



Right of Way Frequently Asked Questions

The purpose of this document is to provide answers to some questions frequently asked by property owners, developers and the general public during the right of way acquisition process.

How do I determine who to contact in DOT Right of Way for my county?

Click on the link below for an interactive map, select the area where you reside on the map (when you hover over the division it will display the counties in that division), then select "directory"; scroll down the listing to find the Right of Way Office contact information.
<https://www.connect.ncdot.gov/ROWmap>

How do I determine who my Division Project Manager or District Engineer is in my county?

Click on the link below for an interactive map, select the area where you reside on the map (when you hover over the division it will display the counties in that division), then select "directory"; scroll down the listing to find the Division Project Manager or District Engineer.
<https://www.ncdot.gov/doh/district>

How do I find out about upcoming Public Involvement meetings?

Click on the link below to see what public meetings are coming up.
<https://www.ncdot.gov/news/public-meetings>
If you need further information, please contact the division office.

What projects are in my area?

Click on the link for an interactive map of all current projects in your area.
<https://www.ncdot.gov/projects/pages>

What are future projects in my area?

Click on the link for an interactive map of future projects in your area.
<https://www.ncdot.gov/projects/pages/unfunded-projects>

Contact the Division Project Manager and District Engineer in your area for more information.

How do I find out information about project funding and prioritization?

This link provides information about the way projects are prioritized and funded. <https://www.ncdot.gov/initiatives-policies/transportation>

Further funding information can be found at the following link:
<https://www.ncdot.gov/about/finance/>.

Can you purchase my property now?

No, DOT cannot purchase your property until the project is authorized. However if you have a hardship (i.e., medical, financial, or safety), fill out the [Advanced Acquisition Request form](#) to be considered prior to authorization.



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Are there any houses for sale that can be purchased or moved?

Contact your Division Right of Way Agent. Click on the link below for an interactive map of NCDOT Division Offices.
<https://www.ncdot.gov/business/ROW/publications>

How do I purchase remnant right of way property from NCDOT?

Click on the link below for an interactive map and listing of currently available property for disposal, and the process steps to purchase property from NCDOT.
<https://www.ncdot.gov/rowremnantproperty/>

How do I submit my tax bill for reimbursement for property the NCDOT purchased this year?

Submit your tax bill to the Right of Way Office in your area. Click on the link below for an interactive map of NCDOT Division Office to find the address for your areas Right of Way Office. <https://www.connect.ncdot.gov/ROWmap>

Who do I contact for a driveway permit?

This website explains the [driveway permit process and requirements](#); print page 80 to 83, for the driveway permit form.

Contact the District Engineer of the county where you reside. Click on the link below for an interactive map of NCDOT Division Offices.
<https://www.ncdot.gov/doh/district>

Who do I contact about an encroachment?

This website explains the encroachment process and requirements.
<https://connect.ncdot.gov/municipalities/Utilities/Pages/Encroachment-Agreements.aspx>

Contact the District Engineer of the county where you reside if you need further information. Click on the link below for an interactive map of NCDOT Division Offices. <https://www.ncdot.gov/doh/district>

Who do I contact about dedicating Right of Way to NCDOT?

Contact the District Engineer of the county where you reside. Click on the link below for an interactive map of NCDOT Division Offices.
<https://www.connect.ncdot.gov/division/highways/pages>

Where can I find out more about the Right of Way acquisition process?

Please review the [Right of Way Real Estate Acquisition Process Brochure](#) to find out more about the process. If you need further information, please contact the Right of Way office for your county.

Where can I find out more about the Right of Way relocation process?

Please review the [Right of Way Relocation Assistance Brochure](#) to find out more about the process. If you need further information, please contact the Right of Way office for your county.