



March 28, 2022

RE: EAST BANK TRANSPORTATION PROJECT NASHVILLE, DAVIDSON COUNTY TN TDOT PIN 132289.00

To Whom It May Concern:

As you may have heard, Metro Planning, Nashville Department of Transportation (NDOT), and Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) are continuing the public involvement process for the East Bank Spine/North-South Arterial Boulevard, and we want to alert you about activities you may be seeing shortly in your neighborhood.

In order to ensure that we have the most accurate, complete, and current information possible, we have contracted with Ragan-Smith-Associates, Inc., a surveying firm based in Nashville. Survey crews from Ragan-Smith-Associates, Inc. will gather data to supplement existing aerial photographs of the area. This will involve ground surveys, which will investigate property lines, underground utilities, drainage structures, and more.

In addition to field surveys, we will be conducting environmental surveys of the project area. This work may include the identification and mapping of wetlands, archaeological investigations, and various other environmental studies. The information we obtain from such studies is necessary for the project planning and design of this project, and it is our sincere desire to cause you as little inconvenience as possible.

The field surveys and environmental investigations will begin within the next week and may continue intermittently for approximately 12 months.

The field survey crews and environmental specialists may need to gain access to your property, located on or near this project, in order to gather the necessary information, and we will appreciate your cooperation in that effort. If there are specific times during the work week we should avoid, please let us know. Field surveys and environmental investigations will not be required on all properties.

If you have any questions or comments, feel free to contact me by email or phone as listed below.

Sincerely,

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