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NCDOT Traffic Safety Unit

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2016 Crash Facts – Statewide Summary

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<u>Reportable</u>	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		5 Year Avg.	
	Crashes	Injuries	Crashes	Injuries	Crashes	Injuries	Crashes	Injuries	Crashes	Injuries	Crashes	Injuries
Fatal	1,190	1,262	1,158	1,260	1,181	1,277	1,273	1,380	1,340	1,441	1,228	1,324
Non Fatal Injury	70,109	110,406	69,547	108,436	71,029	110,525	78,857	123,589	82,603	130,137	74,429	116,619
PDO	142,306		149,566		154,342		171,508		183,551		160,255	
Total	213,605	111,668	220,271	109,696	226,552	111,802	251,638	124,969	267,494	131,578	235,912	117,943

General Information

Population (2015)	10,056,683
Registered Vehicles (2015)	9,078,074
Estimated Avg. Annual Miles Traveled (100 MVMT) (2015)	1,118.73

Time To Next....

Crash	0.0 Hours
Fatal Injury	6.3 Hours
Injury	0.1 Hours
Crash Cost Per Hour	\$2,928,043

\$\$ Comprehensive Crash Cost \$\$

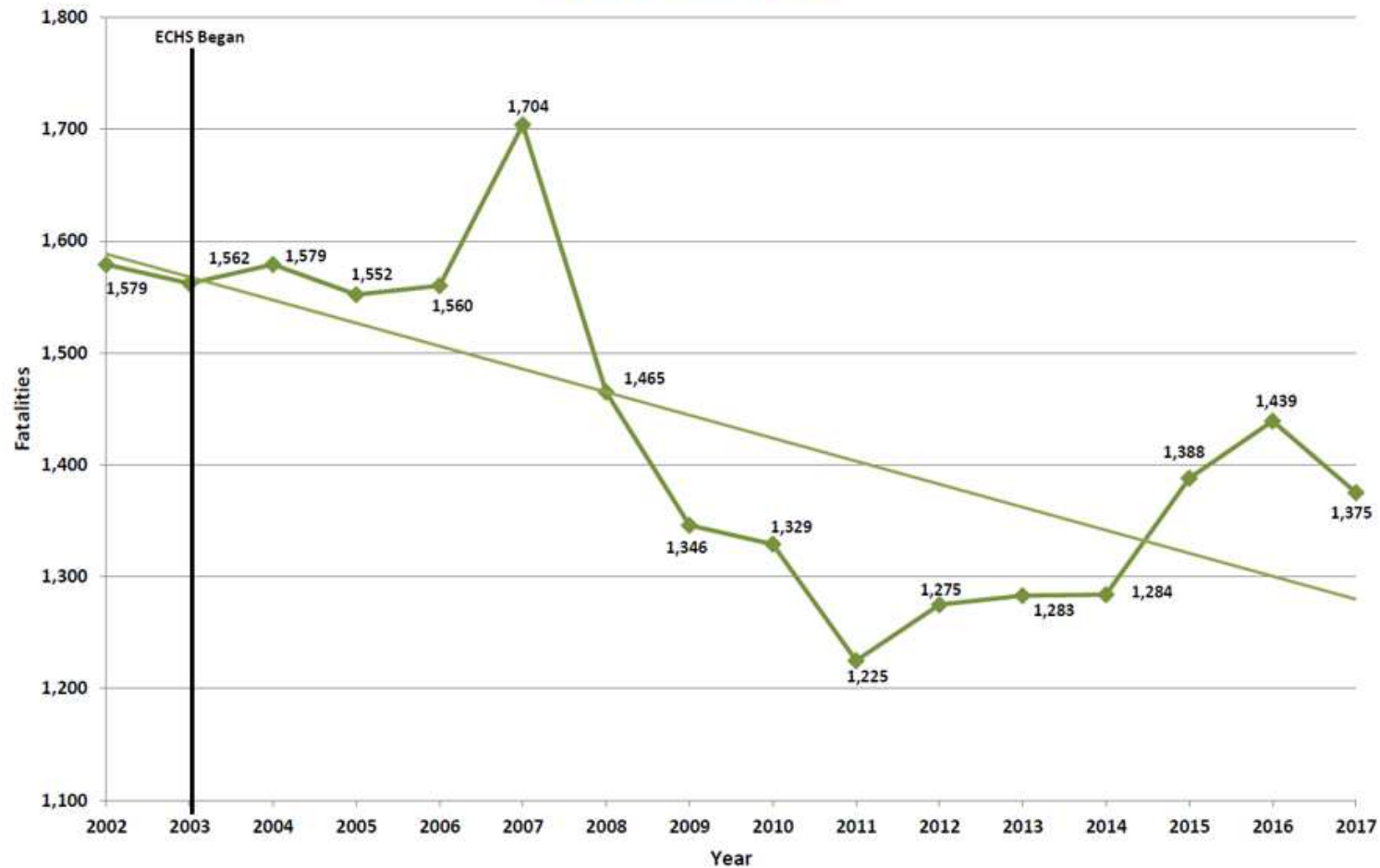
(Based on a 3 Year Average of All Reported Crashes in 2015 Dollars)

Average Annual Cost	\$25,649,652,967
Average Cost Per Crash	\$77,312
Average Cost Per Person	\$2,551
Average Cost Per Vehicle	\$2,825
Average Cost / 100 Miles Traveled	\$22.93

Mission

Reduce Crashes and/or Severity of Crashes

North Carolina Fatalities
Trends Since 2002



Unit Work Groups / Areas

Traffic Safety Specialist

Highway Safety Improvement Program

Regional Field Operations

Safety Evaluation

Safety Planning

Mobility and Safety Information



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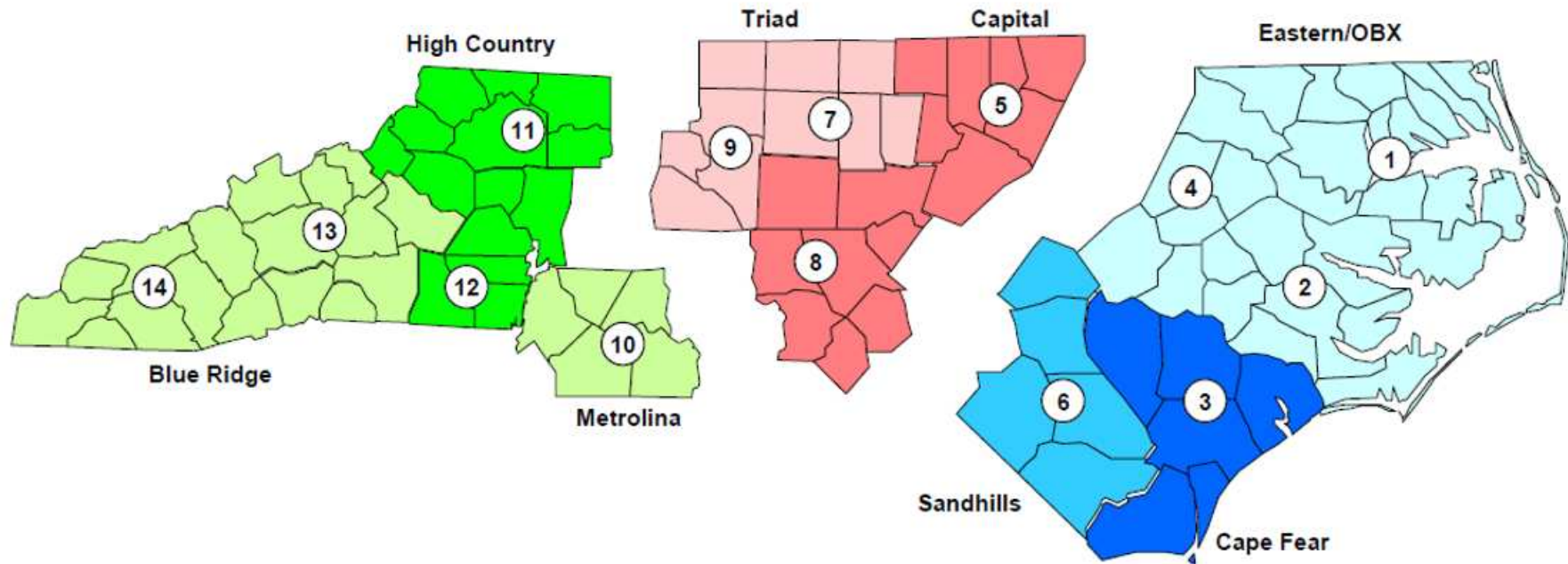
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NCDOT Regional Offices

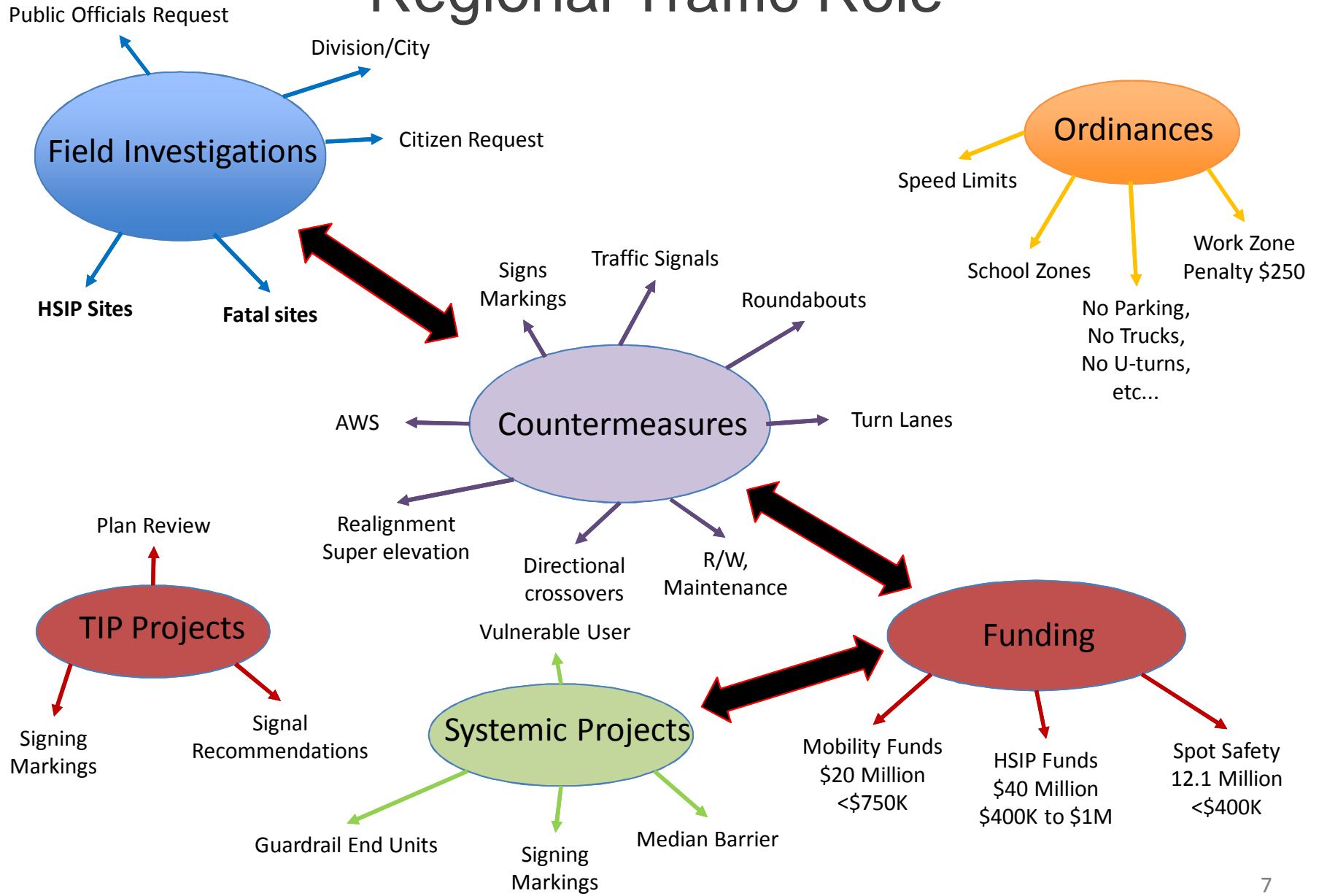
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Field Operations Region

Central
Mobility and Safety
Field Operations Region

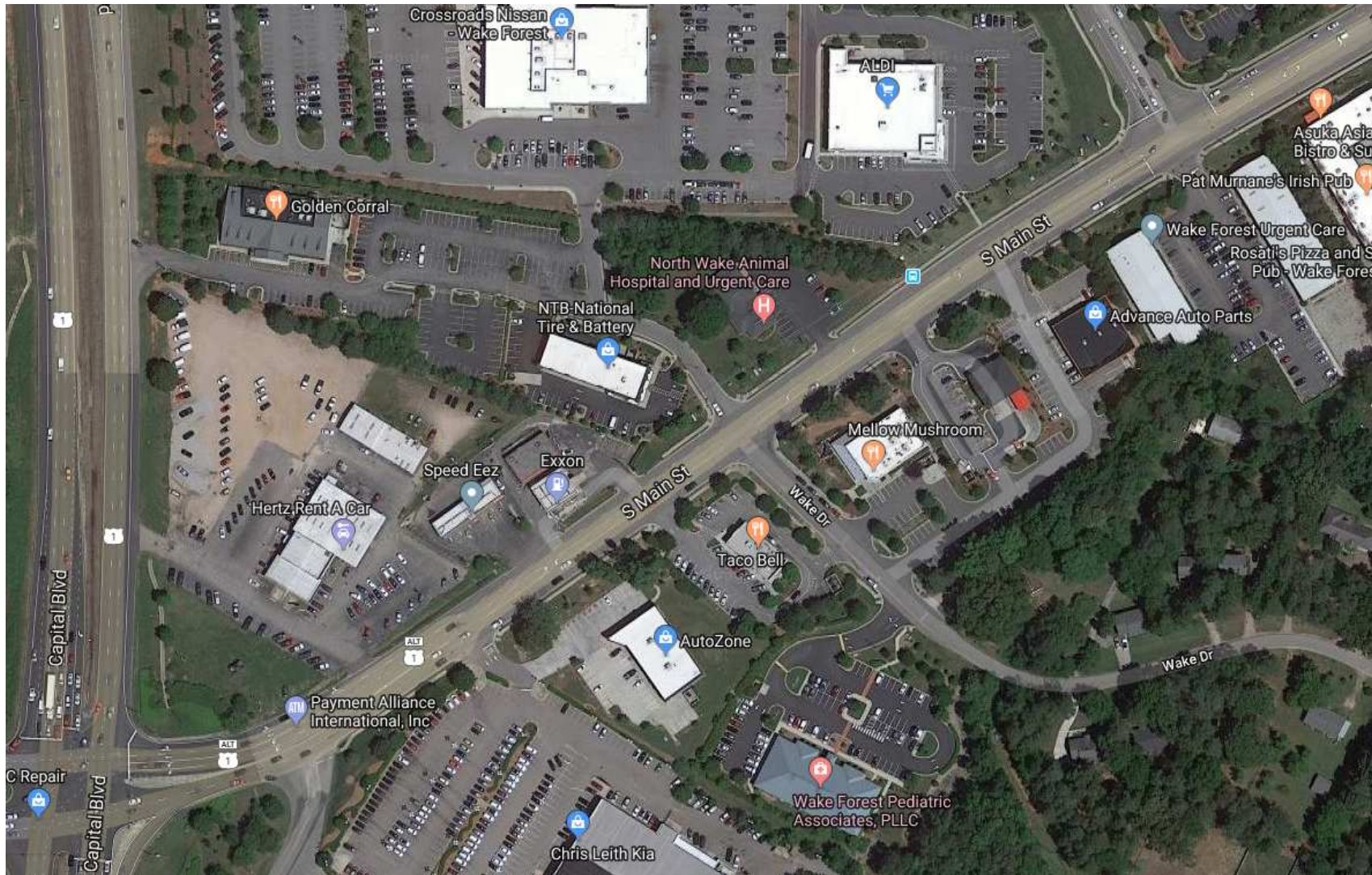
Eastern
Mobility and Safety
Field Operations Region

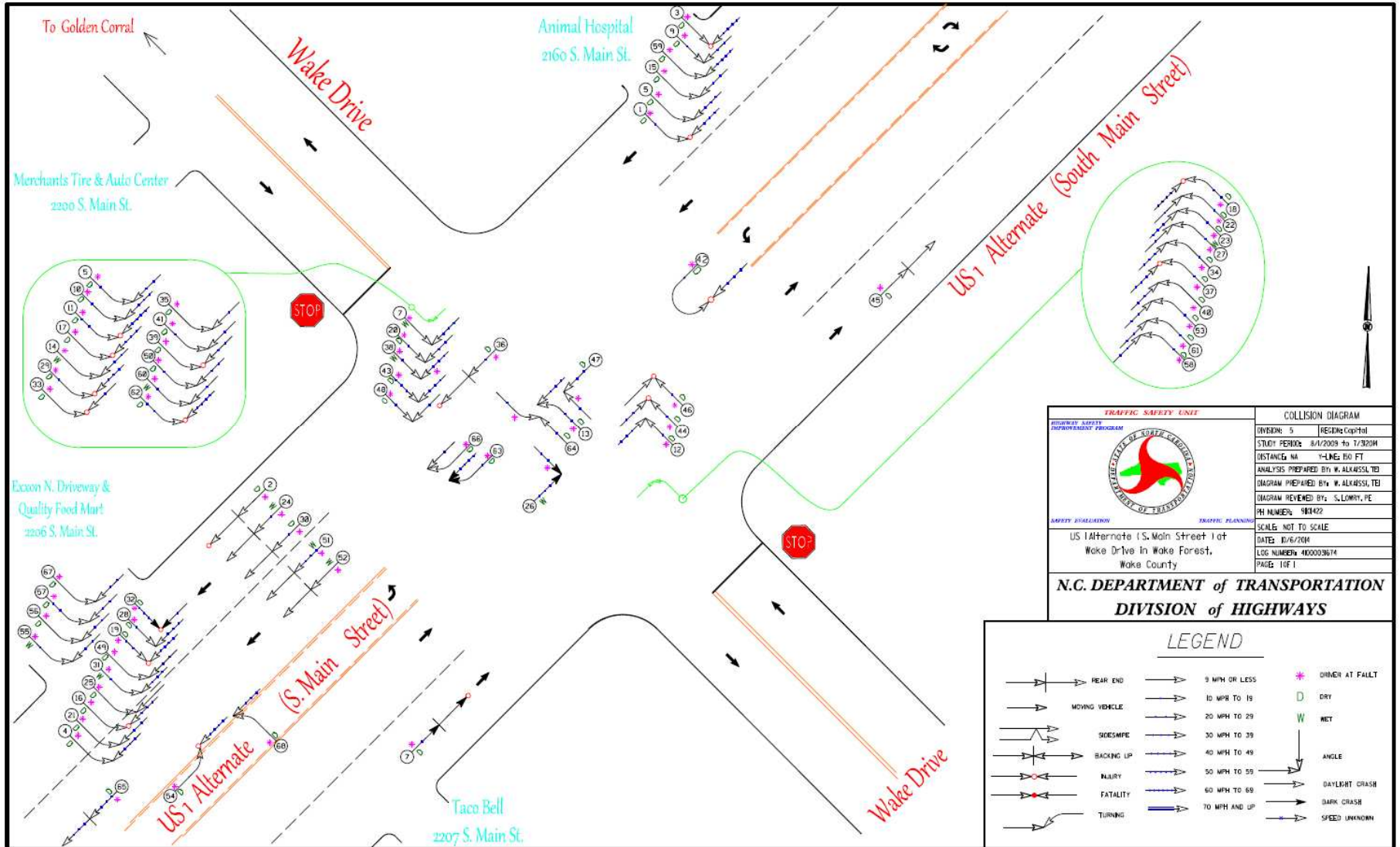


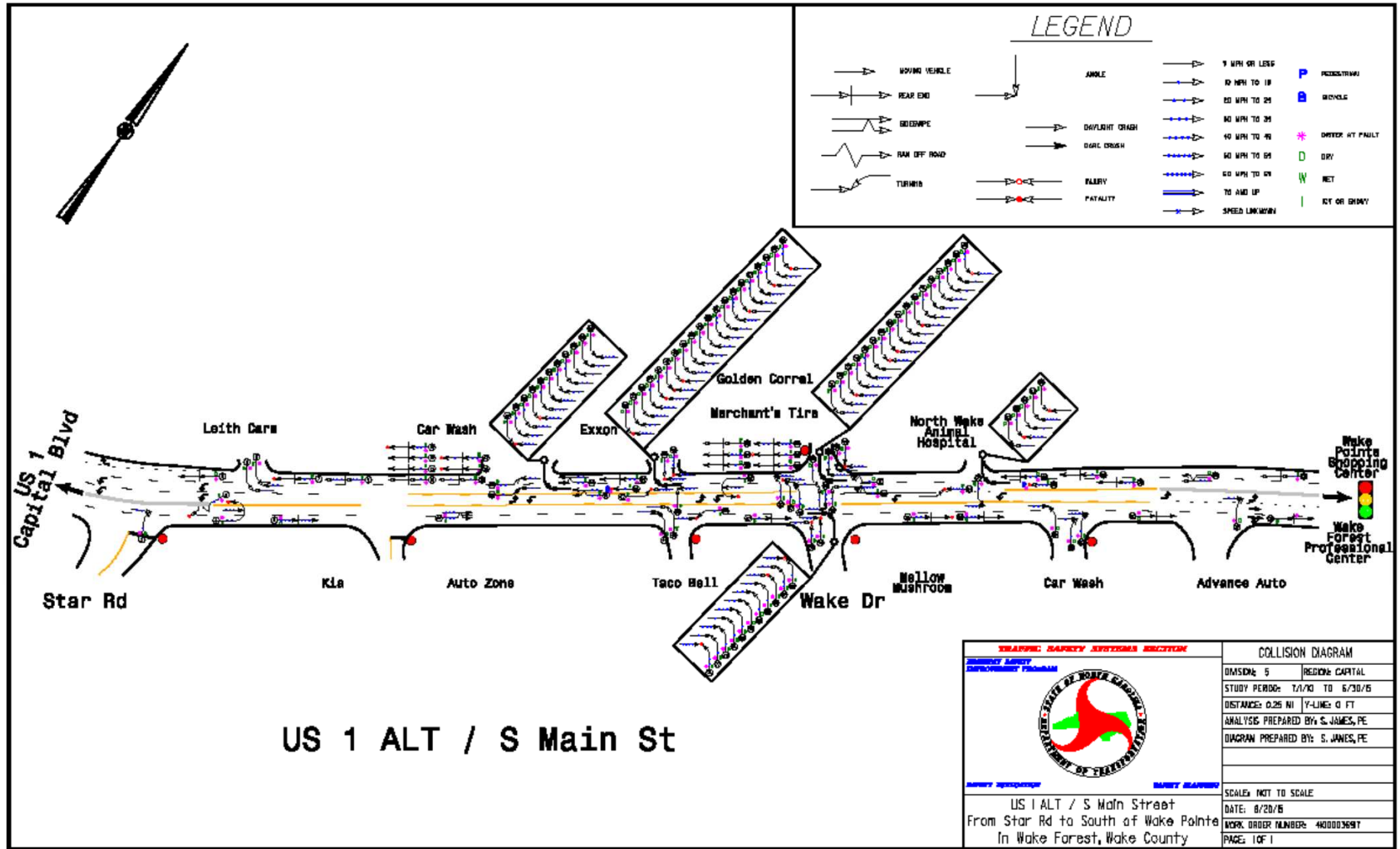
Regional Traffic Role



US 1 A (Main St)



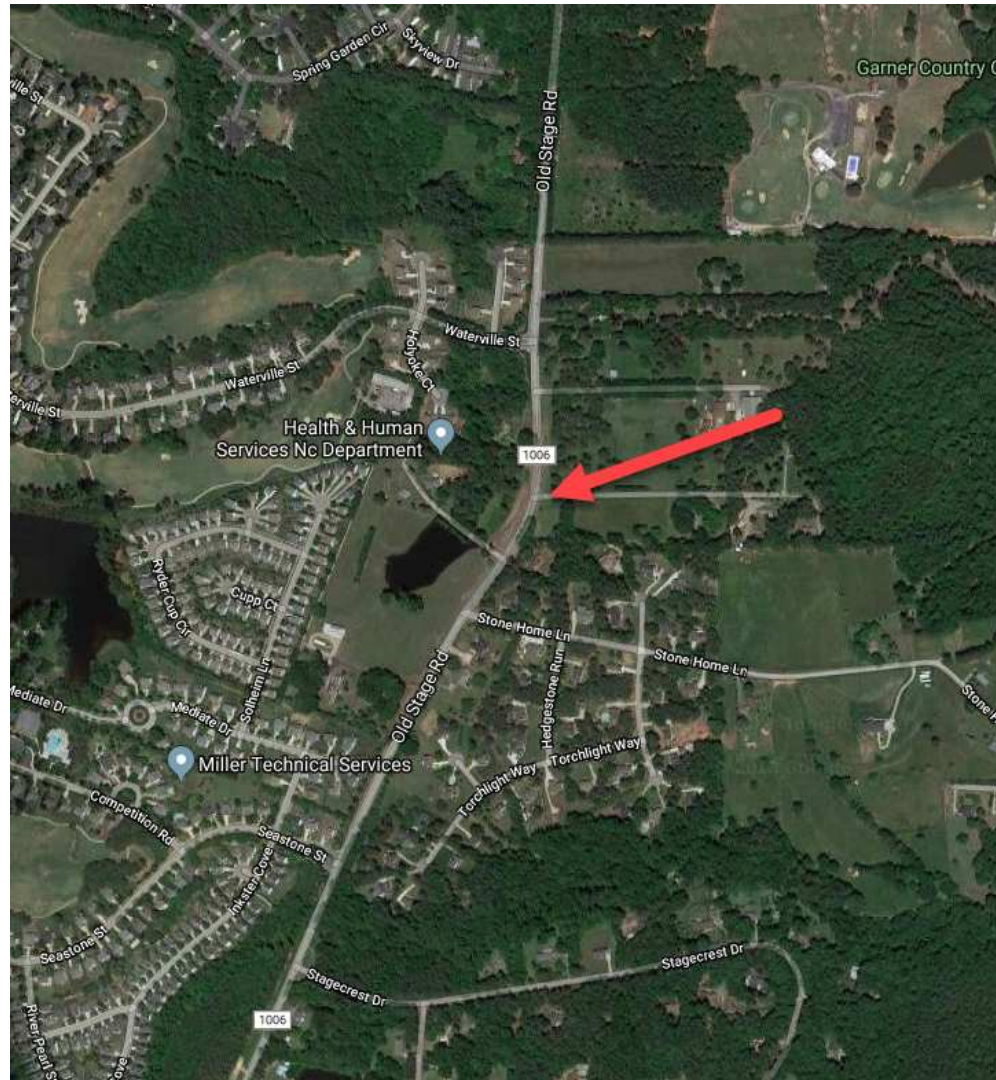




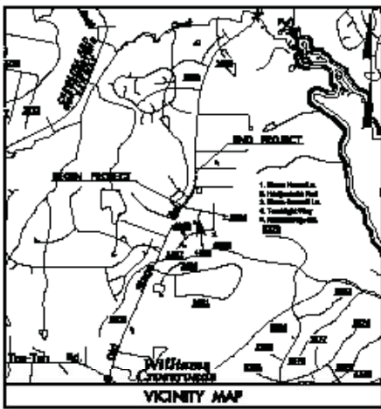
US 1 A (Main St)



SR 1006 (Old Stage Rd)



PROJECT: SS-4905CC



See Sheet 1-A For Index of Sheets
See Sheet 1-B For Conventional Symbols

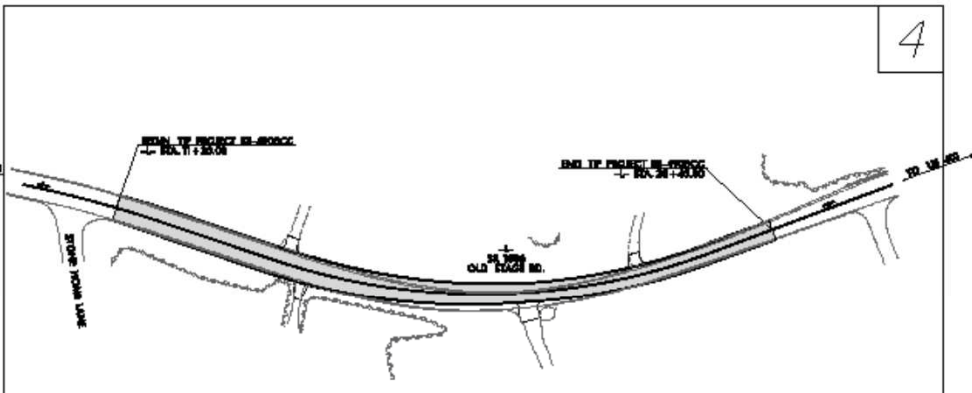
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS

WAKE COUNTY

LOCATION: SR 1006 (OLD STAGE RD.) NEAR
WATERVILLE ST.

TYPE OF WORK: GRADING, PAVING, AND DRAINAGE

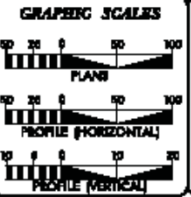
STATE	PROJECT NUMBER	NO.	DATE
N.C.	SS-4905CC	1	
DATE DRAWN	DRAWN	CHECKED	
4/29/12 LFD1	HUN-1806/MS	FE	



PRELIMINARY PLANS
BY AND FOR THE ENGINEER
INCOMPLETE PLANS
DO NOT USE FOR CONSTRUCTION

PROJECT: 43982.1.FDI

CLEARING METHOD TYPE II
THIS PROJECT IS NOT WITHIN ANY MUNICIPAL BOUNDARIES



DESIGN DATA

ADT 2014 = 13000
V = 50 MPH
CLASS = MINOR ARTERIAL

PROJECT LENGTH

LENGTH ROADWAY PROJECT SS-4905CC = 0.173 mi.

Report to the Office of
the
North Carolina
Department of Transportation

IN CHARGE: **NEL DEAN, PE**
PROJECT MANAGER

DATE OF WAY DATE: **NOVEMBER 2014**

LETTING DATE: **NOVEMBER 2015**

PROJECT MANAGER: **MICHAEL BURKE, II**
PROJECT ENGINEER

PROJECT ENGINEER: **BEN LIPSHAW, PE**
SENIOR ENGINEER

RESUBMITTAL NUMBER

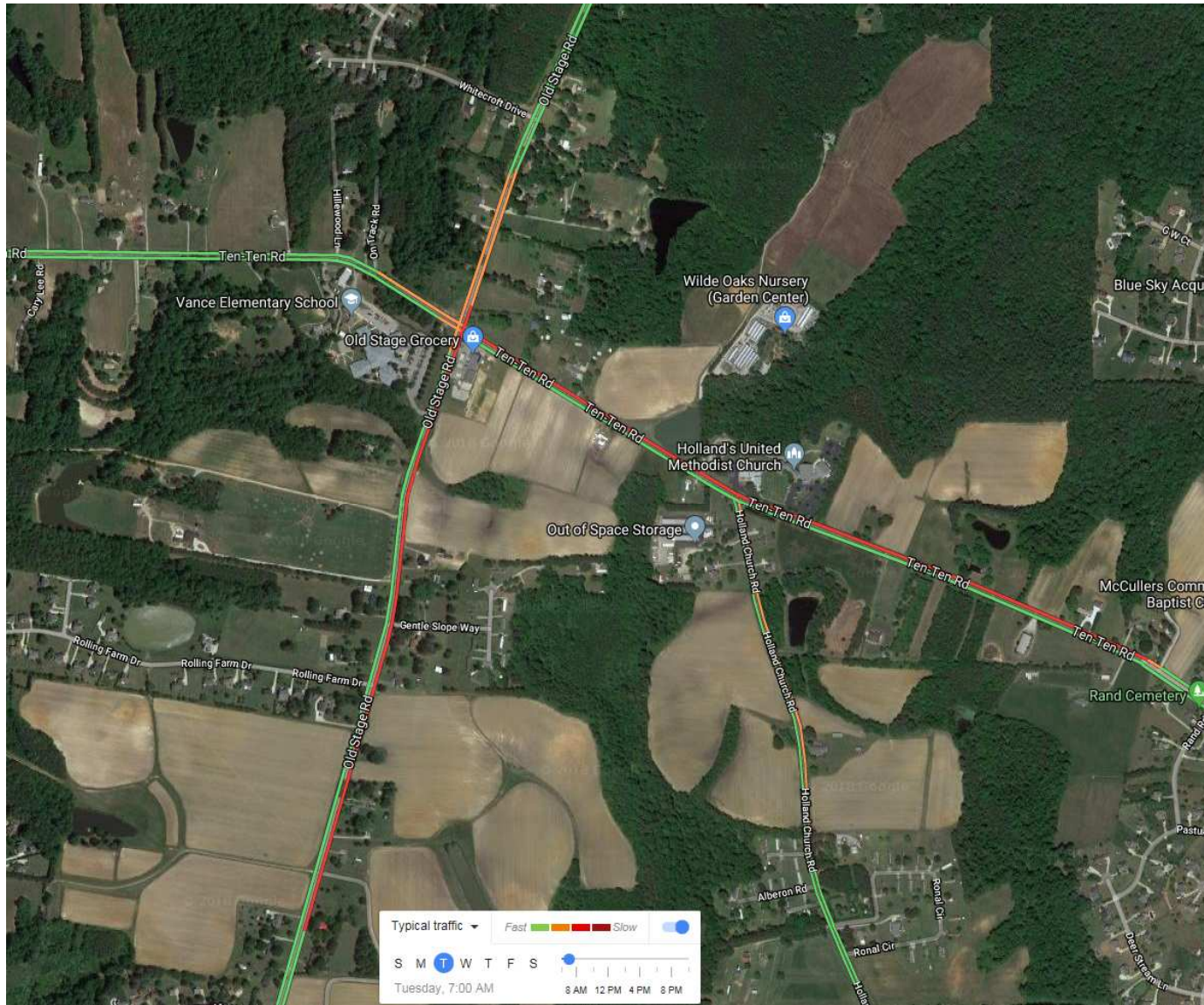
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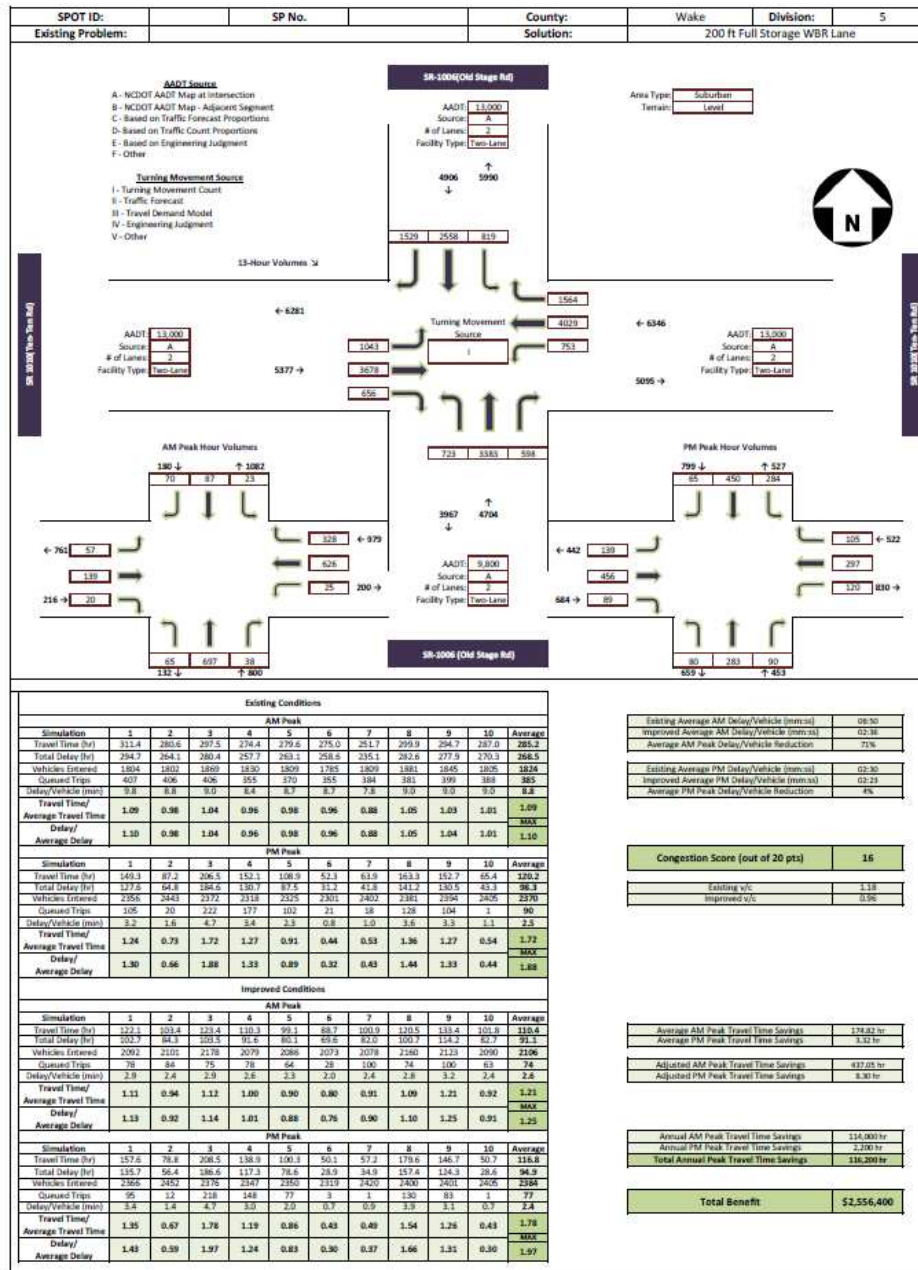
ROADWAY DESIGN ENGINEER

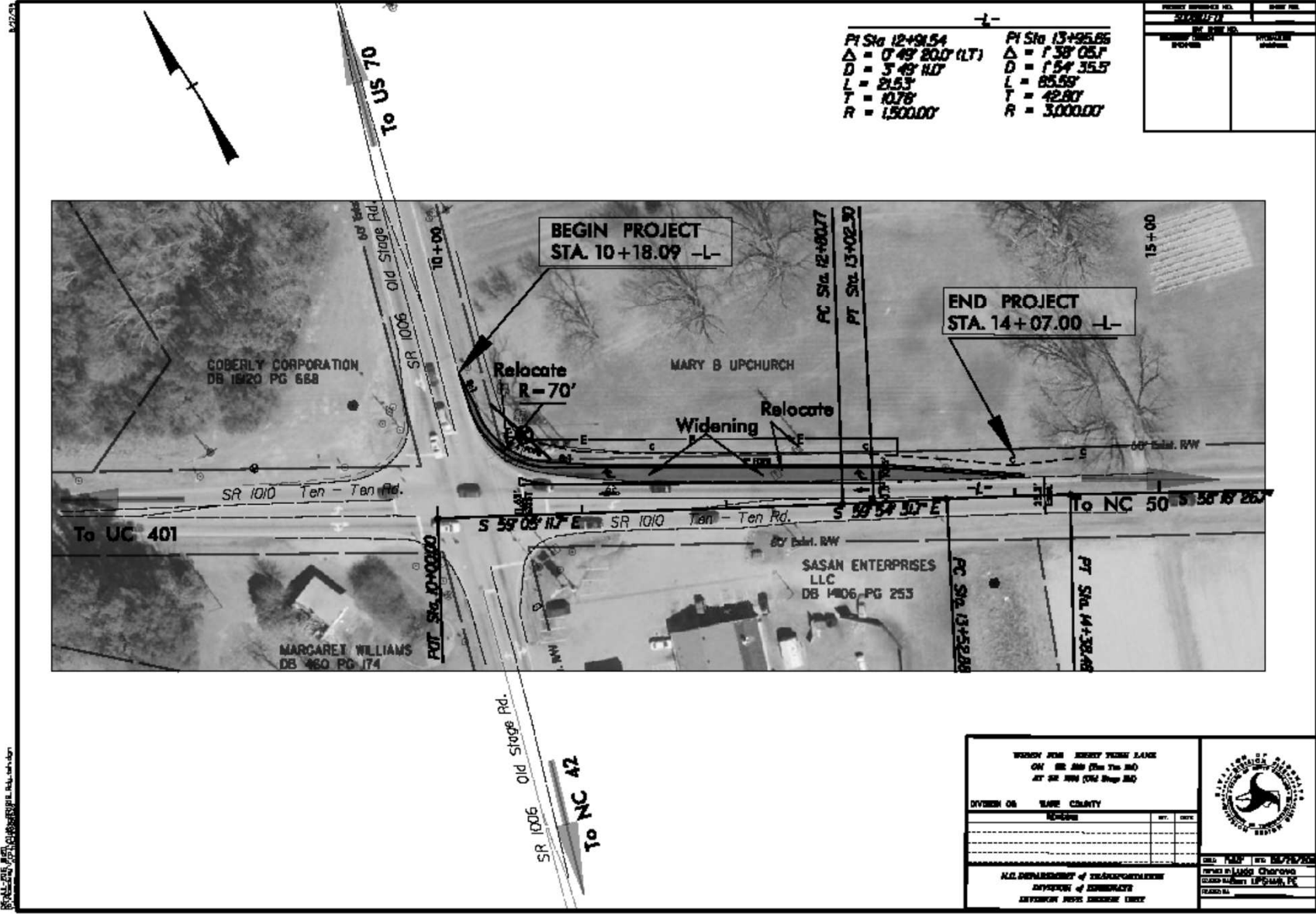


PROJECT: SS4905CC_RDY_PCIL_010410

SR 1006 at SR 1010







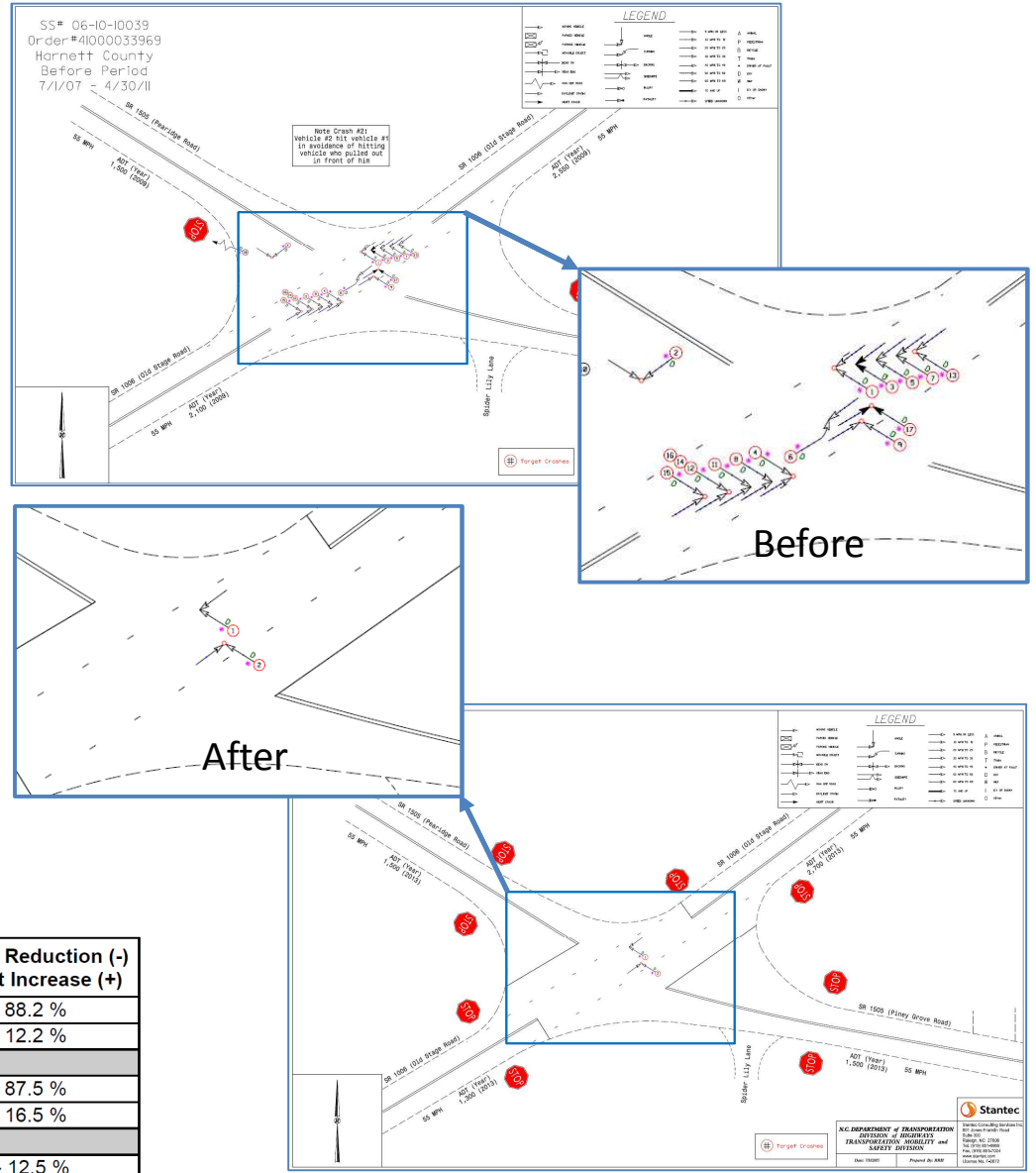
Spot Safety & Hazard Elimination

Spot Safety Project Evaluation

Project Information

Order ID: 41000033969
 Project ID: 06-10-10039
 Location: Intersection of SR 1006 (Old Stage Rd) at SR 1505 (Pearidge Rd/Piney Grove Rd)
 County: Hamett
 City: Angier
 Division: 6
 Signal ID: N/A
 Countermeasures: Convert to All-Way Stop with dual mounted Stop signs at each approach, and installed Stop Bars for each approach.
 Project Completion: July 12, 2011 Project Cost: \$9,500.00

Map and Aerial (from Google Maps, Coordinates are 35.502720, -78.691507)



Treatment Information	Before	After	Percent Reduction (-) Percent Increase (+)
Total Crashes	17	2	- 88.2 %
Total Severity Index	5.35	4.70	- 12.2 %
Target Crashes	16	2	- 87.5 %
Target Crash Severity Index	5.63	4.70	- 16.5 %
Volume (2009, 2013)	4,000	3,500	- 12.5 %



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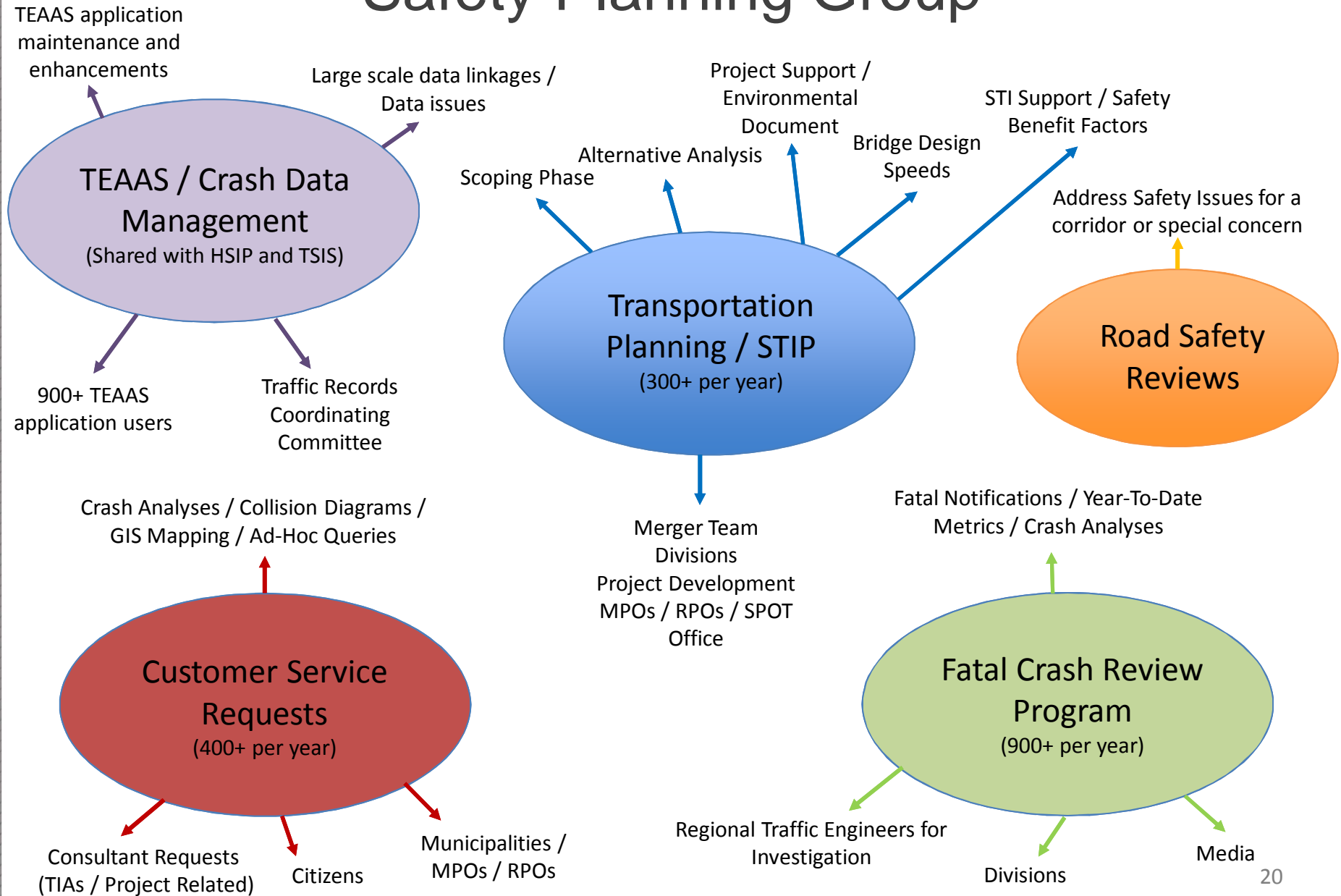


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Safety Planning Group



Project Scoping

- Identify patterns of crashes the project should address
 - Detailed Crash Analysis

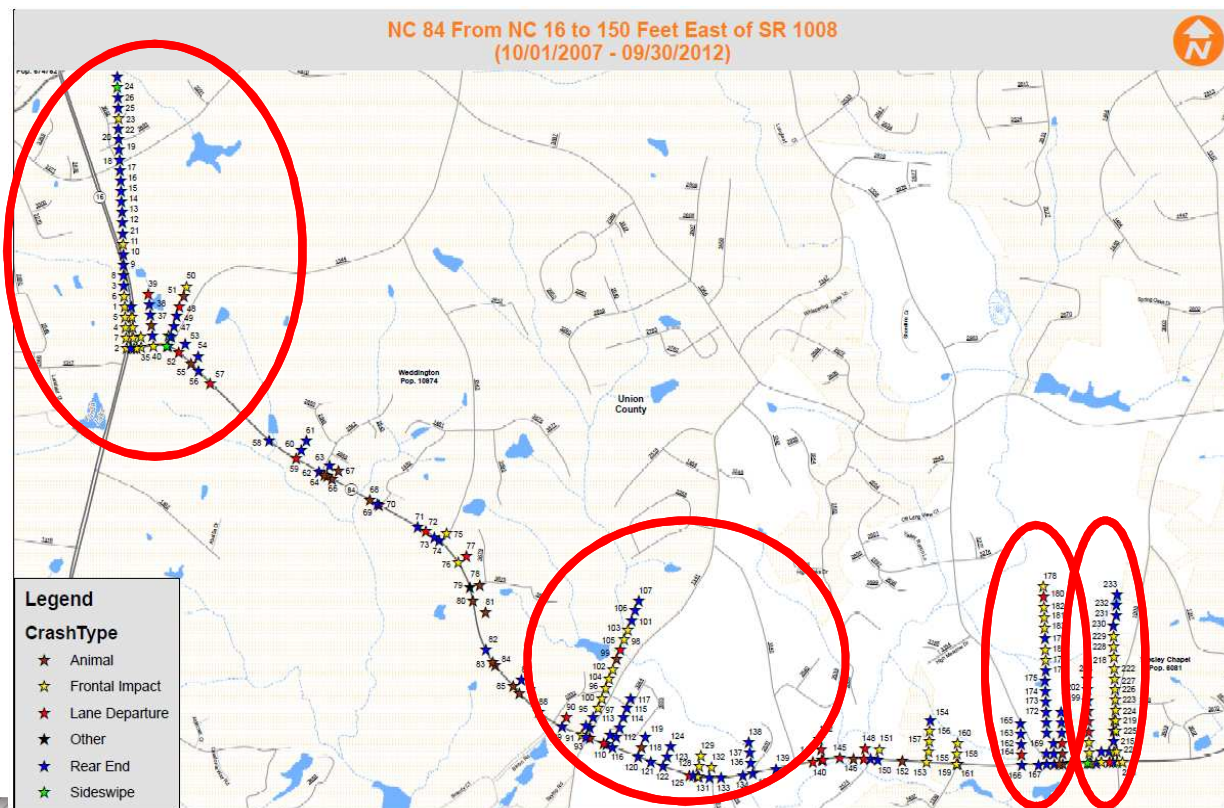
Summary Statistics		
High Level Crash Summary		
Crash Type	Number of Crashes	Percent of Total
Total Crashes	234	100.00
Fatal Crashes	1	0.43
Non-Fatal Injury Crashes	53	22.65
Total Injury Crashes	54	23.08
Property Damage Only Crashes	180	76.92
Night Crashes	53	22.65
Wet Crashes	44	18.80
Alcohol/Drugs Involvement Crashes	6	2.56
Crash Severity Summary		
Crash Type	Number of Crashes	Percent of Total
Total Crashes	234	100.00
Fatal Crashes	1	0.43
Class A Crashes	1	0.43
Class B Crashes	10	4.27
Class C Crashes	42	17.95
Property Damage Only Crashes	180	76.92
Vehicle Exposure Statistics		
Annual ADT = 12300		
Total Length = 4.333 (Miles)		
Total Vehicle Exposure = 97.37 (MVKMT)		
6.973 (Kilometers)		
156.7 (MVKMT)		
Crash Rate	Crashes Per 100 Million Vehicle Miles	Crashes Per 100 Million Vehicle Kilometers
Total Crash Rate	240.32	149.33
Fatal Crash Rate	1.03	0.64
Non Fatal Crash Rate	54.43	33.82
Night Crash Rate	54.43	33.82
Wet Crash Rate	45.19	28.08
EPDO Rate	791.20	491.63

North Carolina Department of Transportation Traffic Engineering Accident Analysis System Strip Analysis Report						
Study Criteria Summary						
City: All and Rural						
Study: 41000021966						
09/30/2012						
on Road from NC 16-Providence Road to 150 feet east of SR 150						
Report Details						
Date	Accident Type	Total Damage	Injuries			
			F	A	B	C
08/22/2008 12:45	LEFT TURN, SAME ROADWAY	\$ 9000	0	0	0	0
gs: 0	Speed: 25 MPH Dir: N		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
gs: 0	Speed: 20 MPH Dir: E		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
02/27/2009 10:59	ANGLE	\$ 3200	0	0	0	0
gs: 0	Speed: 20 MPH Dir: S		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
gs: 0	Speed: 20 MPH Dir: E		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
04/27/2009 07:35	REAR END, SLOW OR STOP	\$ 4500	0	0	0	1
gs: 0	Speed: 0 MPH Dir: N		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
gs: 0	Speed: 25 MPH Dir: E		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
05/16/2009 17:25	LEFT TURN, DIFFERENT ROADWAYS	\$ 4000	0	0	0	0
gs: 0	Speed: 10 MPH Dir: S		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
gs: 0	Speed: 30 MPH Dir: N		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
06/20/2009 10:42	LEFT TURN, DIFFERENT ROADWAYS	\$ 11000	0	0	0	0
gs: 0	Speed: 25 MPH Dir: SW		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
gs: 0	Speed: 45 MPH Dir: W		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
06/28/2010 18:43	LEFT TURN, SAME ROADWAY	\$ 3000	0	0	0	0
gs: 0	Speed: 10 MPH Dir: N		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
gs: 0	Speed: 15 MPH Dir: S		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
07/09/2011 13:25	ANGLE	\$ 1600	0	0	0	0
gs: 0	Speed: 45 MPH Dir: S		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
gs: 0	Speed: 0 MPH Dir: E		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
05/21/2012 15:24	REAR END, SLOW OR STOP	\$ 1400	0	0	0	0
gs: 0	Speed: 5 MPH Dir: W		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			
gs: 0	Speed: 0 MPH Dir: W		Veh Mnvr/Ped Actn:			

Miscellaneous Statistics		
Severity Index -		3.29
EPDO Crash Index -		770.40
Estimated Property Damage Total - \$		1293465.00
Accident Type Summary		
Accident Type	Number of Crashes	Percent of Total
ANGLE	16	6.84
ANIMAL	22	9.40
FIXED OBJECT	17	7.26
LEFT TURN, DIFFERENT ROADWAYS	32	13.68
LEFT TURN, SAME ROADWAY	15	6.41
OVERTURN/ROLLOVER	2	0.85
RAN OFF ROAD - LEFT	2	0.85
RAN OFF ROAD - RIGHT	4	1.71
REAR END, SLOW OR STOP	108	46.15
REAR END, TURN	3	1.28
RIGHT TURN, DIFFERENT ROADWAYS	3	1.28
RIGHT TURN, SAME ROADWAY	1	0.43
SIDESWIPE, OPPOSITE DIRECTION	5	2.14
SIDESWIPE, SAME DIRECTION	4	1.71
Injury Summary		
Injury Type	Number of Injuries	Percent of Total
Fatal Injuries	1	1.28
Class A Injuries	1	1.28
Class B Injuries	11	14.10
Class C Injuries	65	83.33
Total Non-Fatal Injuries	77	98.72
Total Injuries	78	100.00

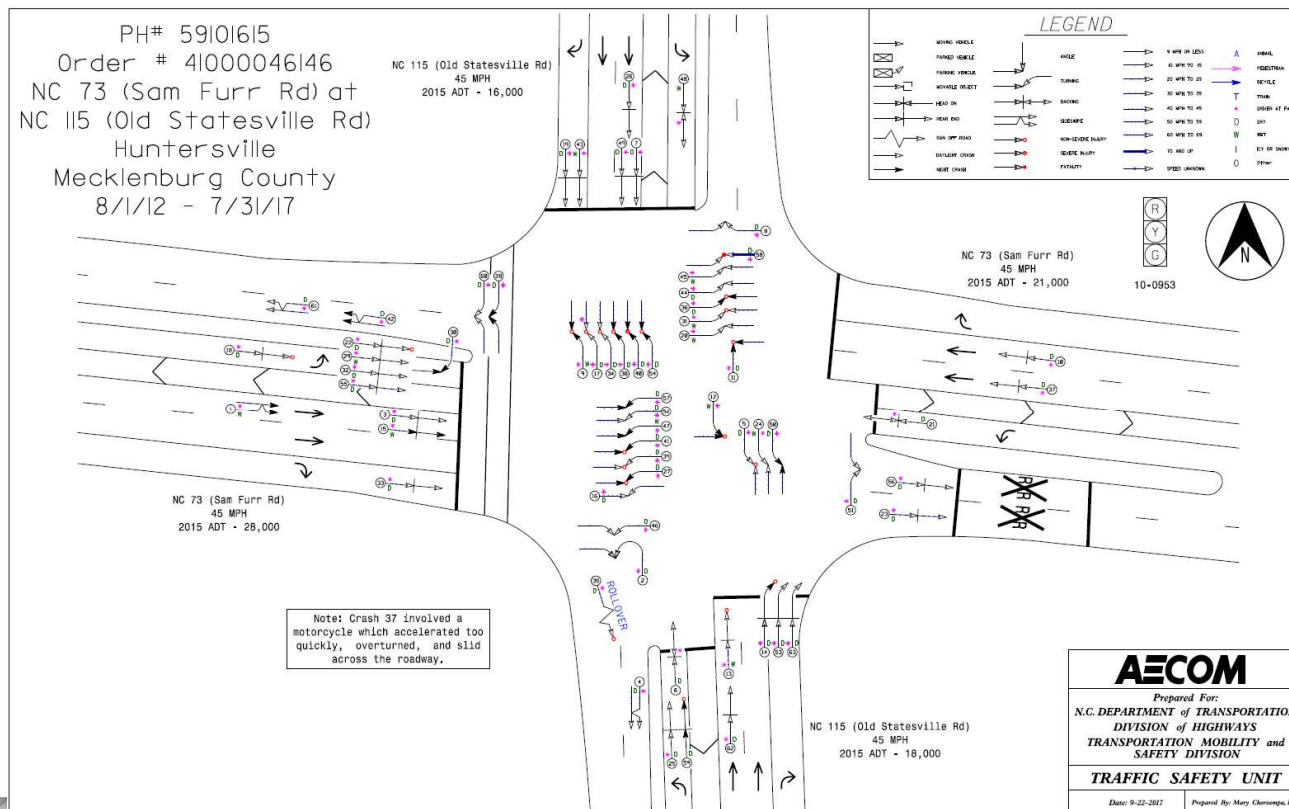
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 - Detailed Crash Analysis
 - Mapping
 - Helps to identify patterns
 - Helps to communicate safety concerns



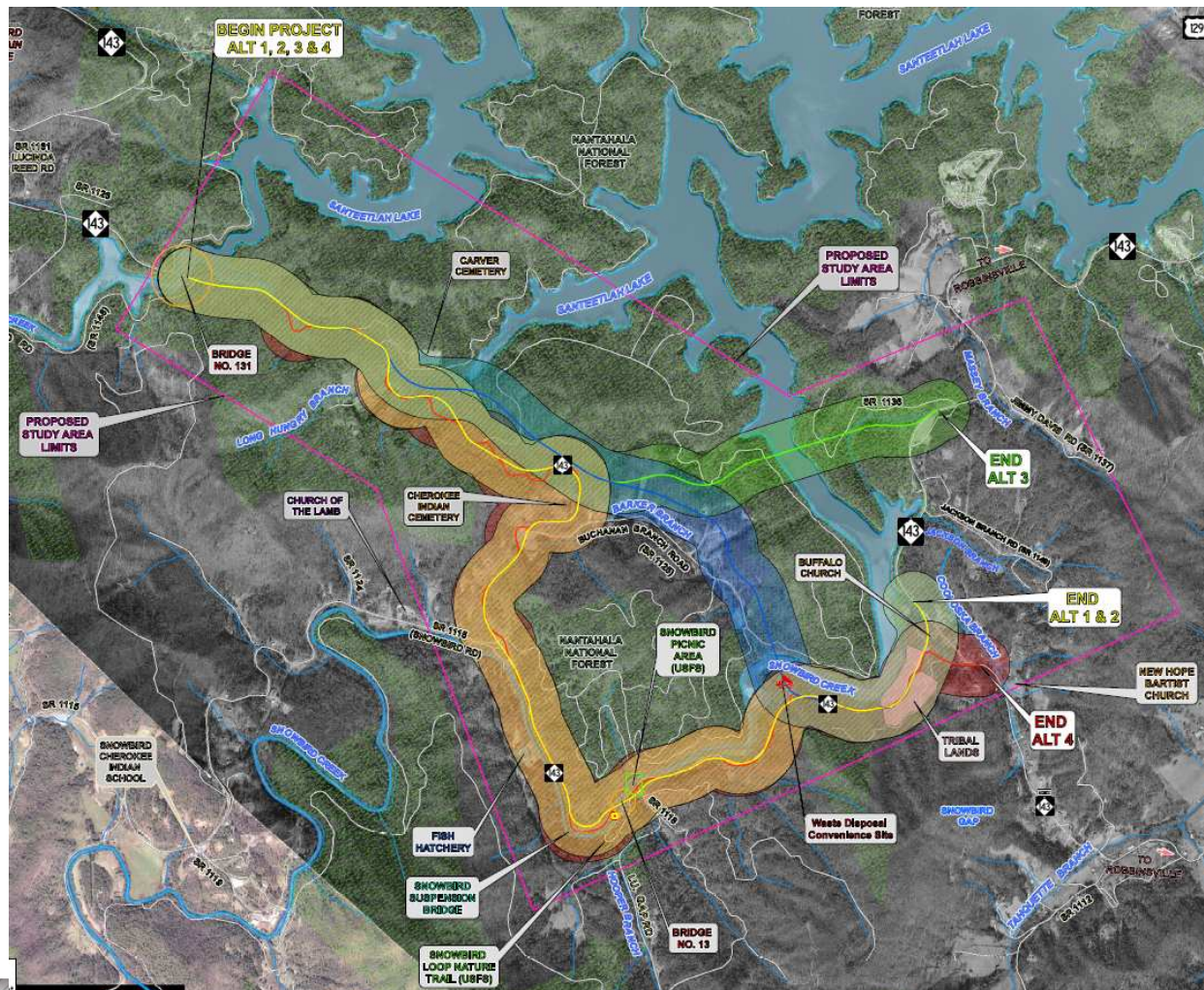
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Alternative Analysis

- Compare the “Safety” of each Alternative
 - How???



Alternative Analysis

- Compare the “Safety” of each Alternative
 - How???
 - Predictive Analysis utilizing Safety Performance Functions
 - Using **crash**, **roadway**, and **traffic volume** data to provide **estimates** of an existing or proposed roadway’s **expected** safety performance
 - Can be used to quantify the safety impacts of proposed transportation improvements

Alternative Analysis

- Safety Performance Functions
 - Example: Base function for 2-lane rural roadway

$$N_{spf,rs} = AADT \times L \times 365 \times 10^{-6} \times e^{(-0.312)}$$

Where:

$N_{spf,rs}$ = predicted total crash frequency for roadway segment base conditions;
 $AADT$ = average annual daily traffic volume (vehicles per day); and
 L = length of roadway segment (miles).

Table 10-7. Summary of Crash Modification Factors (CMFs) in Chapter 10 and the Corresponding Safety Performance Functions (SPFs).

Table 10-8. CMF for Lane Width on Roadway Segments (CMF_{lw})

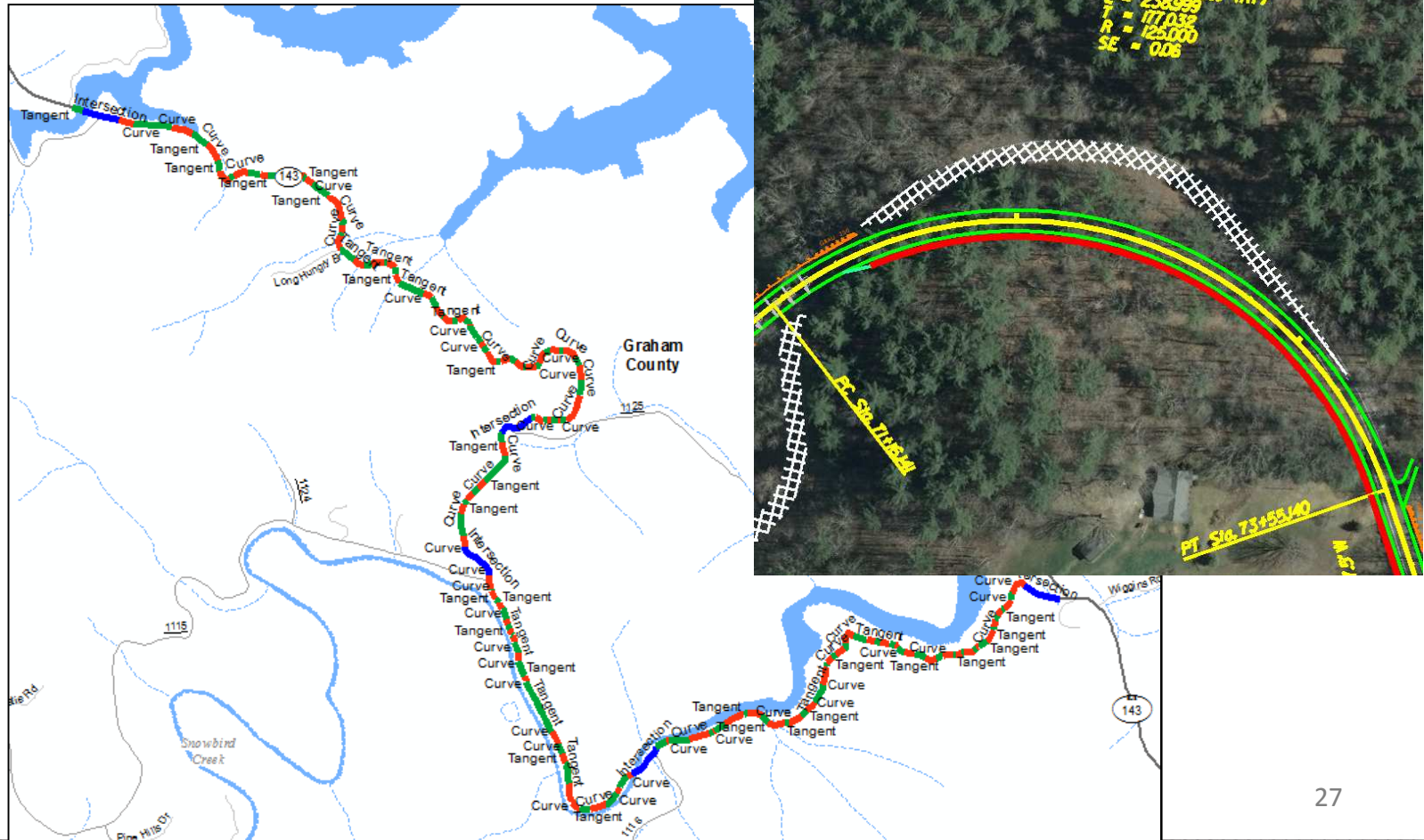
Lane Width	AADT (vehicles per day)		
	< 400	400 to 2000	> 2000
9 ft or less	1.05	$1.05 + 2.81 \times 10^{-4}(AADT - 400)$	1.50
10 ft	1.02	$1.02 + 1.75 \times 10^{-4}(AADT - 400)$	1.30
11 ft	1.01	$1.01 + 2.5 \times 10^{-5}(AADT - 400)$	1.05
12 ft or more	1.00	1.00	1.00

Note: The collision types related to lane width to which this CMF applies include single-vehicle run-off-the-road and multiple-vehicle head-on, opposite-direction sideswipe, and same-direction sideswipe crashes.

CMF_{dr}	Roadside Design	Equation 10-20
CMF_{li}	Lighting	Equations 10-21, Table 10-12
CMF_{se}	Automated Speed Enforcement	See text

Alternative Analysis

- Methodology for Analyzing a Corridor Alternative
 - Break corridor down into “like” segments
 - Intersections, curves, tangents, etc.



Alternative Analysis

Methodology for Analyzing a Corridor Alternative

- Break corridor down into “like” segments
- Analyze each segment individually

$$N_{sf,6T} = \exp[-8.56 + 0.60 \times \ln(AADT_{maj}) + 0.61 \times \ln(AADT_{min})] \quad (10-9)$$

Where:
 $N_{sf,6T}$ = estimate of intersection-related predicted average crash frequency for base conditions for four-leg stop controlled intersections;
 $AADT_{maj}$ = AADT (vehicles per day) on the major road; and
 $AADT_{min}$ = AADT (vehicles per day) on the minor road.

$$N_{sf,TS} = AADT \times L \times 365 \times 10^{-6} \times e^{(-0.312)}$$

Where:

$N_{sf,TS}$ = predicted total crash frequency for roadway segment base conditions;

AADT = average annual daily traffic volume (vehicles per day); and

L = length of roadway segment (miles).

R 2594 Alt 3B		1	2	3	4	5
Types	Section Type	Section-Tangent	Section-Curve	Intersection	Section-Tangent	Section-Curve
	Segment Category	2L Rural	2L Rural	3 Leg Stop	2L Rural	2L Rural
	Interchange?	No	No	No	No	No
	NC 215	NC 215	NC 215	NC 215	NC 215	NC 215
	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
			Old NC 215			
		0.014	0.031	0.095	0.163	0.073
				1489 980		
		1600	1600	1600	1400	1400
Volumes	Major 1			1600		
	Approach AADT - Major 2			1400		
	Approach AADT - Avg Major			1500		
	Approach AADT - Minor 1			600		
	Approach AADT - Minor 2					
	Approach AADT - Avg Minor			600		
	Lane Width	11	11		11	11
	CMF _{RA} Lane Width	1.040	1.040		1.035	1.035
	CMF ₁₇ Lane Width	1.023	1.023		1.020	1.020
	Shoulder Width	6.000	6.000		6.000	6.000
	Shoulder Type	Composite	Composite		Composite	Composite
	CMF _{WRA} Shoulder Width	1.000	1.000		1.000	1.000
	CMF _{TRA} Shoulder Type	1.040	1.040		1.040	1.040
	CMF ₂₇ Shoulder width and type	1.023	1.023		1.023	1.023
	CMF ₅₇ Grade	1.00	1.00		1.16	1.16
	Curve Radius (English) in feet		760.000			1500.000
	Spiral Transition?		0			0
	CMF ₃₇ Horizontal Curve	1.000	3.185		1.000	1.472
	Approaches with LT Lanes			0.000		
	CMF ₂₁ LT			1.000		
	Approaches with RT Lanes			0.000		
	CMF ₃₁ RT			1.000		
	Skew			0.000		
	CMF ₁₁ Skew			1.000		
	Lighting?			N		
	CMF ₄₁ Lighting			1.000		
	NCDOT Calibration Factor (CF)	1.330	1.330	0.570	1.330	1.330
	Base HSM SPF	0.006	0.013	0.387	0.061	0.027
	HSM SPF include CMFs	0.006	0.044	0.387	0.074	0.049

CMFs

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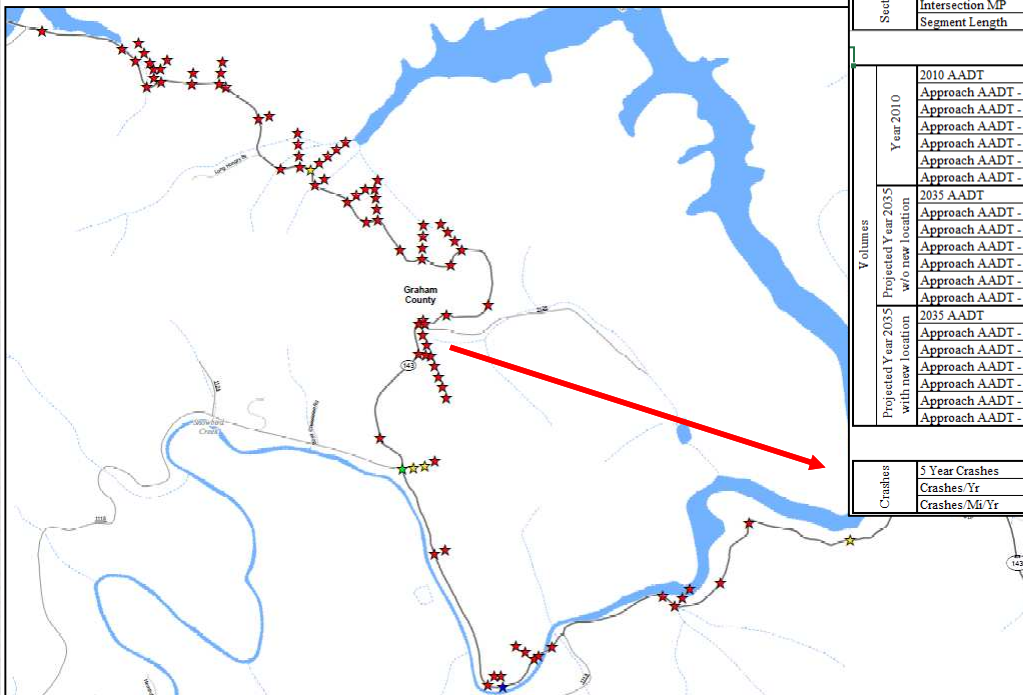
Facility Type	CMF	CMF Description	CMF Equations and Tables
Rural Two-Lane Two-Way Roadway Segments	CMF ₁	Lane Width	Table 10-8, Figure 10-7, Equation 10-11
	CMF ₂	Shoulder Width and Type	Table 10-9, Figure 10-8, Equation 10-25
	CMF ₃	Horizontal Curves: Length, Radius, and Presence or Absence of Spiral Transitions	Equation 10-17
	CMF ₄	Horizontal Curves: Superelevation	Equations 10-14, 10-15, 10-16
	CMF ₅	Grades	Table 10-11
	CMF ₆	Driveway Density	Table 10-11
	CMF ₇	Continuous Rumble Strips	See text
	CMF ₈	Painting Lanes	See text
	CMF ₉	Two-Way Left-Turn Lanes	Equations 10-18, 10-19
	CMF ₁₀	Roadside Design	Equation 10-20
	CMF ₁₁	Lighting	Equations 10-21, Table 10-12
	CMF ₁₂	Automated Speed Enforcement	See text

CMFs

CMF ₁₃	Intersection Skew Angle	Equation 10-22, 10-23
CMF ₁₄	Three and four leg stop controlled intersections and four leg signalized intersections	Table 10-13
CMF ₁₅	Intersection Left-Turn Lanes	Table 10-14
CMF ₁₆	Intersection Right-Turn Lanes	Table 10-15
CMF ₁₇	Lighting	Equation 10-24, Table 10-13

Alternative Analysis

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 - Break corridor down into “like” segments
 - Analyze each segment individually
 - Incorporate existing crash history

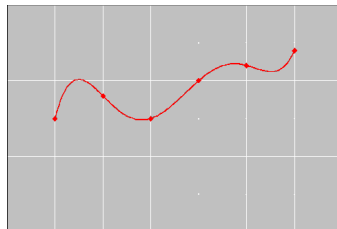


R-2594 Alternative Comparison								
		189	190	191	192	193	194	
Section Characteristics	Section Type	Section - Tangent	Section - Curve	Section - Tangent	Section - Curve	Section - Tangent	Intersection	
	Segment Category	2L Rural	2L Rural	2L Rural	2L Rural	2L Rural	3-Leg Stop	
	Route	NC 215	NC 215	NC 215	NC 215	NC 215	NC 215	
	Begin MP	5.847	5.857	5.881	5.909	5.957	5.998	
	End MP	5.857	5.881	5.909	5.957	5.998	6.093	
	Intersection MP						SR 1326	
	Segment Length	0.010	0.024	0.028	0.048	0.041	6.031	
							6.095	
Volumes	Year 2010	2010 AADT	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	1,200	
		Approach AADT - Major 1						1,200
		Approach AADT - Major 2						1,000
		Approach AADT - Avg Major						1,100
		Approach AADT - Minor 1						400
		Approach AADT - Minor 2						
	Projected Year 2035 w/o new location	2035 AADT	1600	1600	1600	1600	1600	
		Approach AADT - Major 1						1,600
		Approach AADT - Major 2						1,600
		Approach AADT - Avg Major						1,600
		Approach AADT - Minor 1						600
		Approach AADT - Minor 2						
	Projected Year 2035 with new location	2035 AADT	200	200	200	200	200	
		Approach AADT - Major 1						200
		Approach AADT - Major 2						600
		Approach AADT - Avg Major						400
		Approach AADT - Minor 1						600
		Approach AADT - Minor 2						
Crashes	5 Year Crashes	0	0	0	0	0	1	
	Crashes/Yr	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	
	Crashes/Mi-Yr	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.11	

Alternative Analysis

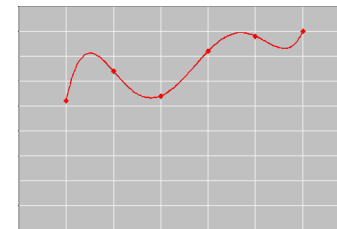
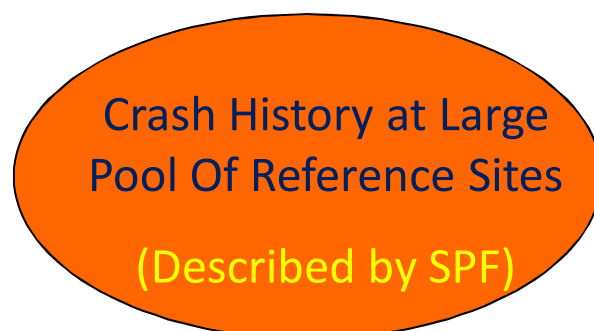
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 - Incorporate existing crash history
 - Calculate predicted and expected crashes
 - Predicted -> Based on calibrated safety performance function
 - Expected -> Based on Empirical Bayes (EB) analysis

Clue #1



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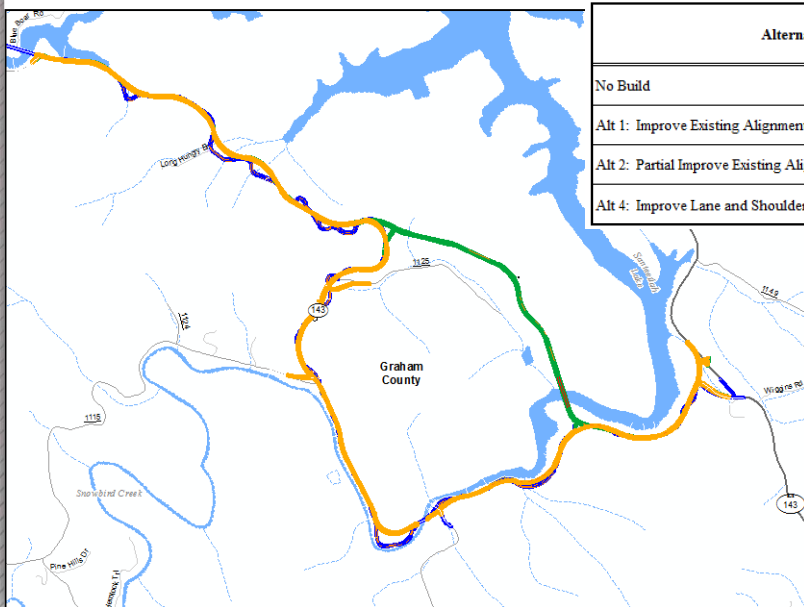
Clue #2



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Alternative Analysis

- Methodology for Analyzing a Corridor Alternative
 - Break corridor down into “like” segments
 - Analyze each segment individually
 - Incorporate existing crash history
 - Calculate predicted and expected crashes
 - Summarize results of each individual segment analyzed to get estimates for entire corridor

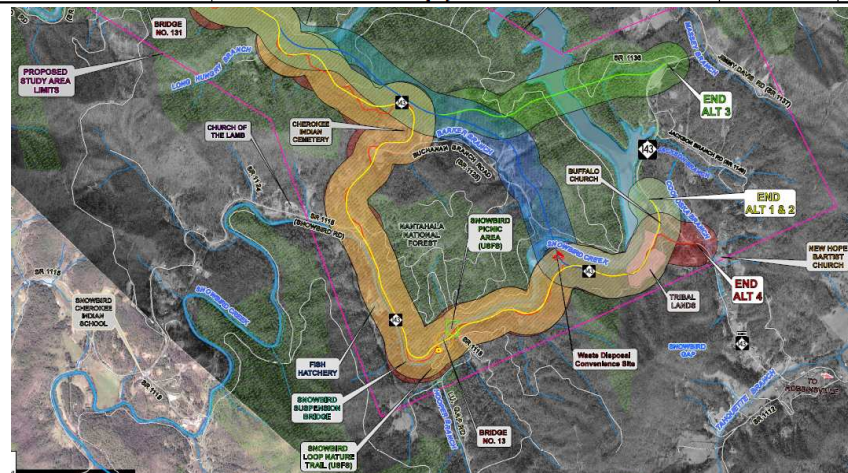


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Alternative Analysis

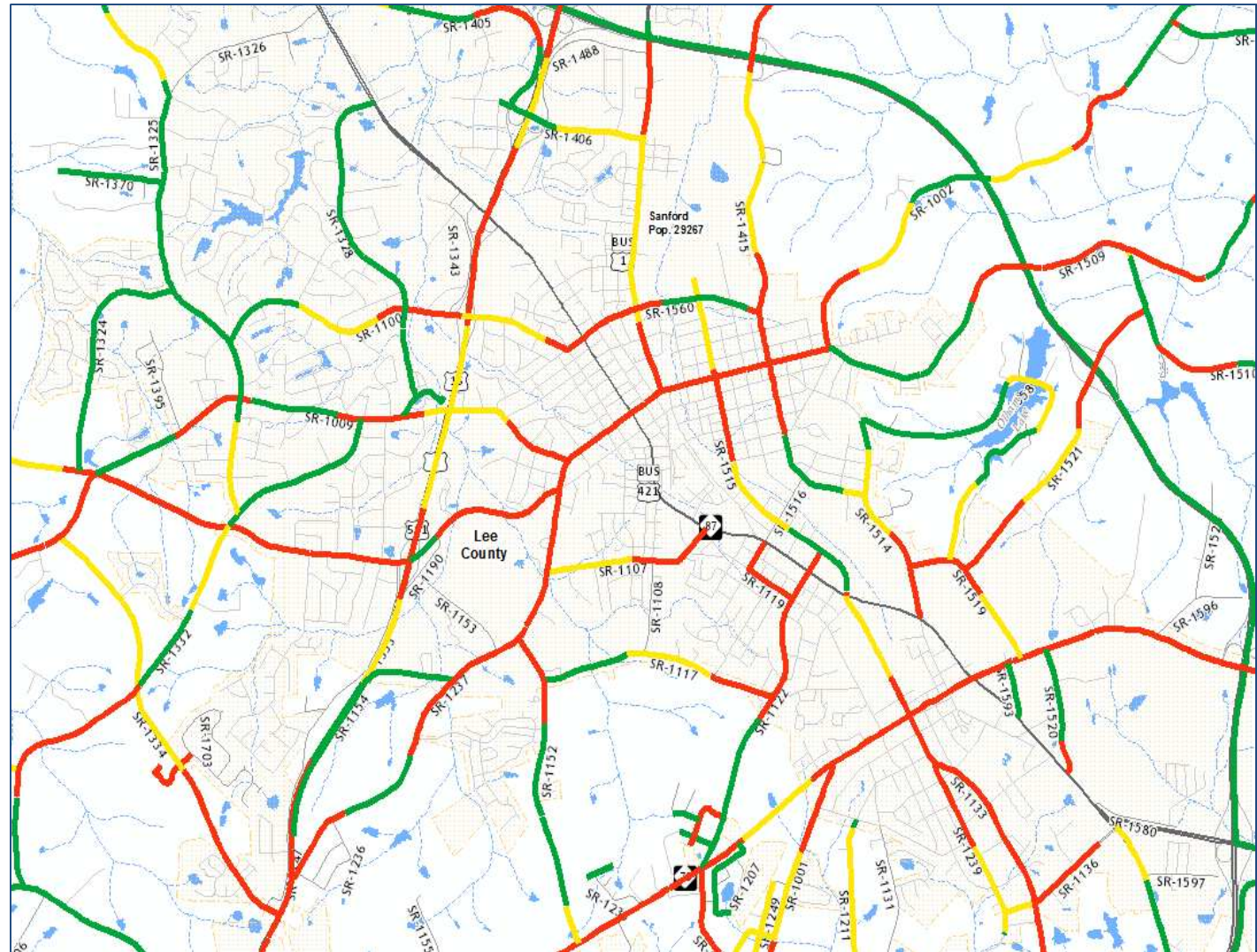
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Questions / Discussion

