Vincent Road, both east and west bound over Higgins Mill Pond
- Review of intersection of Beaver Neck Village and Route 50 due to amount of accidents in this area
- Extend west bound turn lane on Route 50 to Route 16 to Church Creek
- Fully controlled signal at Bucktown Road due to limited visibility issues as a result of the turn/guardrails
- Traffic calming measures, i.e. circle, lights for Route 392/Route 14 Intersection at Dockins
- Swap of Visitors Center and Woods Road
- Open the cross over to traffic to west bound Route 50 with an acceleration/merge lane heading west at the intersection of Airey's Road spur (cemetery end) and Route 50
- Study to address traffic issues at Crusader Road and Washington Street

Thank you for your consideration of these potential improvements. Please contact the Council's Office at (410) 228-1700 if you or your staff have any questions.

Sincerely,

DORCHESTER COUNTY COUNCIL

William V. Nichols

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cc: The Honorable Adelaide Eckardt, Senator
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