

REQUEST FOR BOARD ACTION

HENDERSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: May 7, 2012

SUBJECT: NCDOT Planned Median on Spartanburg Highway at Upward Road

PRESENTER: Anthony W. Starr, AICP, Planning Director

ATTACHMENTS: 1. Area Map

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

At its April 18th, 2012 meeting, the Board received public comment conveying concern regarding a planned concrete median on Spartanburg Highway west of its intersection with Upward Road. A business owner expressed concern about the potential impact of the median on business.

NCDOT plans show the 4-foot wide concrete median (5 inches in height) will extend approximately 520 feet along Spartanburg Highway west of its intersection with Upward Road. The attached map illustrates the location of the planned median and the location of planned dual left turns lanes on Spartanburg Highway (turning onto Upward Road).

The planned changes on Spartanburg Highway are associated with NCDOT's Upward Road Widening Project. At the Board's direction, Planning Staff requested NCDOT provide an overview of the project's impact in this area. Steve Cannon, NCDOT District Engineer for Henderson County, and Aaron Powell, NCDOT Resident Engineer for Henderson County, will attend the meeting to discuss the plans for this project.

The Board of Commissioners has no authority to change NCDOT plans for road projects.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

The Board is requested to review the information presented.

Suggested Motion: None.

NCDOT Median Treatments: Spartanburg Hwy Northwest of Upward Rd/Spartanburg Hwy Intersection

-  Concrete Median Treatment (520 ft)
-  Striped Median Treatment (240 ft)
-  Planned Dual Left Turn Lanes (520 ft)
-  Concrete Median at Mt. Airy St.
-  Hendersonville City Limits
-  Parcels



Mt. Airy St. Becomes Right-in, Right-out Only

Village Square Shopping Center

CVS Pharmacy

Car Wash

Duke Power Substation

1 inch = 100 feet

0 50 100 Feet



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