



# SC Route 707 Widening from south of Enterprise Road (S-26-926) in Horry County to US 17 in Georgetown County



### **PROJECT SUMMARY**

With funding provided by Horry County's RIDE II Capital Local Option Sales Tax Program, Horry County, in conjunction with the South Carolina Department of Transportation (SCDOT), proposes to widen SC Route 707 from a two-lane shoulder section to a five-lane curb and gutter facility with sidewalks from south of Enterprise Road (S-26-926) in Horry County to US 17 in Georgetown County. The project purpose is to provide a more efficient north-south route from US17 to the Socastee Area that avoids and helps decrease traffic congestion on US 17, a facility that services beachside communities and commercial development.

SCDOT has retained a team of design consultants to investigate various strategies to alleviate growing traffic concerns on SC 707. The proposed project is divided into three geographic phases:

- Phase I South of Enterprise Road to Salem Road
- Phase II Salem Road to the Horry County/Georgetown County line
- Phase III Horry/Georgetown County line to US 17

The entire project length is approximately 9.2 miles, 8.85 miles of which are located in Horry County and 0.35 miles in Georgetown County.

#### **ANTICIPATED PROJECT SCHEDULE:**

- Public Information Meeting No.1 is being held on August 7th, 2008
- Environmental Document will be completed April 2009
- Public Hearing TBD
- Design will be completed in late Spring 2009
- Right of way acquisition will begin in Summer 2009
- Construction will begin in Summer of 2010

#### **COMMENT FORMS:**

Forms for your comments are available at the meeting. **Comments are due by August 22, 2008.** 

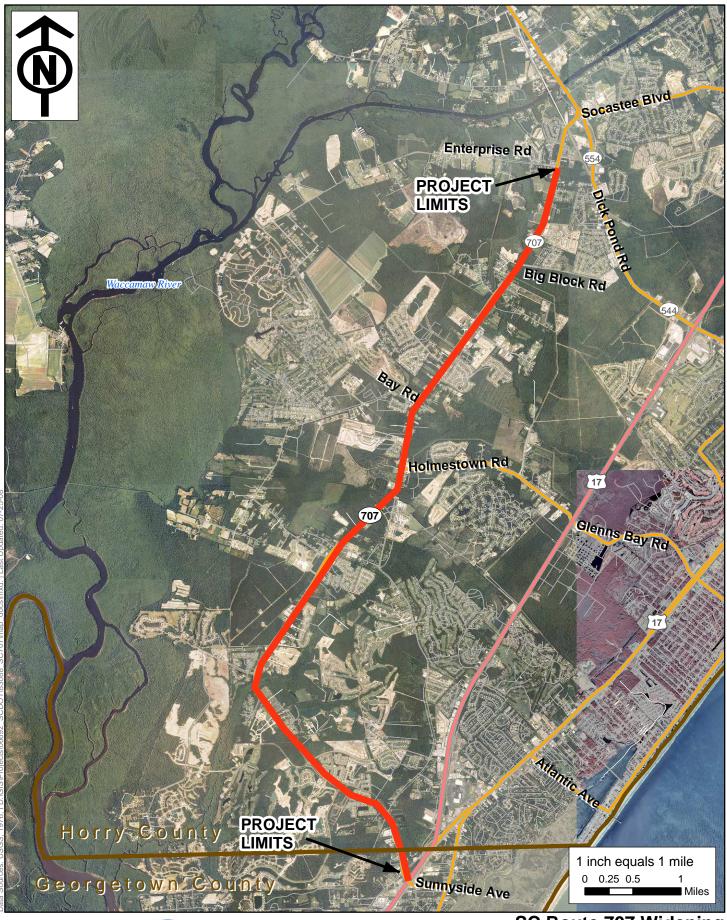
Please place completed forms in the comment drop box, or mail/fax to:

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Project Location Map