Miles Jamison Road Improvements

Public Input from Meeting #1

Our Path to Progress
Dorchester County Transportation Sales Tax Program

What We Heard!

At the first public meeting in November 2025, we heard about the need to address traffic congestion, minimize property impacts, improve safety, and enhance bicycle and pedestrian connectivity. 131 total comments were received after that meeting. We appreciate the public's input on this project! Below is a summary of the comments we heard. These items have been incorporated into the updated design, and will continue to inform the County's decisions as the projects progress.

In Favor of

- Road widening and dedicated turn lanes at key intersections to reduce congestion
- Bicycle and pedestrian improvements to enhance safety & connectivity
- Upgrades to drainage systems
- Use of sustainable stormwater management practices

Concerns

- Property impacts and right-of-way acquisition
- Congestion at peak commute hours
- Speeding through residential areas
- Increased noise during and after construction
- Changes to neighborhood community character
- Recurring flooding in low-lying areas
- Loss of mature trees, adjacent wetlands, and wildlife

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Next Steps

- Continue to Refine the Preferred Alternative in the Preparation of Right-of-Way Plans
  - Detailed Impact Evaluation
  - Obtain SCDOT Authorization to Proceed with Right-of-Way Acquisition
  - Seek opportunities for additional funding to continue moving the project forward through Right-of-Way and Construction
- Meet with Impacted Property Owners during Right-of-Way Acquisition Phase