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WIDENING OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE  
ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS

P. I. Nos. 0000543/544/545/546 and 431780  
Brooks and Colquitt Counties, Georgia

## Value Engineering Study Report

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re: Widening State Route 133 from Troupville Road to the East Moultrie Bypass Projects  
Brooks and Colquitt Counties, Georgia  
Value Engineering Study Report

Dear Ms. Myers:

Lewis & Zimmerman Associates, Inc. is pleased to submit four hard copies and one electronic copy of the referenced report.

The project widens SR 133 in Brooks and Colquitt Counties, Georgia to improve safety and system efficiency for motorists traveling from Valdosta and Moultrie. This project is on the Governor's Road Improvement Program (GRIP) to help promote economic and business development within the corridor.

The value engineering effort focused on identifying opportunities to improve the value of the project in terms of the following: (1) promoting development and accommodate growth, (2) continuing the GRIP, (3) improving safety, and (4) potentially reducing capital cost.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank you and the State of Georgia Department of Transportation for your hospitality and the four design teams for providing the project information. Please let us know if you have any questions about the contents of this report.

Sincerely,

LEWIS & ZIMMERMAN ASSOCIATES, INC.



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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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### INTRODUCTION

This value engineering (VE) study report summarizes the events of the VE study conducted by Lewis & Zimmerman Associates, Inc. (LZA) for the State of Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT), Atlanta, Georgia. The subject of the study was the project entitled Widening of State Route (SR) 133 from west of Valdosta to the East Moultrie Bypass (SR 35), known as Project Nos. STP-0000-00(543/544/545/ 546) and STP-032-2(28), P. I. Nos. 0000543/544/545/546 and 431780.

The project is located in Brooks and Colquitt Counties in Georgia and is being designed by Cranston, Robertson & Whitehurst, P.C., Columbia Engineering, Inc., Street Smarts, and Wolverton & Associates Inc. The VE workshop was conducted September 27 – 29, 2006 in GDOT offices in Atlanta.

### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

This VE workshop studied five projects that will widen SR 133 between Valdosta and Moultrie. The overall widening of SR 133 includes four projects between Moultrie and Albany. The southern terminus of the five projects will tie into the existing four-lane section of SR 133 near Troupville Road (CR 276) in Brooks County, and the northern terminus of these projects will tie into the existing through lane section at the East Moultrie Bypass (SR 35) in Colquitt County. These projects are not on a route designated in the GDOT Statewide Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan or a local bike plan.

The following table provides further description of the five projects that composed this VE study.

Contract	County	Proposed Scope	Termini	LOS
543	Brooks	Widen SR 133 from two to four lanes with turn lanes as needed	Troupville Road (CR 276) and Pauline Church Road (CR 10)	A
544			Pauline Church Road and Old Quitman Road (CR 1)	
545	Old Quitman Road and Old Berlin Road (CR 256)			
546	Old Berlin Road and Hawthorne Road (CR 388)			
28	Colquitt	Add a 20-foot raised concrete median to the existing four-lane section of SR 133	Hawthorne Road and the East Moultrie Bypass (SR 35)	N/A

The collective, probable cost of construction for all five contracts is \$115,262,227 and is based on the *Preliminary Cost Estimates* dated December 2005 and February 2006, per the table below.

<b>Contract No.</b>	<b>Construction Cost Subtotal</b>	<b>Inflation</b>	<b>Engineering &amp; Construction</b>	<b>Right-of-Way</b>	<b>Reimbursable Utilities</b>	<b>Total</b>
543	\$14,040,519	\$3,025,820	\$1,706,634	\$2,062,500	\$1,352,500	\$22,187,972
544	\$12,265,842	\$2,643,366	\$1,490,921	\$1,250,000	\$577,500	\$18,227,628
545	\$21,929,928	\$4,726,037	\$2,665,596	\$2,750,001	\$2,512,500	\$34,584,062
546	\$17,746,439	\$3,824,469	\$2,157,091	\$2,000,000	\$15,000	\$25,742,999
28	\$10,156,208	\$1,041,011	\$1,119,722	\$2,022,624	\$180,000	\$14,519,565
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$76,138,936</b>	<b>\$15,260,703</b>	<b>\$9,139,964</b>	<b>\$10,085,125</b>	<b>4,637,500</b>	<b>\$115,262,228</b>

## **CONCERNS AND OBJECTIVES**

The purpose of these projects is to improve safety and system efficiency for motorists traveling from Valdosta and Moultrie. The project is also on the Governor’s Road Improvement Program (GRIP) whose goal is to help promote economic and business development within the corridor.

One concern is that the traffic counts don’t seem to warrant the \$115,000,000 cost for this portion of the SR 133 corridor. Therefore, the value engineering effort focused on identifying opportunities to improve the value of the project in terms the following: (1) promoting development and accommodate growth; (2) continuing the GRIP; (3) improving safety by improving traffic operations, accommodating special events and maintaining route continuity; and (4) potentially reducing capital cost.

## **HIGHLIGHTS OF THE STUDY**

Several alternatives address limiting the improvements that should be undertaken by these projects based on the amount of traffic. Collectively these alternatives represent a potential savings over \$76,000,000:

- Alternative 543-1 limits the improvements through the City of Troupville to save nearly \$8,275,000;
- Alternative 544-1 constructs only 1.45 miles of improvements within the City of Morven and saves about \$11,600,000;
- Alternative 545-1 improves only the intersections of SR 133 with SR 333 (Moultrie Highway) and SR 256 (Old Berlin Road) and potentially saves \$32,900,000; and
- Alternative 546-1 improves SR 133 through the City of Berlin and the eastern side of Moultrie to save almost \$23,500,000.

The current design calls for a four-lane, divided roadway with closely-spaced media openings. The design’s median spacing meets GDOT’s minimum criteria. However, consider eliminating non-essential media openings to improve safety and operational efficiencies as described in Alternatives 543-3/4/5, 544-3/4/5, 545-2/3/4, 546-2/3/4, and 28-2/3. These Alternatives identify specific locations and estimate a combined savings of about \$419,600.

While GDOT prefers to use concrete medians for maintenance purposes, a grassed median may be appropriate in some areas. The following alternatives propose using a grassed median to more aesthetically blend with the rural settings and to provide more porous surfaces for storm water absorption and dissipation: Alternatives 543-7, 545-8, 546-6, and 28-5. The combined potential initial savings of these alternatives totals over \$5,400,000. In addition, these alternatives also yielded collective life-cycle cost savings over a 35-year period of almost \$3,000,000.

This roadway is classified as a rural minor arterial and the proposed projects are not on a route designated in the GDOT Statewide Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan or a local bike plan. Therefore, the sidewalks on both sides of the facility—other than through city business districts—appear to be unwarranted. Alternatives 543-6, 546-5, and 28-4 recommend retaining the current shoulder profiles but eliminate the concrete walking surface of the sidewalks except as specifically noted. Initial savings for this material reduction is collectively about \$1,240,000. There is also potential life-cycle cost savings of almost \$698,000 for this approach.

To reduce the footprint of the facility within each segment, the VE team explored the possibility of using a 5-lane road section through the areas having a posted speed limit of 45 miles per hour (mph). These alternatives are nos. 543-9 (savings about \$1,650,000), 544-7 (savings close to \$900,000), 546-8 (savings rounded to \$82,000), and 28-7 (savings nearly \$955,000).

Alternative No. 545-7 reduces the median section from 44 feet to 32 feet to reduce the abutting wetlands impact. Not only would savings be achieved, but this approach would provide a smoother transition from the 55 mph zone to the 45 mph.

*Summary of Potential Cost Savings* tables follow this narrative and outline all of alternatives and design suggestions developed by the VE team. Some of the alternatives are mutually exclusive or interrelated so that addition of all project cost savings does not equal total savings for the project. A full listing of all of the ideas considered by the VE team can be found on the *Creative Idea Listing* worksheets in the Value Analysis and Conclusion Section of this report.





# SUMMARY OF POTENTIAL COST SAVINGS

PROJECT: <b>WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS</b> Georgia Department of Transportation, District 4 <i>Preliminary Design Stage</i>						
PRESENT WORTH OF COST SAVINGS						
ALT. NO.	DESCRIPTION	ORIGINAL COST	ALTERNATIVE COST	INITIAL COST SAVINGS	RECURRING COST SAVINGS	TOTAL PW LCC SAVINGS
<b>CONTRACT 545</b>						
545-1	Improve only two intersections: SR 133/SR 333 and SR 133/SR 256	\$34,571,635	\$1,673,452	\$32,898,183		\$32,898,183
545-2/3/4	Selectively eliminate median cuts, left turn lanes and bump outs	\$14,054,365	\$13,744,334	\$310,031		\$310,031
545-6	Use arch span structures in lieu of multi-cell box culverts	\$960,396	\$922,599	\$37,797		\$37,797
545-7	Use a 32-foot median section in lieu of 44-foot median section to minimize wetlands impact near Berlin	\$457,957	\$417,334	\$40,623		\$40,623
545-8	Use a grass median in lieu of a concrete median	\$1,016,196	\$14,584	\$1,001,612	\$555,519	\$1,557,131
<b>CONTRACT 546</b>						
546-1	Construct SR 133 through Berlin and the Eastern portion of Moultrie only	\$25,743,764	\$2,244,327	\$23,499,437		\$23,499,437
546-2/3/4	Selectively eliminate median cuts, left turn lanes and bump outs	\$12,876,629	\$12,908,930	(\$32,301)		(\$32,301)
546-5	Eliminate sidewalks (concrete only)	\$112,620	\$1,169	\$111,451	\$58,464	\$169,915
546-6	Use a grass median in lieu of a concrete median	\$2,895,156	\$18,670	\$2,876,486	\$1,626,963	\$4,503,449
546-8	Use a five-lane section through the City of Berlin and Eastern Moultrie	\$618,786	\$536,528	\$82,258		\$82,258
546-9	Use arch span structures in lieu of multi-cell box culverts	\$432,640	\$668,550	(\$235,910)		(\$235,910)
546-10	Signalize South Vanderberg Drive entrance to airport (Spence Field)	\$0	\$200,565	(\$200,565)		(\$200,565)
<b>CONTRACT 28</b>						
28-2/3	Selectively eliminate median cuts	\$909,600	\$912,026	(\$2,426)		(\$2,426)
28-4	Eliminate sidewalks (concrete only)	\$714,339	\$7,728	\$706,611	407,524	\$1,114,135
28-5	Use a grass median in lieu of a concrete median	\$909,600	\$12,195	\$897,405	\$513,518	\$1,410,923
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28-8	Provide new intersection at Quail Run and Sanderson Farms chicken plant and eliminate old Moultrie-Adel Road/SR 133 intersection	\$0	\$464,032	(\$464,032)		(\$464,032)

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## **STUDY RESULTS**

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### **INTRODUCTION**

The results of a VE study represent the benefits that can be realized on the project by the owner, users and designer. The results will directly affect the project design and will require coordination among the designer, the user and the owner to determine the ultimate acceptance of each alternative.

The creative ideas are organized according to the order in which they were originally generated by the VE team during their function analysis creative sessions.

### **RESULTS OF THE STUDY**

The VE team generated numerous ideas for change during the Function Analysis and Creative phases of the VE Job Plan. The evaluation of these ideas was based upon their potential for capital cost savings, probability of acceptance, availability of information to properly develop an idea, compliance with perceived quality, adherence to universally accepted standards and procedures, life cycle cost efficiency, safety, maintainability, constructibility and soundness of the idea.

Of the ideas generated, continued research and development of these ideas yielded 27 alternatives for change with an impact on project costs and two design suggestions that will enhance the value of the project in terms of long term maintenance and improved constructability. All of these alternatives and design suggestions are presented in detail following this narrative.

### **EVALUATION OF ALTERNATIVES**

Once the aforementioned ideas are developed, it is important to consider each part of an individual alternative on its own merit. There is a tendency to disregard an alternative because of concern about one portion of it. Separate consideration should be given to each of the areas within an alternative that are acceptable and those parts should be considered in the final design, even if the entire alternative is not implemented.

Cost is the primary basis of comparison for alternative designs. To ensure that costs are comparable within the alternatives proposed by the VE team, the designer's cost estimates, where possible, is to be used as the pricing basis. Where appropriate, the impact of energy costs, replacement costs, and effect on operations and maintenance should be shown within each alternative.

Some of the alternatives are interrelated, so acceptance of one may preclude the acceptance of another. The reader should evaluate those alternatives carefully to select the ideas with the greatest beneficial impact to the project.



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# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **543-1**

DESCRIPTION: **CONSTRUCT ONLY THE FIRST 3.70 MILES OF SR 133 THROUGH TROUPVILLE**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 3**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:**

The current design calls for four-lane widening and reconstruction of State Route (SR) 133 from Troupville Road to Pauline Church Road in Brooks County with intermittent turning lanes, curb and gutters, and sidewalks. The total length of this project is 33,785 feet or about 6.4 miles.

**ALTERNATIVE:**

Provide the new widening and reconstruction of SR 133 from Troupville Road to Fellowship Lane for a total length of 19,600 feet or about 3.7 miles. Perform no other improvements from this point northwest along SR 133.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Substantially reduces construction cost
- Reduces construction period
- Improves sustainable design

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- LOS remains the same beyond improved area
- Challenges the Governor's Road Improvement Program (GRIP) criteria

**DISCUSSION:**

Demographically, traffic is not expected to increase significantly, negating the need for a four-lane highway throughout the project limits; especially in the sparsely populated rural areas. In fact, SR 133 is classified as a rural minor arterial facility.

This alternative does alleviate the safety and level of service concerns in Troupville as traffic exists or enters U.S. Intestate 75 (I-75) about 1/3 of a mile southeast of town. The addition of curb and gutters and sidewalks will promote pedestrian circulation though town thereby generating interest for potential commercial improvements and further development.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 22,141,169	—	\$ 22,141,169
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 13,868,544	—	\$ 13,868,544
SAVINGS	\$ 8,272,625	—	\$ 8,272,625

# CALCULATIONS



PROJECT: STP-0000-00(543)/(544)/(545)/(546) and STP-032-2(28), PI Nos. 0000543 / 544 / 545 / 546 and 431780, WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS  
Brooks and Colquitt Counties, Georgia Dept. of Transportation, District 4  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.:

543-1

DESCRIPTION:

SHEET NO.: 2 of 3

As suggested, 3.7 miles out of 6.4 miles should be developed into 4-line highway with curb & gutter and sidewalks along with a majority of drainage work.

Percentage of roadway cost :  $\frac{3.7}{6.4} \times 100 = 57.81\%$

% of Drainage : Eighty percent of cost : 80%

% of Earthwork : 57.81%

% of Lumpsum Items (curb, gutter, sidewalk etc.) : 90%

Temporary & Permanent Erosion Control : 7.0%  
striping : 57.81%

Miscellaneous : 57.81%

R/W Acquisition : 57.81%

Reimbursable Utilities : 57.81%

# COST WORKSHEET



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO:  
**543-1**

DESCRIPTION

SHEET NO.: 3 of 3

CONSTRUCTION ITEM		ORIGINAL ESTIMATE			PROPOSED ESTIMATE		
ITEM	UNITS	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL
Permanent Roadway	Mile	6.40	1,300,000	8,320,000			
Permanent Roadway (57.81%)	Mile				3.70	1,300,000	4,809,792
Drainage	Mile	6.40	300,000	1,920,000			
Drainage (80.00%)	Mile				5.12	300,000	1,536,000
Earthwork	Mile	6.40	284,242	1,819,149			
Earthwork (57.81%)	Mile				3.70	284,242	1,051,650
Lump Sum Items	Mile	6.40	128,543	822,675			
Lump Sum Items (90%)	Mile				5.76	128,543	740,408
Temporary Erosion Control	Mile	6.40	103,065	659,616			
Temporary Erosion Control (70%)	Mile				4.48	103,065	461,731
Permanent Erosion Control	Mile	6.40	35,914	229,850			
Permanent Erosion Control (70%)	Mile				4.48	35,914	160,895
Striping	Mile	6.40	21,680	138,752			
Striping (57.81%)	Mile				3.70	21,680	80,213
Miscellaneous	Mile	6.40	14,847	95,021			
Miscellaneous (57.81%)	Mile				3.70	14,847	54,932
Subtotal				14,005,062			8,895,620
Composite Markup at 33.71%				4,721,107			2,998,713
Total Construction				18,726,169			11,894,333
Right of Way Costs (M/U Incl.)		6.40	322,266	2,062,500	3.70	322,266	1,192,331
Reimbursable Utilities		6.40	211,328	1,352,500	3.70	211,328	781,880
<b>Sub-total</b>				22,141,169			13,868,544
<b>Mark-up at</b>				INCL.			INCL.
<b>TOTAL</b>				22,141,169			13,868,544

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **543-3/4/5**

DESCRIPTION: **SELECTIVELY ELIMINATE MEDIAN CUTS, LEFT TURN LANES AND U-TURN BUMP OUTS**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 6**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a four-lane divided roadway with closely-spaced media openings.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Consider eliminating non-essential media openings to improve safety and operational efficiencies at the following locations:

STATION (STA) 818+00;  
STA 797+00; and  
STA 712+00 (not shown on the plans).

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces initial cost
- Reduces the number of conflict points
- Improves safety
- Improves traffic operations

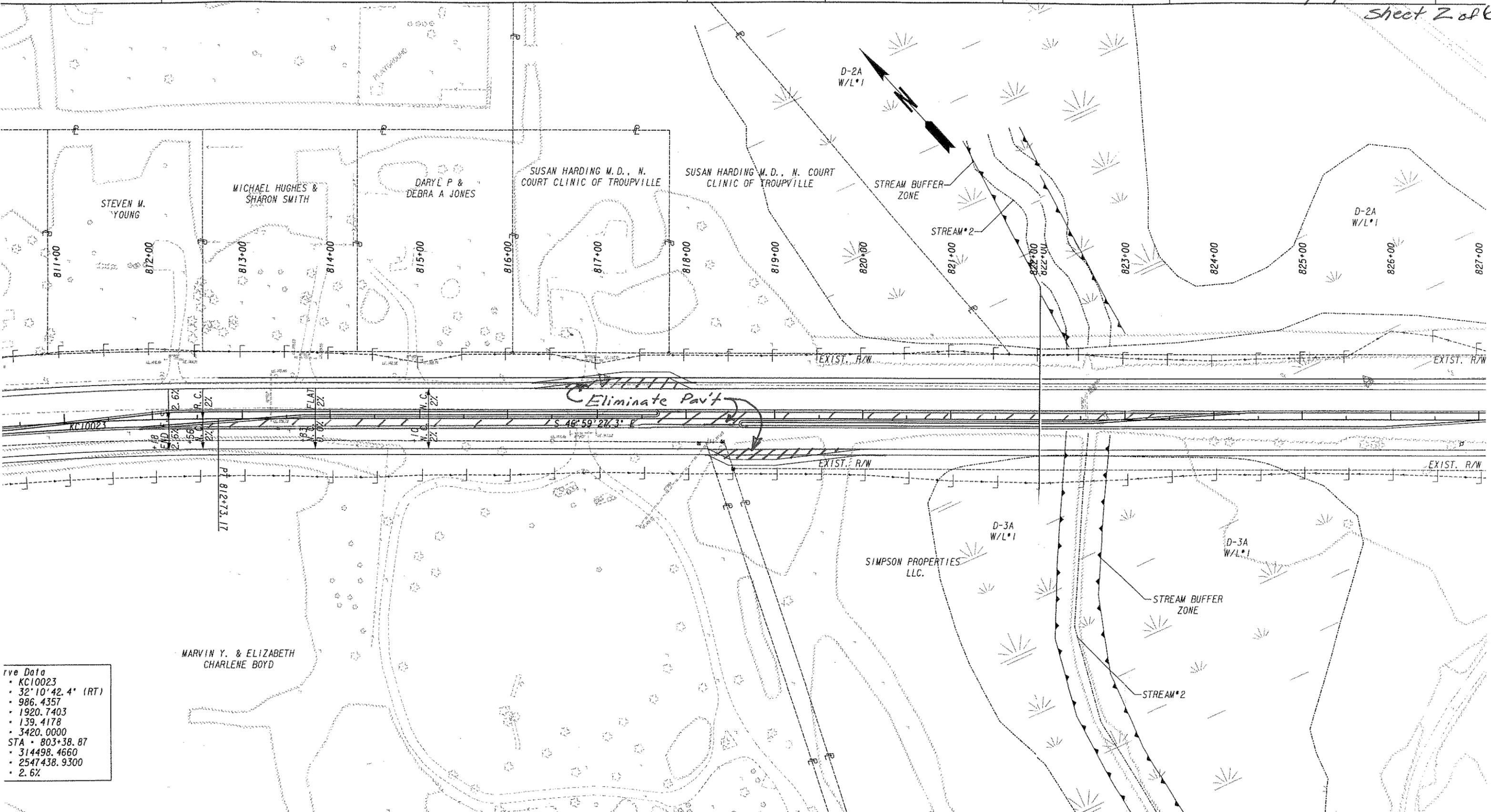
**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases circuitous routing for local residents
- Most likely will increase the occurrence of illegal crossovers
- Could increase public opposition

**DISCUSSION:**

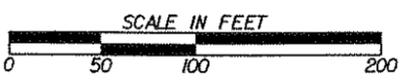
While this approach will inconvenience local residents somewhat, it does not preclude crossovers at more appropriate locations—increasing safety along this stretch of SR 133. In addition, operational efficiencies are achieved with less median openings allowing for a more continuous flow of traffic; especially during peak travel times.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 10,504,702	—	\$ 10,504,702
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 10,408,223	—	\$ 10,408,223
SAVINGS	\$ 96,479	—	\$ 96,479



Curve Data  
 • KC10023  
 • 32' 10" 42.4' (RT)  
 • 986.4357  
 • 1920.7403  
 • 139.4178  
 • 3420.0000  
 STA • 803+38.87  
 • 314498.4660  
 • 2547438.9300  
 • 2.6%

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REVISION DATES	

STATE OF GEORGIA  
 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
 OFFICE: **MAINLINE PLAN**  
 SR 133 WIDENING  
 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD (CR276)  
 TO PAULINE CHURCH ROAD (CR 10)  
 682-554 7/30/06

PROPERTY AND EXISTING R/W LINE --- P ---  
 REQUIRED R/W LINE --- ---  
 CONSTRUCTION LIMITS --- C --- F ---  
 PREPARATION FOR CONSTRUCTION  
 & MAINTENANCE OF SLOPES  
 PREPARATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SLOPES  
 PREPARATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OF DRIVES



Curve Data  
 N - KC10271  
 Δ - 14°31'44.0" (LT)  
 T - 43.3406  
 L - 86.2162  
 E - 2.7512  
 R - 340.0000  
 PI STA - 270+80.80  
 Y - 2547654.9979  
 X - 314307.8633  
 SE - NC

Curve Data  
 N - KC10023  
 Δ - 32°10'42.4" (RT)  
 T - 986.4357  
 L - 1920.7403  
 E - 139.4178  
 R - 3420.0000  
 PI STA - 803+38.87  
 Y - 314498.4660  
 X - 2547438.9300  
 SE - 2.6%

Curve Data  
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 Δ - 32°10'42.4" (RT)  
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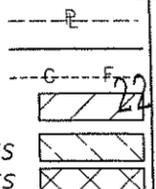
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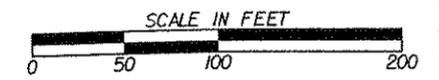
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 SR 133 WIDENING  
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 TO PAULINE CHURCH ROAD OPES  
 682-554



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ALTERNATIVE NO.:

543-3/4/5

DESCRIPTION:

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Close Median Opening @ Sta 818+00  
 Deleted Pavement

$$\text{Area} = \frac{(0+12')}{2}(180'+100') + (390'+300')(12') + (90')(20')$$

$$= (1760 \text{ ft}^2) = (1307 \text{ yd}^2)$$

Added Concrete Median

(Same as Deleted Pavement) = 1307 yd<sup>2</sup>

Bump outs Deleted Pav't = 180'x8'x2 ÷ 9 = (320 yd<sup>2</sup>)

Close Median Opening @ Sta. 797+00  
 Deleted Pavement (Median Opening)

$$\text{Area} = (6')(180'+100') + (400'+300')(12') + (90')(20') = (11880 \text{ ft}^2)$$

$$= (1320 \text{ yd}^2)$$

Delete Pavement (Bump Out)

Area = 320 yd<sup>2</sup> (See Above)

Added Concrete Median = 1320 yd<sup>2</sup> (same as Pav't)

Total Delete Pavement = (320 yd<sup>2</sup>)

Total Added Concrete Median = 2627 yd<sup>2</sup>

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ALTERNATIVE NO.:

543 - 3/4/5

DESCRIPTION:

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Calculate Pavement Quantities

$$\text{Aggregate Base} = (3267 \text{ yd}^2) \times (1350 \text{ \#/yd}^2) \div 2000 \text{ \#/ton} \\ = (2205 \text{ tons})$$

$$\text{Surface Course} = (3267 \text{ yd}^2) \times (165 \text{ \#/yd}^2) \div 2000 \text{ \#/ton} \\ = (270 \text{ tons})$$

$$\text{Binder Course} = (3267 \text{ yd}^2) (220 \text{ \#/yd}^2) \div 2000 \text{ \#/ton} \\ = (359 \text{ tons})$$

$$\text{Base Course} = (3267 \text{ yd}^2) (660 \text{ \#/yd}^2) \div 2000 \text{ \#/ton} \\ = (1078 \text{ tons})$$

$$\text{Tack Coat} = (3267 \text{ yd}^2) (4 \text{ gal/yd}^2) = (130 \text{ gal})$$



# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **543-6**

DESCRIPTION: **ELIMINATE SIDEWALKS (CONCRETE ONLY)**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 5**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a typical 16-foot shoulder section consisting of a 2.50-foot curb and gutter portion, a 6-foot grass strip, a 5-foot wide x 4-inch thick concrete sidewalk, and 2.50-foot grass strip.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Maintain the proposed profile and the 16-foot shoulder section but eliminate the concrete sidewalk, leaving grass.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces material cost
- Provides for additional storm water run-off absorption
- Reduces concrete maintenance

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases grass maintenance/replacement
- No hard walking surface

**DISCUSSION:**

The sidewalks are currently located at disconnected residential areas with no commercial property destinations. Further, the road is functionally classified as a rural minor arterial and the project is not on a route designated in the GDOT Statewide Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan or a local bike plan.

However, retaining the proposed profile will facilitate installation of concrete sidewalks if the need arises in the future.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 435,226	\$ 250,609	\$ 685,835
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 4,696	\$ 9,893	\$ 14,589
SAVINGS	\$ 430,530	\$ 240,716	\$ 671,246



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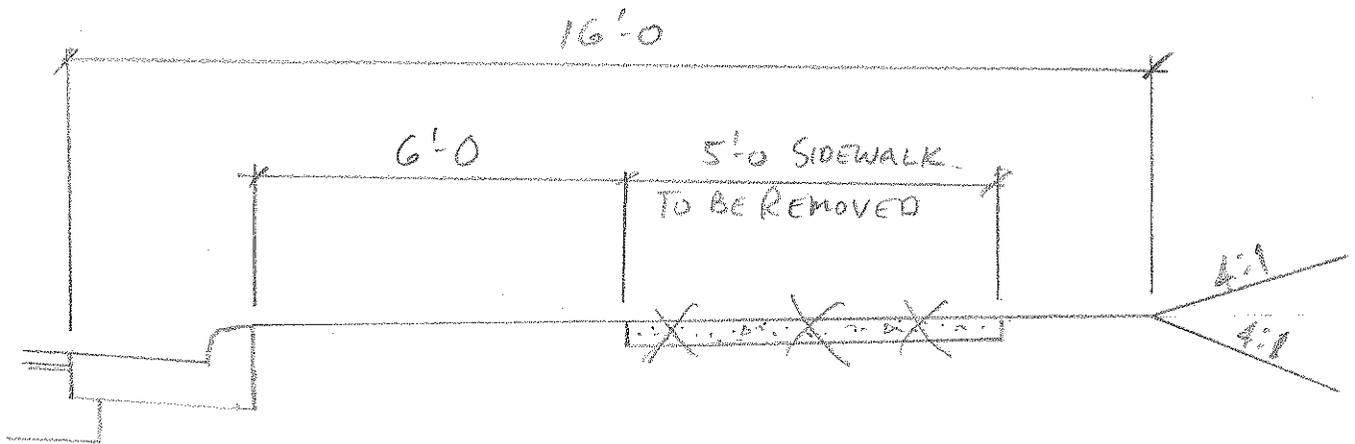
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TYPICAL SIDEWALK PROFILE

# CALCULATIONS



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ALTERNATIVE NO.:

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DESCRIPTION: ELIMINATE SIDEWALKS (CONCRETE ONLY)

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◦ ORIGINAL COST ESTIMATE QUANTITY OF SIDEWALK = 10,500 SY

◦ ADD'L FILL  $\Rightarrow 10,500 SY \times \left(\frac{4}{12}\right) \left(\frac{1}{27}\right) = \underline{129.6 CY}$

◦ ADD'L MAINTENANCE AREA  $\Rightarrow 10,500 SY \div 4840 SY/ACRE = \underline{2.17 ACRE}$

◦ ADD'L GRASS + FERTILIZER + LIME  $\Rightarrow$  (ORIGINAL GRASS QUANT. = 81 ACRE)

GRASS = 800 \$/ACRE

LIME = 21 \$/GAL  $\left(\frac{202G}{81A}\right) = 52.37 \$/A$

60 \$/T  $\left(\frac{162T}{81A}\right) = 120.00 \$/A$

FERTIL. = 275 \$/T  $\left(\frac{73T}{81A}\right) = 247.84 \$/A$

2 \$/#  $\left(\frac{4048\#}{81A}\right) = 99.95 \$/A$

◦ ADD'L MAINTENANCE  $\Rightarrow 1,320 \$/ACRE \times 2.17 ACRE = \underline{\$2,865}$

MOWING COST PROVIDED BY GDOT: MOWING-TIFTON  $\Rightarrow$  \$1,047 PER MILE PER YEAR.

TYPICAL SECTION  $\Rightarrow 24' + 40' + 24' = 88'$

AREA  $\Rightarrow 5260 FT^2/M \times 88' \div 43,560 SF/ACRE = 10.63 ACRE/MILE$

UNIT COST  $\Rightarrow \frac{\$1,047}{10.63} = \boxed{\$98.53 \text{ PER ACRE PER YEAR}}$

$\times 2.17 ACRE$

$\boxed{\$213.91 \$/YR}$



# LIFE CYCLE COST WORKSHEET



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<b>LIFE CYCLE PERIOD:</b> 35 years				<b>ORIGINAL</b>	<b>PROPOSED</b>		
<b>INTEREST RATE:</b> 2.15%		<b>ESCALATION RATE:</b> 0.00%					
<b>A. INITIAL COST</b>				435,226	4,696		
<b>Useful Life (Years)</b>							
<b>INITIAL COST SAVINGS</b>					430,530		
<b>B. RECURRENT COSTS (Annual Expenditures)</b>							
1. Maintenance: For concrete sidewalks - assume 1/2% of initial cost for minor repairs				2,176			
2. Maintenance: Addition mowing for grass median - see calculation sheet					214		
3.							
<b>Total Annual Costs</b>				2,176	214		
<i>(An effective rate of 2.15% with 0.00% Interest and 0.00% Escal.)</i>							
<b>Present Worth Factor</b>				24.4205	24.4205		
<b>Present Worth of RECURRENT COSTS</b>				53,142	5,221		
<b>C. SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>							
	<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>PW factor</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>		
ORIG	PROP	< Put "x" in appropriate box (original design or proposed design)					
x		1. Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	12	143,625	0.7747	111,267	-
x		2. Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	24	143,625	0.6002	86,200	-
	x	3. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	10	2,348	0.8084	-	1,898
	x	4. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	20	2,348	0.6535	-	1,534
	x	5. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	30	2,348	0.5283	-	1,240
		6.			1.0000	-	-
		7.			1.0000	-	-
<b>D. SALVAGE VALUE</b>							
		1.			1.0000	-	-
		2.			1.0000	-	-
<b>Present Worth of SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>				197,467	4,672		
<b>E. Total Recurrent Costs &amp; Single Expenditures (B + C)</b>				250,609	9,893		
<b>RECURRENT COSTS &amp; SINGLE EXPENDITURES SAVINGS</b>					240,716		
<b>TOTAL PRESENT WORTH COST (A + D)</b>				685,835	14,589		
<b>TOTAL LIFE CYCLE SAVINGS</b>					<b>671,246</b>		

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **543-7**

DESCRIPTION: **USE A GRASS MEDIAN IN LIEU OF A CONCRETE MEDIAN**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 5**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a typical 20-foot concrete median section consisting of a 2.50-foot curb and gutter, a 14-foot concrete median, and 2.50-foot curb and gutter.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Maintain the proposed profile and the 20-foot median section but replace the concrete median with a grass median.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces material cost
- Provides for additional storm water run-off absorption
- Reduces concrete maintenance

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases grass maintenance/replacement

**DISCUSSION:**

The introduction of the grass median is more in keeping with the aesthetic concept of a rural minor arterial roadway and with locations having historic significance to maintain the view sheds.

Grass medians would maintain a true “typical” median section throughout the project in the rural/open portions of the project.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 691,348	\$ 398,088	\$ 1,089,436
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 9,243	\$ 19,471	\$ 28,714
SAVINGS	\$ 682,105	\$ 378,617	\$ 1,060,722



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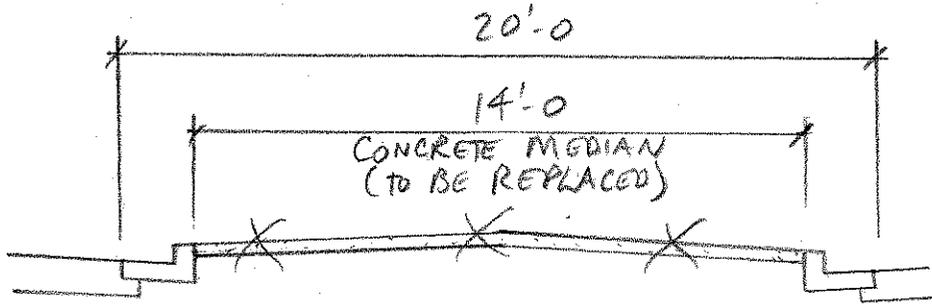
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TYPICAL MEDIAN SECTION

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DESCRIPTION: USE GRASS MEDIAN IN LIEU OF CONCRETE

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- ORIGINAL COST ESTIMATE QUANTITY OF MEDIAN = 20,682 SY
- ADD'L FILL  $\Rightarrow 20,682 \text{ SY} \times \left(\frac{4''}{12}\right) \left(\frac{1}{27}\right) = \underline{255.3 \text{ CY}}$
- ADD'L MAINTENANCE AREA  $\Rightarrow 20,682 \text{ SY} \div 4840 \text{ SY/ACRE} = \underline{4.27 \text{ ACRE}}$
- ADD'L GRASS + FERTILIZER  $\Rightarrow$  (ORIGINAL GRASS QUANTITY = 81 ACRES)

- GRASS =	300 \$/A	
- LIME =	21 \$/GAL	(202 G/81 A) = 52.37 \$/A
	60 \$/T	(162 T/81 A) = 120.0
- FERTIL. =	275 \$/T	(73 T/81 A) = 247.84
	2 \$/#	(4043 #/81 A) = 49.95
		<u>1,320 \$/ACRE</u>

## • ADD'L MAINTENANCE

MOWING COST PROVIDED BY GDOT: MOWING-TIFTON  $\Rightarrow$  \$1,047 PER MILE PER YEAR.

TYPICAL SECTION  $\Rightarrow 24' + 40' + 24' = 88'$

AREA  $\Rightarrow 5260 \text{ FT}^2/\text{M} \times 88' \div 43,560 \text{ SF/ACRE} = 10.63 \text{ ACRE/MILE}$

UNIT COST  $\Rightarrow \frac{\$1,047}{10.63}$

**\$ 98.53 PER ACRE PER YEAR**

$\times 4.27 \text{ ACRE}$

**\$ 420.72 PER YR**



# LIFE CYCLE COST WORKSHEET



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<b>LIFE CYCLE PERIOD:</b> 35 years				<b>ORIGINAL</b>	<b>PROPOSED</b>		
<b>INTEREST RATE:</b> 2.15%		<b>ESCALATION RATE:</b> 0.00%					
<b>A. INITIAL COST</b>				691,348	9,243		
<b>Useful Life (Years)</b>							
<b>INITIAL COST SAVINGS</b>					682,105		
<b>B. RECURRENT COSTS (Annual Expenditures)</b>							
1. Maintenance: For concrete sidewalks - assume 1/2% of initial cost for minor repairs				3,457			
2. Maintenance: Addition mowing for grass median - see calculation sheet					421		
3.							
<b>Total Annual Costs</b>				3,457	421		
<i>(An effective rate of 2.15% with 0.00% Interest and 0.00% Escal.)</i>							
<b>Present Worth Factor</b>				24.4205	24.4205		
<b>Present Worth of RECURRENT COSTS</b>				84,415	10,274		
<b>C. SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>							
	<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>PW factor</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>		
ORIG	PROP	< Put "x" in appropriate box (original design or proposed design)					
x		1. Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	12	228,145	0.7747	176,746	-
x		2. Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	24	228,145	0.6002	136,927	-
	x	3. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	10	4,622	0.8084	-	3,736
	x	4. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	20	4,622	0.6535	-	3,020
	x	5. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	30	4,622	0.5283	-	2,441
		6.			1.0000	-	-
		7.			1.0000	-	-
<b>D. SALVAGE VALUE</b>							
		1.			1.0000	-	-
		2.			1.0000	-	-
<b>Present Worth of SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>				313,673	9,197		
<b>E. Total Recurrent Costs &amp; Single Expenditures (B + C)</b>				398,088	19,471		
<b>RECURRENT COSTS &amp; SINGLE EXPENDITURES SAVINGS</b>					378,617		
<b>TOTAL PRESENT WORTH COST (A + D)</b>				1,089,436	28,714		
<b>TOTAL LIFE CYCLE SAVINGS</b>					<b>1,060,722</b>		

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **543-8**

DESCRIPTION: **MINIMIZE THE EXTENT OF SIDE ROAD IMPROVEMENTS**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 1**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:**

The furnished design drawings seem to indicate that the side roads are to undergo improvements: widening, reconstruction, and assumed tapering to meet existing conditions. However, the drawings stop short of the termini of side road improvements.

**ALTERNATIVE:**

Shorten the extension of side road improvements to approximately 100 feet beyond intersection improvements and/or limits of geometry improvements.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Could reduce initial cost
- Could shorten construction period
- Reduces material costs

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Loss of immediate improvement

**DISCUSSION:**

The drawings are at the early stage of preliminary design, but the improvements to the side roads are inconclusive in some locations—either incomplete or extend beyond the drawing. These areas should be clarified as the design progresses: West Drive, Noble Oaks Drive, and Justin Road.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN			
ALTERNATIVE	<b>DESIGN SUGGESTION</b>		
SAVINGS			

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **543-9**

DESCRIPTION: **USE A FIVE-LANE SECTION THROUGH TROUPVILLE FROM AUGUSTA DRIVE TO FELLOWSHIP HOME LANE**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 6**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The original design includes a 20-foot raised median through the town of Troupville. Speed is to be posted at 45 miles per hour (mph).

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Using the 45 mph speed limit criterion, use a five-lane flush section through Troupville.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Decreases cost
- Speeds construction
- Decreases right of way costs
- Allows unrestricted left turns through Troupville
- Improves business access throughout Troupville

**DISADVANTAGES:**

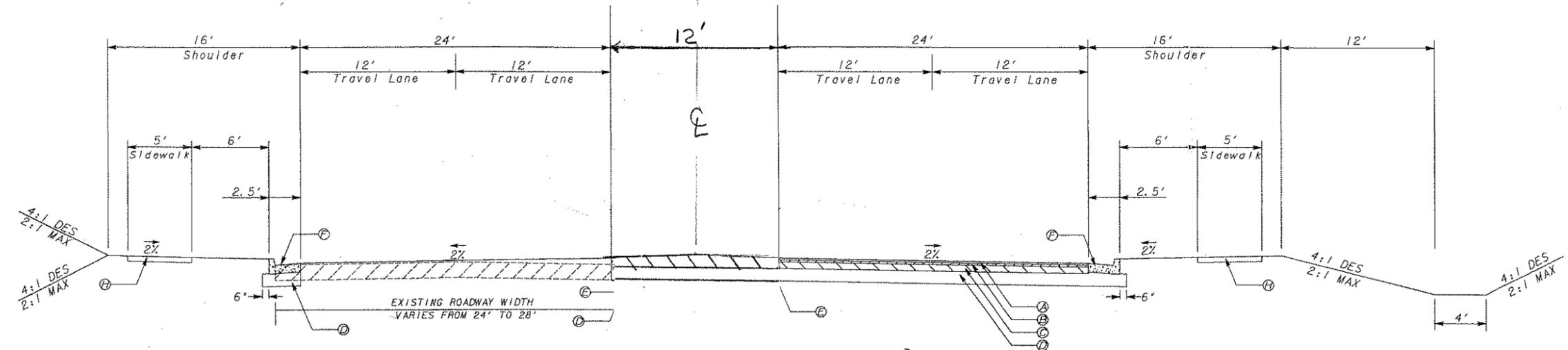
- Slightly decreases safety, but still within GDOT standards
- Eliminates control of left turns

**DISCUSSION:**

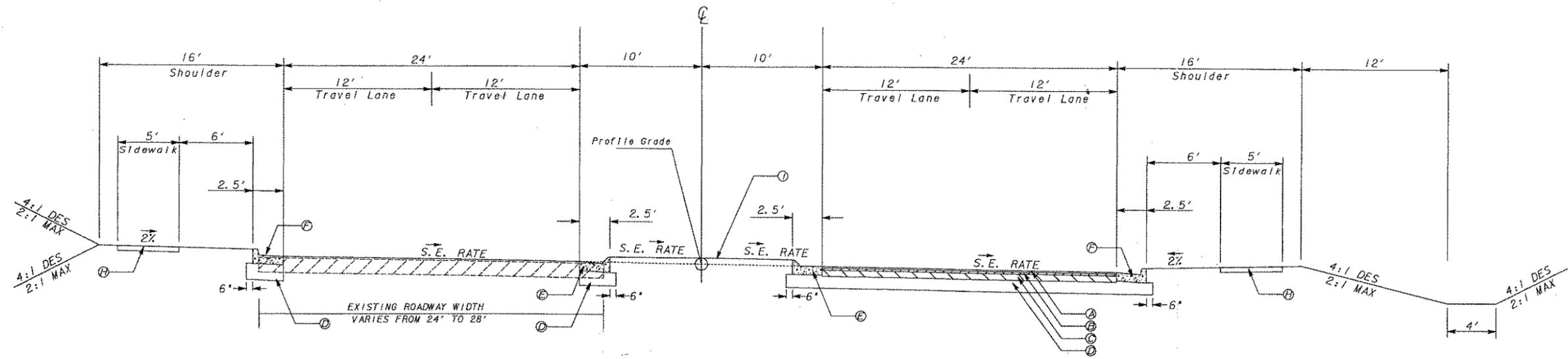
GDOT standards allow a five-lane section within a 45 mph speed limit zone; however, this does reduce safety somewhat.

The original design includes a four-lane divided section but has numerous median openings to allow for left turns. Using the five-lane section allows for unrestricted left turns—this may further please the businesses along this route as it improves access.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 3,595,323	—	\$ 3,595,323
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 1,942,617	—	\$ 1,942,617
SAVINGS	\$ 1,652,706	—	\$ 1,652,706



Proposed Alternate  
5 Lane Section (Flush)



Original Section  
Raised Median

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DESCRIPTION:

Total length under consideration (Augusta Road to Fellowship <sup>Home Lane</sup>)  
is:

$$\text{Sta } 778+29 - 656+40 = 12,189 \text{ ft} = 2.3 \text{ mi}$$

Items:

- Concrete Median - Eliminate
- Curb & Gutter - Eliminate (In Median)
- AC Pavement - Add 12'
- GAB - Add
- Stripe, Dbl Yellow - Add
- Right of Way - Decrease

Quantities:

Concrete Median

- ① Augusta Dr to Justin Rd  

$$[2(5.5 \text{ ft} \cdot 300 \text{ ft}) + 50 \text{ ft} \cdot 100 \text{ ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 922 \text{ SY}$$
- ② Justin Rd to Ridgeland Dr.  

$$[2(400 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}) + 130 \text{ ft} \cdot 180 \text{ ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 3089 \text{ SY}$$
- ③ Ridgeland Dr. to Cedar Hill Drive  

$$[2(260 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}) + 40 \text{ ft} \cdot 100 \text{ ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 762 \text{ SY}$$
- ④ Cedar Hill Drive to Old Home Place  

$$[2(300 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}) + 100 \text{ ft} \cdot 320 \text{ ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 3922 \text{ SY}$$
- ⑤ Old Home Place to Noble Oaks Dr.  

$$[2(300 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}) + 100 \text{ ft} \cdot 270 \text{ ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 3,367 \text{ SY}$$
- ⑥ Noble Oaks Dr. to Brookview Dr.  

$$[2(250 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}) + 100 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 3,300 \text{ SY}$$
- ⑦ Brookview Dr to West Dr.  

$$[2(400 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}) + 780 \text{ ft} \cdot 180 \text{ ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 16,089 \text{ SY}$$
- ⑧ West Dr to Pinebrook Dr.  

$$600 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft} \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 367 \text{ SY}$$
- ⑨ Pinebrook Dr. to Sta. 683+00  

$$[2(400 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}) + 190 \text{ ft} \cdot 600 \text{ ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 13,156 \text{ SY}$$

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ALTERNATIVE NO.:

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DESCRIPTION:

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Quantities (Continued)

⑩ Concrete Median (Continued)

Sta 683+00 to Cates Rd

$$[2(400\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft}) + 190\text{ft} \cdot 200\text{ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9\text{ft}^2} = 4711 \text{ SY}$$

⑪ Cates Rd to Fellowship Home Lane

$$[2(400\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft}) + 180\text{ft} \cdot 250\text{ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9\text{ft}^2} = 5489 \text{ SY}$$

Total Concrete Median Eliminated =

61,263 SY

Curb & Gutter

①  $300\text{ft} \cdot 4 + 2 \cdot 50\text{ft} + 2 \cdot 100\text{ft} = 1500 \text{ LF}$

②  $400\text{ft} \cdot 4 + 2 \cdot (130\text{ft} + 180\text{ft}) = 2220 \text{ LF}$

③  $260\text{ft} \cdot 4 + 2 \cdot (40\text{ft} + 100\text{ft}) = 1320 \text{ LF}$

④  $300\text{ft} \cdot 4 + 2(100\text{ft} + 320\text{ft}) = 2040 \text{ LF}$

⑤  $500\text{ft} \cdot 4 + 2(100\text{ft} + 270\text{ft}) = 1940 \text{ LF}$

⑥  $250\text{ft} \cdot 4 + 2(100\text{ft} + 5.5\text{ft}) = 1211 \text{ LF}$

⑦  $400\text{ft} \cdot 4 + 2(780\text{ft} + 180\text{ft}) = 3520 \text{ LF}$

⑧  $600\text{ft} \cdot 2 = 1200 \text{ LF}$

⑨  $400\text{ft} \cdot 4 + 2(190\text{ft} + 600\text{ft}) = 3180 \text{ LF}$

⑩  $400\text{ft} \cdot 4 + 2(190\text{ft} + 200\text{ft}) = 2380 \text{ LF}$

⑪  $400\text{ft} \cdot 4 + 2(180\text{ft} + 250\text{ft}) = 2460 \text{ LF}$

Total Curb & Gutter Eliminated

= 22,971 LF

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DESCRIPTION:

Quantities (Continued)

AC Pavement (Added)  
 1045 lb/sy

$$12 \text{ ft} \cdot 12,189 \text{ ft} \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 16,252 \text{ SY}$$

$$1045 \text{ lb/sy} \cdot 16,252 \text{ SY} \cdot \frac{\text{TN}}{2000 \text{ lb}} = \underline{8,492 \text{ TN}}$$

GAB (Added)  
 1350 lb/sy

$$1350 \text{ lb/sy} \cdot 16,252 \text{ SY} \cdot \frac{\text{TN}}{2000 \text{ lb}} = \underline{10,970 \text{ TN}}$$

Stripe (Added)

$$4 \cdot 12,189 \text{ ft} = 48,756 \text{ LF}$$

Right of Way

Original

$$112 \text{ ft} \cdot 12,189 \text{ ft} \cdot \frac{\text{Acre}}{43,560 \text{ ft}^2} = 31.3 \text{ Acre}$$

Alternate

$$(112 \text{ ft} - 8 \text{ ft}) \cdot 12,189 \text{ ft} \cdot \frac{\text{Acre}}{43,560 \text{ ft}^2} = 29.1 \text{ Acre}$$

Ø Takes Eliminated

# COST WORKSHEET



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ALTERNATIVE NO:  
**543-9**

DESCRIPTION

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CONSTRUCTION ITEM		ORIGINAL ESTIMATE			PROPOSED ESTIMATE		
ITEM	UNITS	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL
4" Concrete Median	SY	61,263	25	1,531,575			
Curb and Gutter	LF	22,971	15	344,565			
AC Pavement	TN				8,492	60	509,520
GAB	TN				10,970	16	175,520
Striping (Yellow)	LF				48756.00	0.25	12,189
Construction Subtotal				1,876,140			697,229
Composite Markup at 33.71%				632,447			235,036
Construction Total				2,508,587			932,265
Right of Way	AC	31.30	10,000	313,000	29.10	10,000	291,000
Composite Markup at 247.20%				773,736			719,352
ROW Total				1,086,736			1,010,352
	<b>Sub-total</b>			3,595,323			1,942,617
	<b>Mark-up at</b>			INCL.			INCL.
	<b>TOTAL</b>			3,595,323			1,942,617

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
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ALTERNATIVE NO.: **544-1**

DESCRIPTION: **CONSTRUCT ONLY 1.45 MILES OF SR 133 FROM LAWSON POND ROAD TO OLD QUITMAN ROAD THROUGH MORVEN**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 3**

## ORIGINAL DESIGN:

The current design calls for the four-lane widening and reconstruction of State Route (SR) 133 from Pauline Church Road in Troupville Road to Old Quitman Road in Brooks County with intermittent turning lanes, curb and gutters and sidewalks. The total length of this project is about 5.45 miles.

## ALTERNATIVE:

Widen and reconstruct SR 133 from Lawson Pond Road at Station (STA) 248+55 to old Quitman Road at STA 171+88 for a distance of about 1.45 miles. Perform no other improvements northwest or southeast of this segment on SR 133.

## ADVANTAGES:

- Substantially reduces construction cost
- Reduces construction period
- Improves sustainable design

## DISADVANTAGES:

- LOS remains the same beyond improved area
- Loss of immediate improvement
- Challenges the Governor's Road Improvement Program (GRIP) criteria

## DISCUSSION:

Demographically, traffic is not expected to increase greatly in this area, especially in the sparsely-populated rural areas. In fact, SR 133 is classified as a rural minor arterial facility.

This alternative meets the original intent through Morven and alleviates safety and level of service concerns. The addition of curb and gutters and sidewalks will promote pedestrian circulation through town, generating interest for potential commercial improvements and further development.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 18,228,150	—	\$ 18,228,150
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 6,676,665	—	\$ 6,676,665
SAVINGS	\$ 11,551,485	—	\$ 11,551,485

# CALCULATIONS



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As suggested, 1.45 miles out of 5.45 miles should be developed into 4-lane highway with curb & gutters and sidewalks along with a majority of drainage work.

Percentage of roadway :  $\frac{1.45}{5.45} \times 100 = 26.62\%$   
of total roadway cost

Drainage : 80 % of cost

Earthwork : 26.62 %

Dump Bump Items (curb, gutters & sidewalk etc.) : 90 %

Temp. & Permanent Erosion Control : 70 %

Striping : 26.62 %

Miscellaneous : 26.62 %

R/w Acquisition : 26.62 %

Reimbursable Utilities : 26.62 %

Guardrail & Box Culverts aren't expected in the proposed 1.45 mile construction of SR 133

# COST WORKSHEET



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DESCRIPTION	SHEET NO.: 3 of 3
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CONSTRUCTION ITEM		ORIGINAL ESTIMATE			PROPOSED ESTIMATE		
ITEM	UNITS	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL
Permanent Roadway	Mile	5.45	1,293,170	7,047,777			
Permanent Roadway (57.81%)	Mile				1.45	1,293,170	1,875,097
Drainage	Mile	5.45	253,982	1,384,202			
Drainage (80.00%)	Mile				4.36	253,982	1,107,362
Earthwork	Mile	5.45	219,083	1,194,002			
Earthwork (57.81%)	Mile				1.45	219,083	317,670
Lump Sum Items	Mile	5.45	115,197	627,824			
Lump Sum Items (90%)	Mile				4.90	115,197	564,465
Temporary Erosion Control	Mile	5.45	145,698	794,054			
Temporary Erosion Control (70%)	Mile				3.81	145,698	555,109
Permanent Erosion Control	Mile	5.45	43,652	237,903			
Permanent Erosion Control (70%)	Mile				3.81	43,652	166,314
Striping	Mile	5.45	27,444	149,570			
Striping (57.81%)	Mile				1.45	27,444	39,794
Miscellaneous	Mile	5.45	2,722	14,835			
Miscellaneous (57.81%)	Mile				1.45	2,722	3,947
Guardrail (0.00%)	Mile	5.45	23,596	128,598			
Box Culvert (0.00%)	LS	1.00		687,072			
Subtotal				12,265,837			4,629,758
Composite Markup at 33.71%				4,134,814			1,560,691
Total Construction				16,400,650			6,190,449
Right of Way Costs (M/U Incl.)		5.45	229,358	1,250,000	1.45	229,358	332,569
Reimbursable Utilities		5.45	105,963	577,500	1.45	105,963	153,647
<b>Sub-total</b>				18,228,150			6,676,665
<b>Mark-up at</b>				INCL.			INCL.
<b>TOTAL</b>				18,228,150			6,676,665

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
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ALTERNATIVE NO.: **544-3/4/5**

DESCRIPTION: **SELECTIVELY ELIMINATE MEDIAN CUTS, LEFT TURN LANES AND U-TURN BUMP OUTS**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 4**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a four-lane divided roadway with closely-spaced media openings.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Consider eliminating non-essential media openings to improve safety and operational efficiencies at STA 184+00.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces initial cost
- Reduces the number of conflict points
- Improves safety
- Improves traffic operations

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases circuitous routing for local residents
- Most likely will increase the occurrence of illegal crossovers
- Could increase public opposition

**DISCUSSION:**

While this approach will inconvenience local residents somewhat, it does not preclude crossovers at more appropriate locations—increasing safety along this stretch of SR 133. In addition, operational efficiencies are achieved with less median openings allowing for a more continuous flow of traffic; especially during peak travel times.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 7,949,791	—	\$ 7,949,791
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 7,901,711	—	\$ 7,901,711
SAVINGS	\$ 48,080	—	\$ 48,080



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DESCRIPTION:

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Close Median Opening @ Sta. 184+00

Deleted Median Pavement

$$\text{Area} = (6') (180' + 180') + (12') (400' + 250') + (90') (20')$$

$$= (11,760 \text{ ft}^2) = (1307 \text{ yd}^2)$$

Deleted Bump Out Pavement

$$\text{Area} = (8') (360') = 2880 \text{ ft}^2 = (320 \text{ yd}^2)$$

Added Concrete Median

(Same as Deleted Median Pavement)

$$= 1307 \text{ yd}^2$$

Total Delete Pavement = 1627 yd<sup>2</sup>

$$\text{Aggregate Base} = (1627 \text{ yd}^2) (1350 \#/\text{yd}^2) \div 2000 \#/\text{ton} = (1098 \text{ tons})$$

$$\text{Surface Course} = (1627 \text{ yd}^2) (165 \#/\text{yd}^2) \div 2000 \#/\text{ton} = (134 \text{ tons})$$

$$\text{Binder Course} = (1627) (220) / 2000 = (179 \text{ tons})$$

$$\text{Base Course} = (1627) (660) / 2000 = (537 \text{ tons})$$

$$\text{Tack Coat} = (1627 \text{ yd}^2) (4 \text{ gal}/100 \text{ yd}^2) = (65 \text{ gal})$$



# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



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*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **544-7**

DESCRIPTION: **USE A FIVE-LANE SECTION THROUGH MORVEN FROM OLD QUITMAN ROAD TO LAWSON POND ROAD**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 5**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The original design includes a 20-foot raised median through the town of Morven. Speed is to be posted at 45 miles per hour (mph).

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Using the 45 mph speed limit criterion, use a five-lane flush section through Troupville.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Decreases cost
- Speeds construction
- Decreases right of way costs
- Allows unrestricted left turns through Morven
- Allows business access throughout Morven

**DISADVANTAGES:**

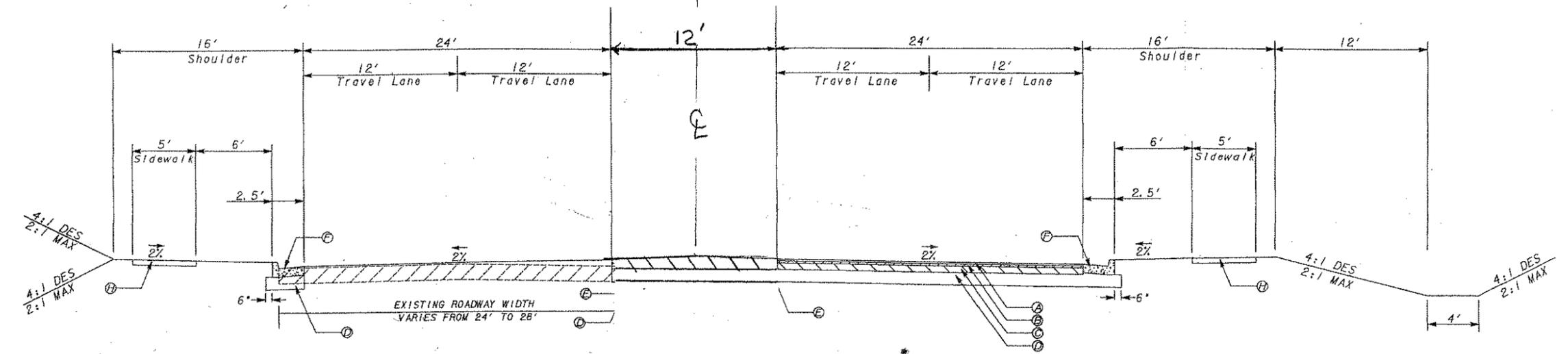
- Decreases safety, but still within GDOT standards
- Eliminates control of left turns

**DISCUSSION:**

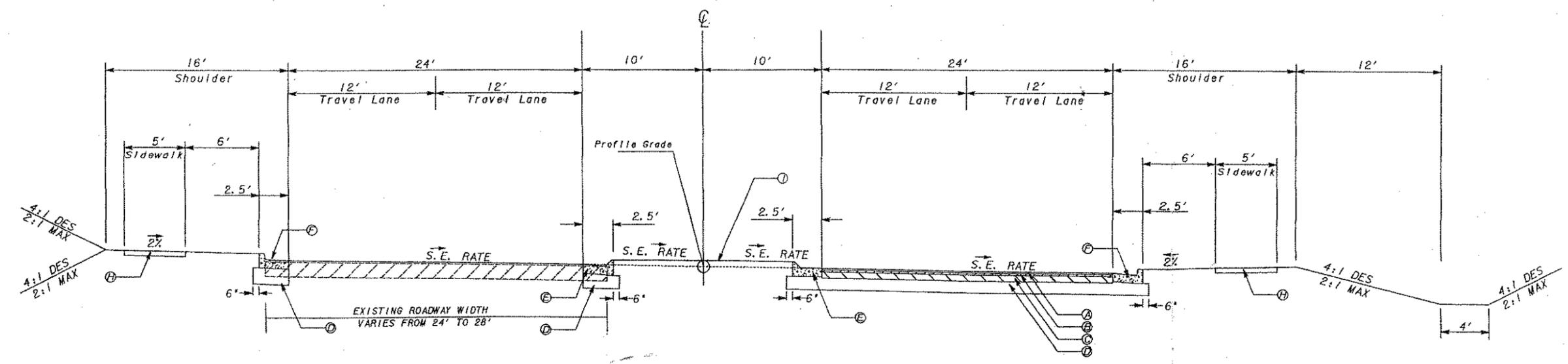
GDOT standards allow a five-lane section within a 45 mph speed limit zone; however, this does reduce safety somewhat.

The original design includes a four-lane divided section but has numerous median openings to allow for left turns. Using the five-lane section allows for unrestricted left turns—this may further please the businesses along this route as it improves access.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 2,107,837	—	\$ 2,107,837
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 1,207,775	—	\$ 1,207,775
SAVINGS	\$ 900,062	—	\$ 900,062



Proposed Alternate  
5 Lane Section (Flush)



Original Section  
Raised Median

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DESCRIPTION:

SHEET NO.: 3 of 8

Total length under consideration (Old Outman Road to Lawson Pond Rd)  
 Sta 172+35 to 248+10 = 7,575 LF

Items:

Concrete Median

- ① Old Outman to Mobley Rd  
 $[2 \cdot (400 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}) + (180 \text{ ft} \cdot 180 \text{ ft})] \cdot \frac{3 \text{ Y}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 4089 \text{ SY}$
- ② Mobley Rd + Willaford  
 $[2 \cdot (250 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}) + (190 \text{ ft} \cdot 190 \text{ ft})] \cdot \frac{3 \text{ Y}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 4317 \text{ SY}$
- ③ Willaford Rd + Albany St.  
 $[2 \cdot (250 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}) + (190 \text{ ft} \cdot 190 \text{ ft})] \cdot \frac{3 \text{ Y}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 4317 \text{ SY}$
- ④ Albany to SR 76 = 4317 SY
- ⑤ SR 76 to Campground Rd = 4089 SY
- ⑥ Campground Rd to Lawson Pond Rd  
 $[2 \cdot (375 \text{ ft} \cdot 5.5 \text{ ft}) + 450 \text{ ft} \cdot 270 \text{ ft}] \cdot \frac{3 \text{ Y}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 13,958 \text{ SY}$   
Total = 35,087 SY

Curb & Gutter

- ① 4 · 400 ft + 2 · 180 ft + 2 · 180 ft = 2,320 LF
  - ② 4 · 250 ft + 4 · 190 ft = 1760 LF
  - ③ 4 · 250 ft + 4 · 190 ft = 1760 LF
  - ④ = 1760 LF
  - ⑤ 4 · 400 ft + 4 · 180 ft = 2320 LF
  - ⑥ 4 · 375 ft + 2 · 450 ft + 2 · 270 ft = 2940 LF
- Total = 12,860 LF

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DESCRIPTION:

Quantities (Continued)

AC Pavement

$$12 \text{ ft} \cdot 7575 \text{ LF} \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 10,100 \text{ SY}$$

$$1045 \text{ lb/SY} \cdot 10,100 \text{ SY} \cdot \frac{\text{TN}}{2000 \text{ lb}} = 5277 \text{ TN}$$

GAB

$$1350 \text{ lb/SY} \cdot 10,100 \text{ SY} \cdot \frac{\text{TN}}{2000 \text{ lb}} = 6818 \text{ TN}$$

Stripe

$$4 \cdot 7575 \text{ LF} = 30,300 \text{ LF}$$

Right of Way

Original

$$112 \text{ ft} \cdot 7575 \text{ ft} \cdot \frac{\text{Acre}}{43,560 \text{ ft}^2} = 19.5 \text{ Acre}$$

Alternate

$$(112 \text{ ft} - 8 \text{ ft}) \cdot 7575 \text{ ft} \cdot \frac{\text{Acre}}{43,560 \text{ ft}^2} = 18.1 \text{ Acre}$$



# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



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ALTERNATIVE NO.: **544-8**

DESCRIPTION: **CUL-DE-SAC HITCH STREET AND ELIMINATE THE INTERSECTION WITH SR 133**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 4**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The intersection of Hitch Street and SR 133 already exists and the current design improves the turning radii.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Since the traffic count in this area is very low, close this intersection by removing the existing pavement and constructing a cul-de-sac at Hitch Street.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Increases safety on SR 133 by eliminating two intersections within 700 feet of each other: Hitch Street and Lawson Pond Road
- Improves through traffic on SR 133
- Improves overall operations within the immediate area of the two intersections

**DISADVANTAGES:**

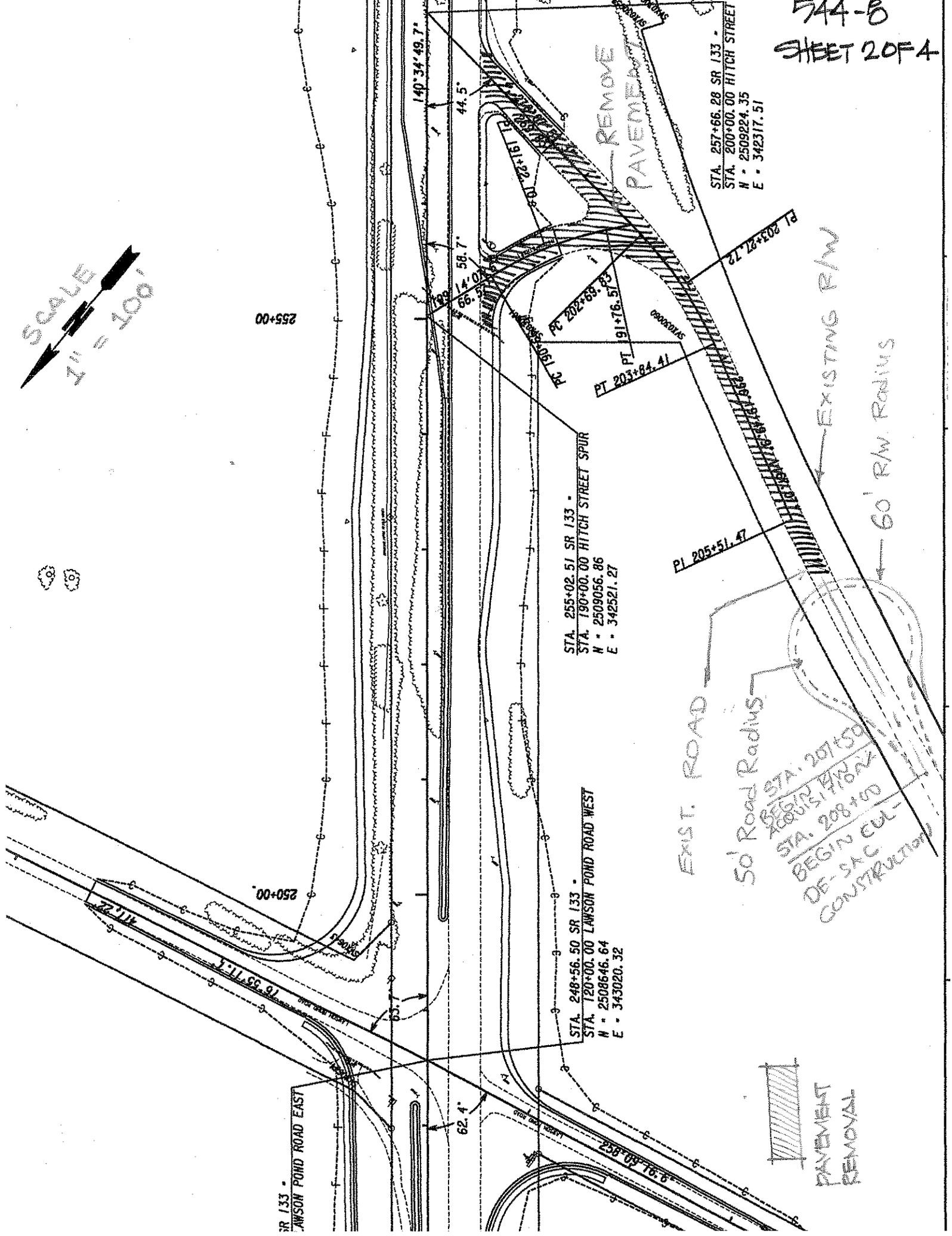
- Drivers traveling east on SR 133 from Hitch Street will have to use the Lawson Pond Road intersection
- Additional right-of-way needs to be acquired on both sides of Hitch Street

**DISCUSSION:**

The close proximity of two intersections presents a safety and operational deficiency that is easily corrected by using a cul-de-sac at Hitch Street and eliminating this extremely skewed intersection.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 0	—	\$ 0
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 26,648	—	\$ 26,648
SAVINGS	\$ (26,648)	—	\$ (26,648)

SCALE  
1" = 100'



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ALTERNATIVE NO.:

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DESCRIPTION:

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R/W to be acquired:  $\frac{\pi R^2}{4} - L \times b$

60' Radius  
120' diameter  
Existing R/W  
:  $\frac{\pi \times 120^2}{4} - 120 \times 60$   
= 4114 sf = 0.0944 ac  
Say 0.1 Acre

Perm. roadway to be constructed:  $\pi R^2$   
50' Radius  
:  $\pi \times 50^2$   
= 7,854 sf  
= 872.66 SY

Demolish existing pavement:  $300 \times 20 + (230 + 170) 24$   
and grass it.  
= 15,600 sf  
= 1733.3 SY

Eliminate Right turning <sup>lane</sup> at SR 133:  $\frac{1}{2} \times 100 \times 12 + 200 \times 12$   
designed to go to Hitch Street  
= 3000 sf  
= 333.3 SY

Eliminate pavement to be constructed on the Hitch Street (Triangle portion):  $(230 + 170) 12$   
= 4,800 sf = 533.3 SY

Net pavement to be constructed =  $872.66 - 333.3 - 533.3$   
= 6 SY negligible



# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



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ALTERNATIVE NO.: **544-9**

DESCRIPTION: **USE ARCH SPAN STRUCTURES IN LIEU OF MULTI-CELL BOX CULVERTS**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 5**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for the use of multi-cell concrete box culverts to span over two creeks:

- Triple 8-foot x 7-foot culvert at Jones Creek; and
- Quintuple 7-foot x 6-foot culvert at Downing Creek.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Use single span, prefabricated structures in lieu of the multi-cell concrete box culverts.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Minimizes construction time
- Minimizes maintenance of traffic time
- Increases stream flow capacity by reducing stream blockage
- Reduces debris build-up
- Reduces initial cost

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- None apparent

**DISCUSSION:**

The existing structures are +50 years old and warrant replacement. Although the hydraulic report has not been updated, the terrain is relatively flat and has the possibility of flooding. Removing mid-stream obstructions will improve the flow and potentially help avoid flooding. Furthermore, the maintenance associated with debris removal is minimized.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 918,684	—	\$ 918,684
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 708,663	—	\$ 708,663
SAVINGS	\$ 210,021	—	\$ 210,021



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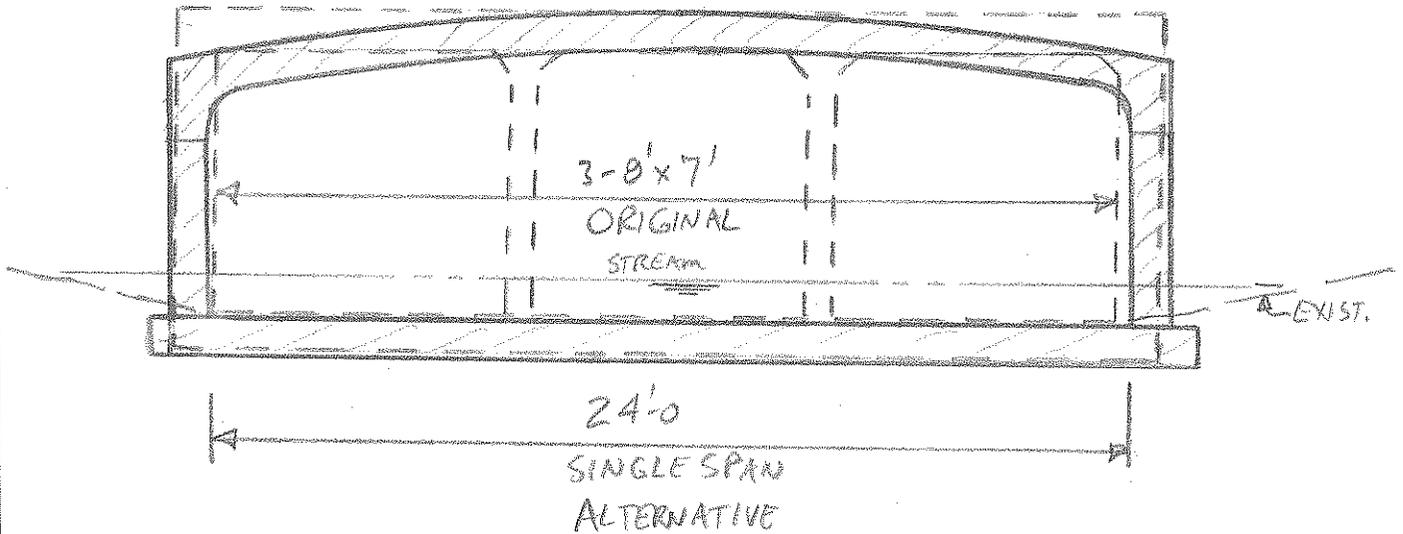
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ROADWAY SURFACE



TYPICAL SECTION  
(JONES CRK)



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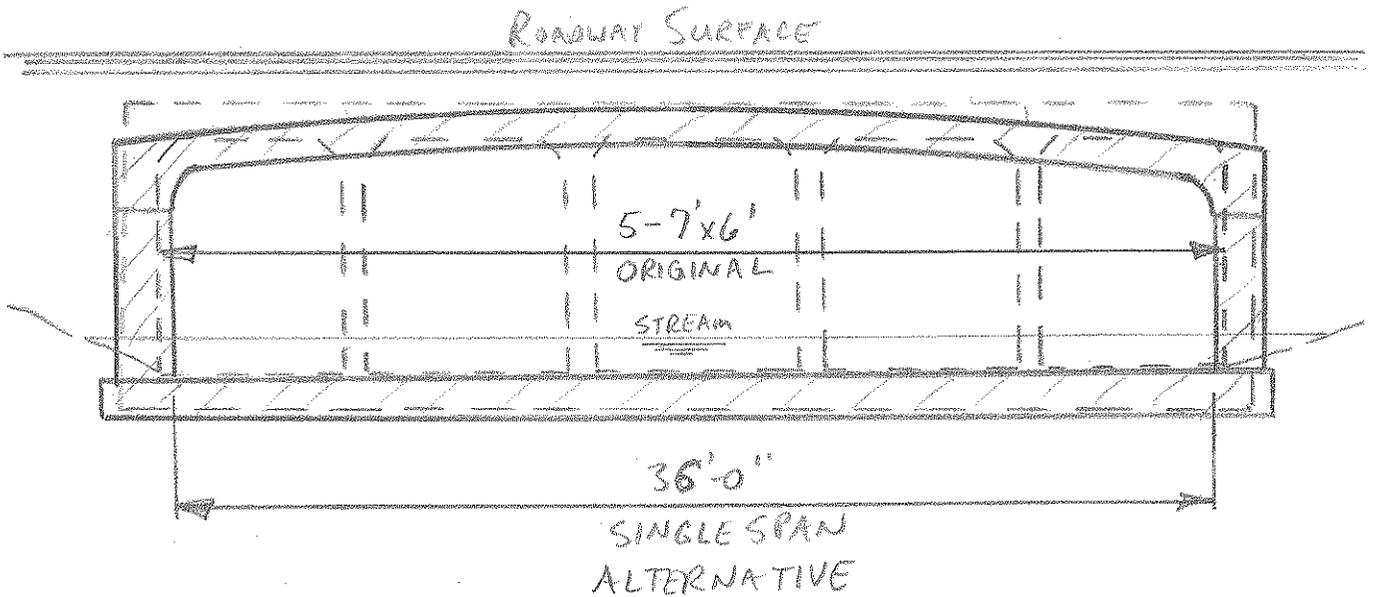
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ALTERNATIVE

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TYPICAL SECTION  
(DOWNING CREEK)

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DESCRIPTION:

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• ARCH QUANTITIES ⇒

WIDTH = 26'  
① = 26'  
② = 38'

LENGTH =  $(10' + 24' + 16') \times 2 = 100'$

AREA ① = 2,600 SF

② = 3,800 SF

STRUCTURE COST ⇒ CONTECH CONC. ARCH 24' OPENING x 100' = \$180,000

36' OPENING x 100' = \$350,000



# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage* ALTERNATIVE NO.: **544-10**

DESCRIPTION: **COMPLETE MAINLINE RAILROAD CROSSING PRIOR TO CLOSING OTHER CITY RAILROAD CROSSINGS** SHEET NO.: **1 of 1**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:**

The current design widens SR 133 through the City of Morven and includes an at-grade railroad crossing in the center of the city. The actual construction work for the railroad intersection will be undertaken by the railroad through a force account agreement with GDOT.

**ALTERNATIVE:**

Assure the SR 133 railroad intersection is completed and operational prior to allowing the railroad to close five other railroad crossing within the City of Morven.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Assures vehicular flow of SR 133 traffic
- Assures timely completion of the mainline work
- Minimizes traveling public's inconvenience
- Precludes simultaneous multiple railroad crossing closures

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases necessary coordination effort with the railroad

**DISCUSSION:**

An agreement has already been reached between the railroad and the City of Morven to allow the railroad to close five inner-city railroad crossings in exchange for the new widened SR 133 railroad crossing. In order properly coordinate the railroad crossing closures, ensure that the railroad completes the work on the widened mainline intersection prior to allowing them to close the agreed-to five other city railroad crossings.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN			
ALTERNATIVE	<b>DESIGN SUGGESTION</b>		
SAVINGS			

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ALTERNATIVE NO.: **545-1**

DESCRIPTION: **IMPROVE ONLY TWO INTERSECTIONS: ST 133/SR 333 AND SR 133/SR 256**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 3**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:**

The current design calls for the four-lane widening and reconstruction of State Route (SR) 133 from Old Quitman Road to Old Berlin Road with intermittent turning lanes and curb and gutters on both sides of the raised median road for a length of about 9.60 miles. Another 0.4 miles of improvements are associated with SR 333 (Moultrie Highway) and SR 256 (Old Berlin Road), realizing a total of about 10.0 miles of improvements.

**ALTERNATIVE:**

Perform no improvements on of this segment on SR 133 with the exception of the intersections at SR 333 and SR 256. Additionally, do not provide curb and gutters or sidewalks at these intersections.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces construction cost
- Reduces construction period
- Improves sustainable design
- Improves only where necessary

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- LOS remains the same beyond improved area
- Loss of immediate improvement
- Challenges the Governor’s Road Improvement Program (GRIP) criteria

**DISCUSSION:**

Demographically, traffic is not expected to increase greatly, negating the need for a four-lane highway throughout the project limits—especially in the sparsely populated rural areas. In fact, SR 133 is classification as a rural minor arterial facility.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 34,571,635	—	\$ 34,571,635
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 1,673,452	—	\$ 1,673,452
SAVINGS	\$ 32,898,183	—	\$ 32,898,183

# CALCULATIONS



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DESCRIPTION:

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The two roads SR-333 & SR-256 that need to be improved in order to have a perpendicular intersection with SR-133, are two lanes. Each improvement is 1000' in length. Thus, the total improvement length is 2,000'. Add about 640' in improvements on SR-133 on both sides of the intersection. ∴, total improvement length is 2,640' or 0.5 mile.

Percentage of Roadway Cost :  $\frac{0.5}{10} \times 100 = 5\%$

Earthwork : 5%

Drainage : 5%

Lump Sum : 5%

Temp. & Perm. Erosion Control : 5%

Striping : 5%

MISC : 5%

Guardrail : 0%

Box Culverts : 0%

# COST WORKSHEET



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CONSTRUCTION ITEM		ORIGINAL ESTIMATE			PROPOSED ESTIMATE		
ITEM	UNITS	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL
Permanent Roadway	Mile	10.00	1,339,697	13,396,970			
Permanent Roadway (57.81%)	Mile				0.50	1,339,697	669,849
Drainage	Mile	10.00	147,740	1,477,400			
Drainage (80.00%)	Mile				0.50	147,740	73,870
Earthwork	Mile	10.00	315,150	3,151,500			
Earthwork (57.81%)	Mile				0.50	315,150	157,575
Lump Sum Items	Mile	10.00	103,323	1,033,230			
Lump Sum Items (90%)	Mile				0.50	103,323	51,662
Temporary Erosion Control	Mile	10.00	140,250	1,402,500			
Temporary Erosion Control (70%)	Mile				0.50	140,250	70,125
Permanent Erosion Control	Mile	10.00	46,142	461,420			
Permanent Erosion Control (70%)	Mile				0.50	46,142	23,071
Striping	Mile	10.00	15,553	155,530			
Striping (57.81%)	Mile				0.50	15,553	7,777
Miscellaneous	Mile	10.00	1,676	16,760			
Miscellaneous (57.81%)	Mile				0.50	1,676	838
Guardrail (0.00%)	Mile	10.00	7,512	75,120			
Box Culvert (0.00%)	LS	2.00	374,749	749,497			
Subtotal				21,919,927			1,054,766
Composite Markup at 33.71%				7,389,207			355,561
Total Construction				29,309,134			1,410,327
Right of Way Costs (M/U Incl.)		10.00	275,000	2,750,001	0.50	275,000	137,500
Reimbursable Utilities		10.00	251,250	2,512,500	0.50	251,250	125,625
<b>Sub-total</b>				34,571,635			1,673,452
<b>Mark-up at</b>				INCL.			INCL.
<b>TOTAL</b>				34,571,635			1,673,452

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ALTERNATIVE NO.: **545-2/3/4**

DESCRIPTION: **SELECTIVELY ELIMINATE MEDIAN CUTS, LEFT TURN LANES AND U-TURN BUMP OUTS**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 5**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a four-lane divided roadway with closely spaced media openings.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Consider eliminating non-essential media openings to improve safety and operational efficiencies at the following locations:

- 700 feet south of Old Berlin Road (SR 256); and
- 1,450 feet north of Rock Hill Road.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces initial cost
- Reduces the number of conflict points
- Improves safety
- Improves traffic operations

**DISADVANTAGES:**

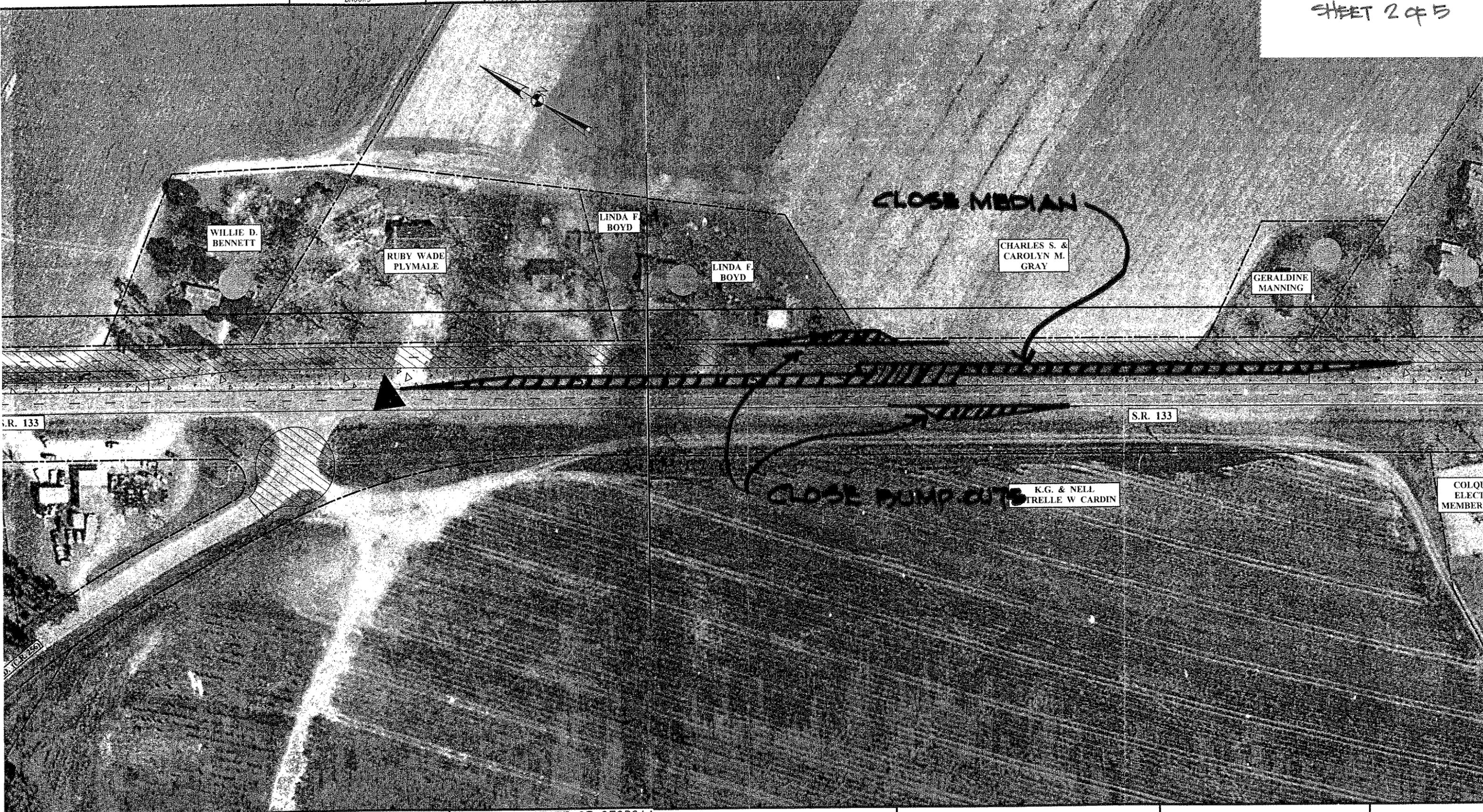
- Increases circuitous routing for local residents
- Most likely will increase the occurrence of illegal crossovers
- Could increase public opposition

**DISCUSSION:**

While this approach will inconvenience local residents somewhat, it does not preclude crossovers at more appropriate locations—increasing safety along this stretch of SR 133. In addition, operational efficiencies are achieved with less median openings, allowing for a more continuous flow of traffic—especially during peak travel times.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 14,054,365	—	\$ 14,054,365
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 13,744,334	—	\$ 13,744,334
SAVINGS	\$ 310,031	—	\$ 310,031

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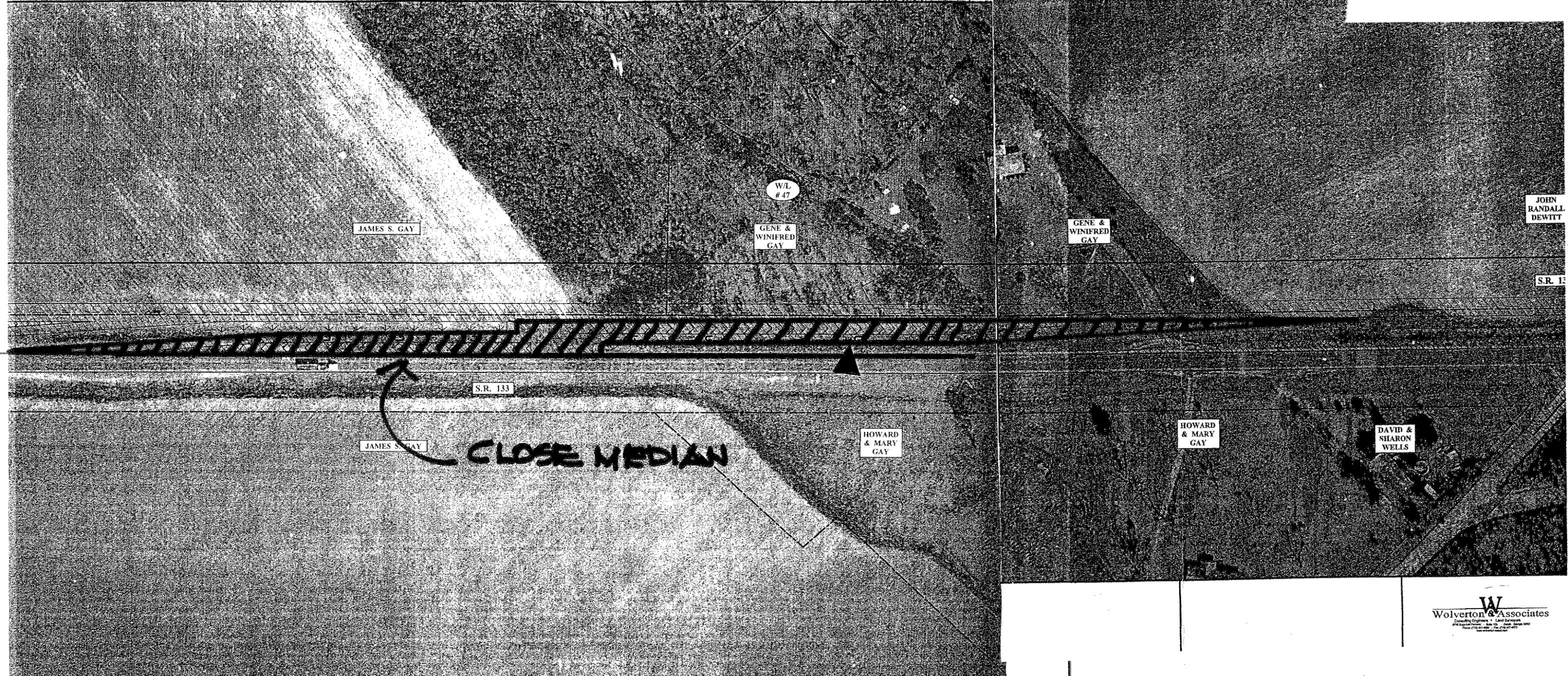
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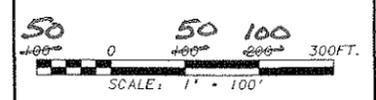
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 Brooks and Colquitt Counties, Georgia Dept. of Transportation, District 4  
 Preliminary Design Stage

DESCRIPTION:

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Close Median Opening @ Old Berlin Road area  
 Deleted Median Pavement

$$\text{Area} = (6') (120' + 120') + (12') (790') + (20') (90')$$

$$= (12,720 \text{ ft}^2) = (1413 \text{ yd}^2)$$

Deleted Bump Out Pavement

$$\text{Area} = (8') (160') \times 2 = (2560 \text{ ft}^2) = (284 \text{ yd}^2)$$

Added Concrete Median

(Same as Deleted Median Pavement)

$$= 1413 \text{ yd}^2$$

Close Median Opening @ Rock Hill Road area  
 Deleted Median Pavement

$$\text{Area} = (14') (420') (2) + (28') (480' + 480') + (44') (70')$$

$$= (41720 \text{ ft}^2) = (4636 \text{ yd}^2)$$

$$\text{Pavement Quantity Total} = (6333 \text{ yd}^2)$$

Pavement Quantities

$$\text{Aggregate Base} = (6333 \text{ yd}^2) (1350 \text{ \#/yd}^2) \div 2000 \text{ \#/ton} = (4275 \text{ ton})$$

$$\text{Surface Course} = (6333 \text{ yd}^2) (165 \text{ \#/yd}^2) \div 2000 \text{ \#/ton} = (522 \text{ tons})$$

$$\text{Binder Course} = (6333 \text{ yd}^2) (220 \text{ \#/yd}^2) \div 2000 \text{ \#/ton} = (697 \text{ tons})$$

$$\text{Base Course} = (6333 \text{ yd}^2) (660 \text{ \#/yd}^2) \div 2000 \text{ \#/ton} = (2090 \text{ tons})$$

$$\text{Tack Coat} = (6333 \text{ yd}^2) (4 \text{ gal/100 yd}^2) = (253 \text{ gal})$$



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ALTERNATIVE NO.: **545-6**

DESCRIPTION: **USE ARCH SPAN STRUCTURES IN LIEU OF MULTI-CELL BOX CULVERTS**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 5**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for the use of multi-cell concrete box culverts to span over three creeks:

- Quintuple 10-foot x 5-foot culvert at Stream No. 55;
- Triple 8-foot x 5-foot culvert at Stream No. 50; and
- Double 9-foot x 5-foot culvert at Stream No. 32.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Use single span, prefabricated structures in lieu of the multi-cell concrete box culverts.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Minimizes construction time
- Minimizes maintenance of traffic time
- Increases stream flow capacity by reducing stream blockage
- Reduces debris build-up
- Reduces initial cost

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- None apparent

**DISCUSSION:**

The existing structures are +50 years old and warrant replacement. Although the hydraulic report has not been updated, the terrain is relatively flat and has the possibility of flooding. Removing mid-stream obstructions will improve the flow and potentially help avoid flooding. Furthermore, the maintenance associated with debris removal is minimized.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 960,396	—	\$ 960,396
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 922,599	—	\$ 922,599
SAVINGS	\$ 37,797	—	\$ 37,797

# SKETCHES



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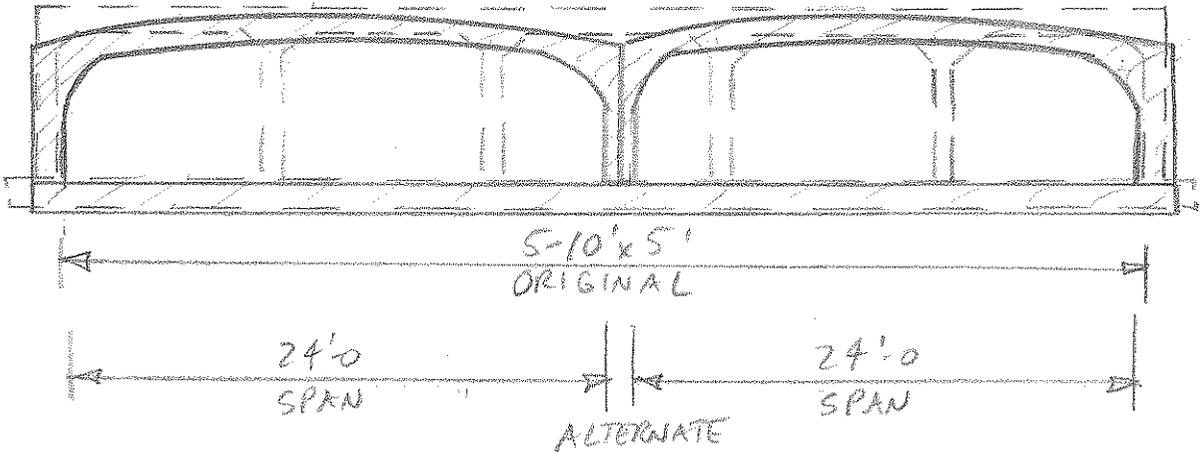
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TYPICAL SECTION  
(@ STREAM # 55)



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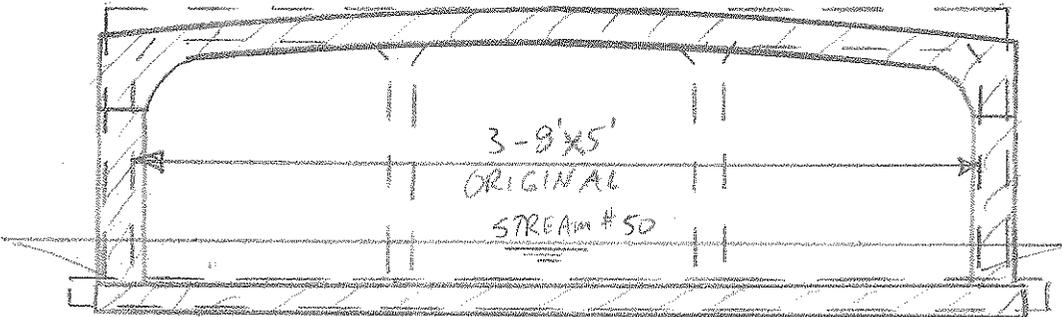
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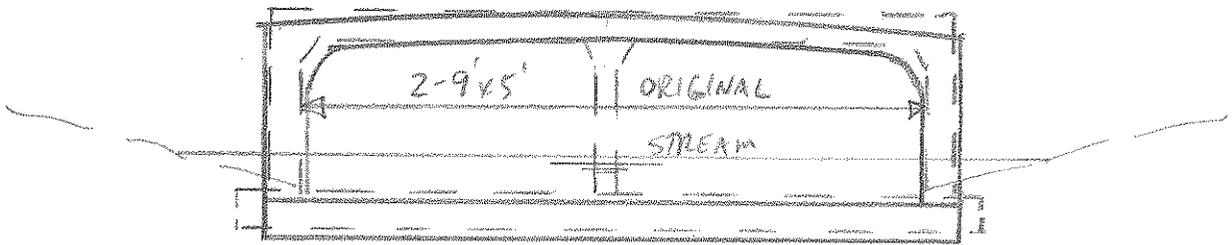
ROADWAY



24'-0"  
SINGLE SPAN  
ALTERNATE

TYPICAL SECTION  
(@ STREAM #50)

ROADWAY



20'-0"  
SINGLE SPAN  
ALTERNATE

TYPICAL SECTION  
(@ STREAM #32)

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DESCRIPTION:

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## ARCH QUANTITIES $\Rightarrow$

$$\text{WIDTH } \textcircled{1} = 50'$$

$$\textcircled{2} = 26'$$

$$\textcircled{3} = 22'$$

$$\text{LENGTH} = \textcircled{1} (10' + 24' + 12') \times 2 = 100'$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad 3 (10' + 24' + 22') \times 2 = 112'$$

$$\text{AREA } \textcircled{1} = \underline{5,000 \text{ SF}}$$

$$\textcircled{2} = \underline{2,600 \text{ SF}}$$

$$\textcircled{3} = \underline{2,464 \text{ SF}}$$

STRUCTURE COST  $\Rightarrow$  CONTECH CONC ARCH  $\Rightarrow$  2- 24' SPANS = \$360,000

$$24' \text{ SPAN} = \underline{\$180,000}$$

$$20' \text{ SPAN} = \underline{\$150,000}$$

BOX CULVERT COST ADJ.  $\Rightarrow$  FROM ORIGINAL COST ESTIMATE = \$749,497

$$\text{REMOVE } 4 \times 4' \text{ @ OKAPILKO CRK} = \left(\frac{4}{10}\right) 749,497 = -31,229$$

\$578,268



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PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **545-7**

DESCRIPTION: **USE A 32-FOOT MEDIAN SECTION IN LIEU OF 44-FOOT MEDIAN SECTION TO MINIMIZE WETLANDS IMPACTS NEAR BERLIN**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 4**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch Attached)

The current design calls for the four-lane widening and reconstruction of State Route (SR) 133 from Old Quitman Road to Old Berlin Road with intermittent turning lanes and curb and gutters on both sides of the typical 44-foot raised median.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch Attached)

Use a 32-foot median section from mile mark 12.2 to 14.0 in order to mitigate several acres of wetland impacts.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces wetlands impacts
- Reduces material quantities
- Improves sustainable design
- Reduces right-of-way takes
- Provides a natural transition between the 22-foot and 44-foot median sections

**DISADVANTAGES:**

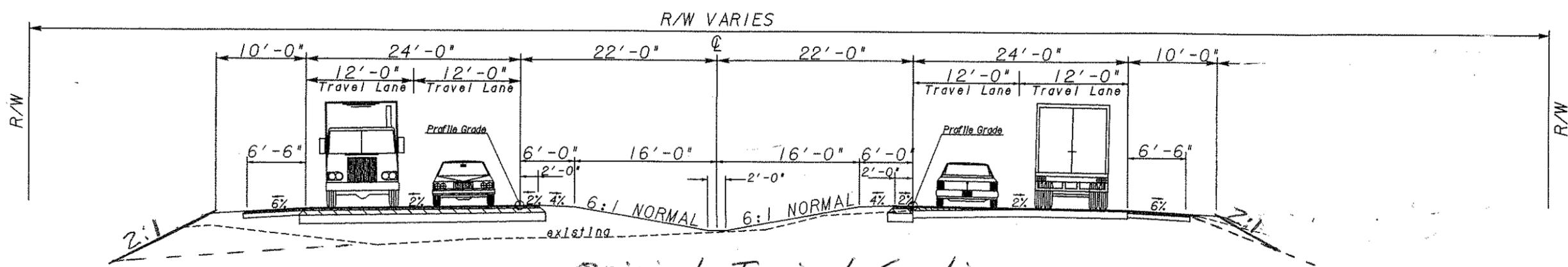
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**DISCUSSION:**

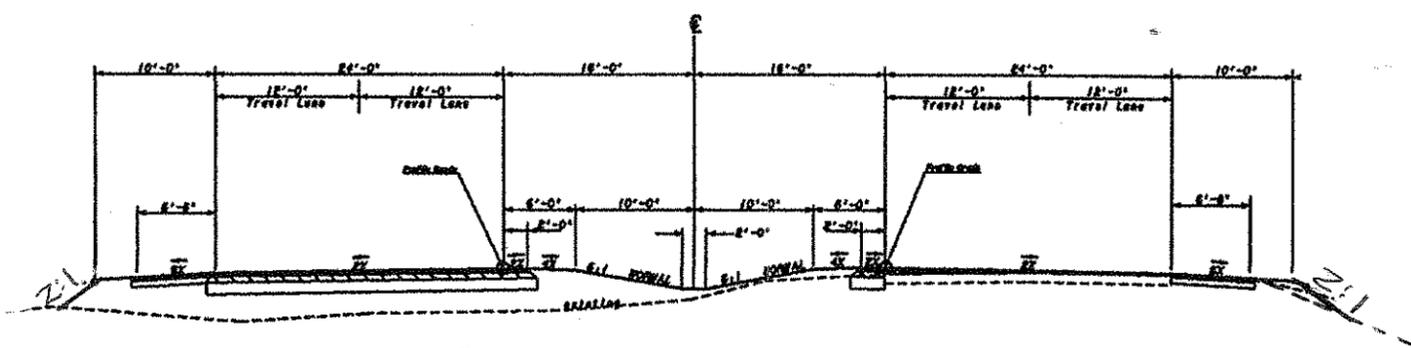
The precedent for using a 32-foot median section was set on adjacent projects in the SR 133 corridor. The typical section through the town of Berlin is a 22-foot median and the remainder of this project is a 44-foot median section.

Just north of the town of Berlin are several acres of wetlands abutting SR 133. The use of the narrower 32-foot median section will help mitigate the wetlands impacts and provide for a smoother transition from the 44-foot section to the 22-foot median section in Berlin.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 457,957	—	\$ 457,957
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 417,334	—	\$ 417,334
SAVINGS	\$ 40,623	—	\$ 40,623



Original Typical Section  
(44' Median)



Proposed Typical Section  
(32' Median)

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TOTAL LENGTH UNDER CONSIDERATION =>

$$(14.0m - 13.2m) 5280 \frac{1}{m} = \underline{4,224 LF}$$

ROW.

$$ORIGINAL = 136' \times 4,224' \left( \frac{1}{43,560} \right) = 13.19 \text{ ACRE}$$

$$ALTERNATE = (136' - 12') \times 4,224' \left( \frac{1}{43,560} \right) = 12.02 \text{ ACRE}$$



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ALTERNATIVE NO.: **545-8**

DESCRIPTION: **USE A GRASS MEDIAN IN LIEU OF A CONCRETE MEDIAN**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 5**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a typical 20-foot concrete median section consisting of a 2.5-foot curb and gutter, a 14-foot concrete median, and 2.5-foot curb and gutter.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Maintain the proposed profile and the 20-foot median section, but replace the concrete median with grass.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces material cost
- Provides for additional storm water run-off absorption
- Reduces concrete maintenance
- Improves sustainable design

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases grass maintenance/replacement

**DISCUSSION:**

The introduction of the grass median is more in keeping with the aesthetic concept of a rural minor arterial roadway with locations having historic significance to maintain the view sheds.

Grass medians would maintain a true “typical” median section throughout the project in the rural/open portions of the project.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 1,016,196	\$ 585,141	\$ 1,601,337
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 14,584	\$ 29,622	\$ 44,206
SAVINGS	\$ 1,001,612	\$ 555,519	\$ 1,557,131



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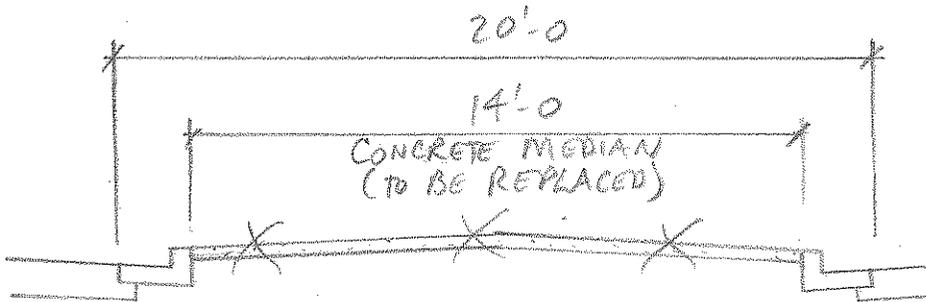
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TYPICAL MEDIAN SECTION

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DESCRIPTION: USE GRASS MEDIAN IN LIEU OF CONCRETE

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- ORIGINAL COST ESTIMATE QUANTITY OF MEDIAN = 30,400 SY
- ADD'L FILL  $\Rightarrow 30,400 \text{ SY} \times \left(\frac{4}{12}\right) \left(\frac{1}{27}\right) = \underline{375.3} \text{ CY}$
- ADD'L MAINTENANCE AREA  $\Rightarrow 30,400 \text{ SY} \div 4840 \text{ SY/ACRE} = \underline{6.28} \text{ ACRE}$
- ADD'L GRASS + FERTILIZER  $\Rightarrow$  (ORIGINAL GRASS QUANTITY = 176 ACRES)
  - GRASS = 800 \$/A
  - LIME = 21 \$/GAL  $\left(\frac{440 \text{ G}}{176 \text{ A}}\right) = 52.50 \text{ $/A}$
  - 60 \$/T  $\left(\frac{325 \text{ T}}{176 \text{ A}}\right) = 110.80$
  - FERTIL. = 275 \$/T  $\left(\frac{176 \text{ T}}{176 \text{ A}}\right) = 275.0$
  - 2 \$/#  $\left(\frac{17,540 \text{ \#}}{176 \text{ A}}\right) = 199.9$

1,438 \$/ACRE

## • ADD'L MAINTENANCE

MOWING COST PROVIDED BY GDOT: MOWING-TIFTON  $\Rightarrow$  \$1,047 PER MILE PER YEAR.

TYPICAL SECTION  $\Rightarrow 24' + 40' + 24' = 88'$

AREA  $\Rightarrow 5260 \text{ SF/m} \times 88' \div 43560 \text{ SF/ACRE} = 10.63 \text{ ACRE/MILE}$

UNIT COST  $\Rightarrow \frac{\$1,047}{10.63}$

**\$98.53 PER ACRE PER YEAR**

$\times 6.28 \text{ ACRE}$

**\$618.76 PER YR**



# LIFE CYCLE COST WORKSHEET



PROJECT: <b>STP-0000-00(543)/(544)/(545)/(546) and STP-032-2(28), PI Nos. 0000543/544/545/546 and 431780, WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS</b> Brooks and Colquitt Counties, GA Dept. of Transportation, Dist. 4 <i>Preliminary Design Stage</i>	ALTERNATIVE NO. <h2 style="margin: 0;">545-8</h2> SHEET NO. 5 of 5
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<b>LIFE CYCLE PERIOD:</b> 35 years				<b>ORIGINAL</b>	<b>PROPOSED</b>
<b>INTEREST RATE:</b> 2.15% <b>ESCALATION RATE:</b> 0.00%					
<b>A. INITIAL COST</b>				1,016,196	14,584
Useful Life (Years)					
<b>INITIAL COST SAVINGS</b>					1,001,612
<b>B. RECURRENT COSTS (Annual Expenditures)</b>					
1. Maintenance: For concrete sidewalks - assume 1/2% of initial cost for minor repairs				5,081	
2. Maintenance: Addition mowing for grass median - see calculation sheet					619
3.					
<b>Total Annual Costs</b>				5,081	619
<i>(An effective rate of 2.15% with 0.00% Interest and 0.00% Escal.)</i>					
<b>Present Worth Factor</b>				24.4205	24.4205
<b>Present Worth of RECURRENT COSTS</b>				124,080	15,110
<b>C. SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>				<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>
				<b>PW factor</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>
<b>ORIG</b>	<b>PROP</b>	< Put "x" in appropriate box (original design or proposed design)			<b>Present Worth</b>
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1.	Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	12	335,345
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2.	Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	24	335,345
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3.	Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	10	7,292
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4.	Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	20	7,292
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5.	Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	30	7,292
	<input type="checkbox"/>	6.			1.0000
	<input type="checkbox"/>	7.			1.0000
<b>D. SALVAGE VALUE</b>				<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>
					<b>PW factor</b>
	<input type="checkbox"/>	1.			1.0000
	<input type="checkbox"/>	2.			1.0000
<b>Present Worth of SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>					461,061
<b>E. Total Recurrent Costs &amp; Single Expenditures (B + C)</b>					585,141
<b>RECURRENT COSTS &amp; SINGLE EXPENDITURES SAVINGS</b>					555,519
<b>TOTAL PRESENT WORTH COST (A + D)</b>				1,601,337	44,206
<b>TOTAL LIFE CYCLE SAVINGS</b>					1,557,131

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **546-1**

DESCRIPTION: **CONSTRUCT SR 133 THROUGH BERLIN AND THE EASTERN PORTION OF MOULTRIE ONLY**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 3**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:**

The current design calls for the four-lane widening and reconstruction of State Route (SR) 133 from Old Berlin Road to Hawthorne Road in eastern Moultrie with intermittent turning lanes, curb and gutters, and sidewalks. The total length of this project is about 7.77 miles.

**ALTERNATIVE:**

Provide the new widening and reconstruction of SR 133 in the town of Berlin from Canon Road to Langford Street (0.16 miles) and in the eastern portion of Moultrie from Edmonson Road to Hawthorne Road (0.15 miles). Perform no other improvements northwest or southeast of these segments on SR 133.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Substantially reduces construction cost
- Reduces construction period
- Improves sustainable design

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- LOS remains the same beyond improved area
- Loss of immediate improvement
- Challenges the Governor’s Road Improvement Program (GRIP) criteria

**DISCUSSION:**

Demographically, traffic is not expected to increase greatly, negating the need for a four-lane highway throughout the project limits—especially in the sparsely populated rural areas. In fact, SR 133 is classified as a rural minor arterial facility.

As with the original design, this alternative will still alleviate the safety and level of service concerns in Berlin and eastern Moultrie. The addition of curb and gutters and sidewalks will still promote pedestrian circulation though town, potentially generating interest for commercial improvements and further development.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 25,743,764	—	\$ 25,743,764
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 2,244,327	—	\$ 2,244,327
SAVINGS	\$ 23,499,437	—	\$ 23,499,437

# CALCULATIONS



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ALTERNATIVE NO.:

546-1

DESCRIPTION:

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As suggested a total of only 0.32 miles [0.16 + 0.15] should be developed into a 4-lane highway as depicted on the drawings.

Percentage of Roadway Cost:  $\frac{0.31}{7.77} = 4\%$

Drainage: 12-13% of total drainage cost

Earthwork: 12-13% of total earthwork cost

Dump sump:  $\frac{2}{3}$  of cost [includes curb, gutter, sidewalk etc.]

Temp. Erosion Control: 12-13%

Perm. Erosion Control: 12-13%

striping: 4%

MISC.: 4%

Guardrail: 0% } For sections thru the city, we do  
Box culverts: 0% } not have any guard rails or box culverts

R/w Acquisition: 4%

Reimbursable Utilities: 4%

# COST WORKSHEET



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
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ALTERNATIVE NO:  
**546-1**

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CONSTRUCTION ITEM		ORIGINAL ESTIMATE			PROPOSED ESTIMATE		
ITEM	UNITS	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL
Permanent Roadway	Mile	7.77	1,539,855	11,964,673			
Permanent Roadway (57.81%)	Mile				0.31	1,539,855	477,355
Drainage	Mile	7.77	207,964	1,615,880			
Drainage (80.00%)	Mile				1.00	207,964	207,964
Earthwork	Mile	7.77	179,665	1,395,997			
Earthwork (57.81%)	Mile				1.00	179,665	179,665
Lump Sum Items	Mile	7.77	107,902	838,399			
Lump Sum Items (90%)	Mile				5.20	107,902	561,090
Temporary Erosion Control	Mile	7.77	148,056	1,150,395			
Temporary Erosion Control (70%)	Mile				1.00	148,056	148,056
Permanent Erosion Control	Mile	7.77	38,878	302,082			
Permanent Erosion Control (70%)	Mile				1.00	38,878	38,878
Striping	Mile	7.77	15,074	117,125			
Striping (57.81%)	Mile				0.31	15,074	4,673
Miscellaneous	Mile	7.77	2,249	17,475			
Miscellaneous (57.81%)	Mile				0.31	2,249	697
Guardrail (0.00%)	Mile	7.77	2,683	20,847			
Box Culvert (0.00%)	LS	1.00	323,566	323,566			
Subtotal				17,746,439			1,618,379
Composite Markup at 33.71%				5,982,325			545,555
Total Construction				23,728,764			2,163,934
Right of Way Costs (M/U Incl.)		7.77	257,400	2,000,000	0.31	257,400	79,794
Reimbursable Utilities		7.77	1,931	15,000	0.31	1,931	598
<b>Sub-total</b>				25,743,764			2,244,327
<b>Mark-up at</b>				INCL.			INCL.
<b>TOTAL</b>				25,743,764			2,244,327

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **546-2/3/4**

DESCRIPTION: **SELECTIVELY ELIMINATE MEDIAN CUTS, LEFT TURN LANES AND U-TURN BUMP OUTS**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 9**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a four-lane divided roadway with closely spaced media openings.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Consider eliminating non-essential media openings to improve safety and operational efficiencies at the following locations:

- 1,400-feet south of Culbertson Road;
- 1,300-feet south of Jerusalem Church Road;
- 1,300-feet south of Stripling Road;
- 3,200-feet south of Perry Road; and
- 1,300-feet north of Wesley Chapel Road.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces the number of conflict points
- Improves safety
- Improves traffic operations

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases circuitous routing for local residents
- Most likely will increase the occurrence of illegal crossovers
- Could increase public opposition
- Adds cost \*

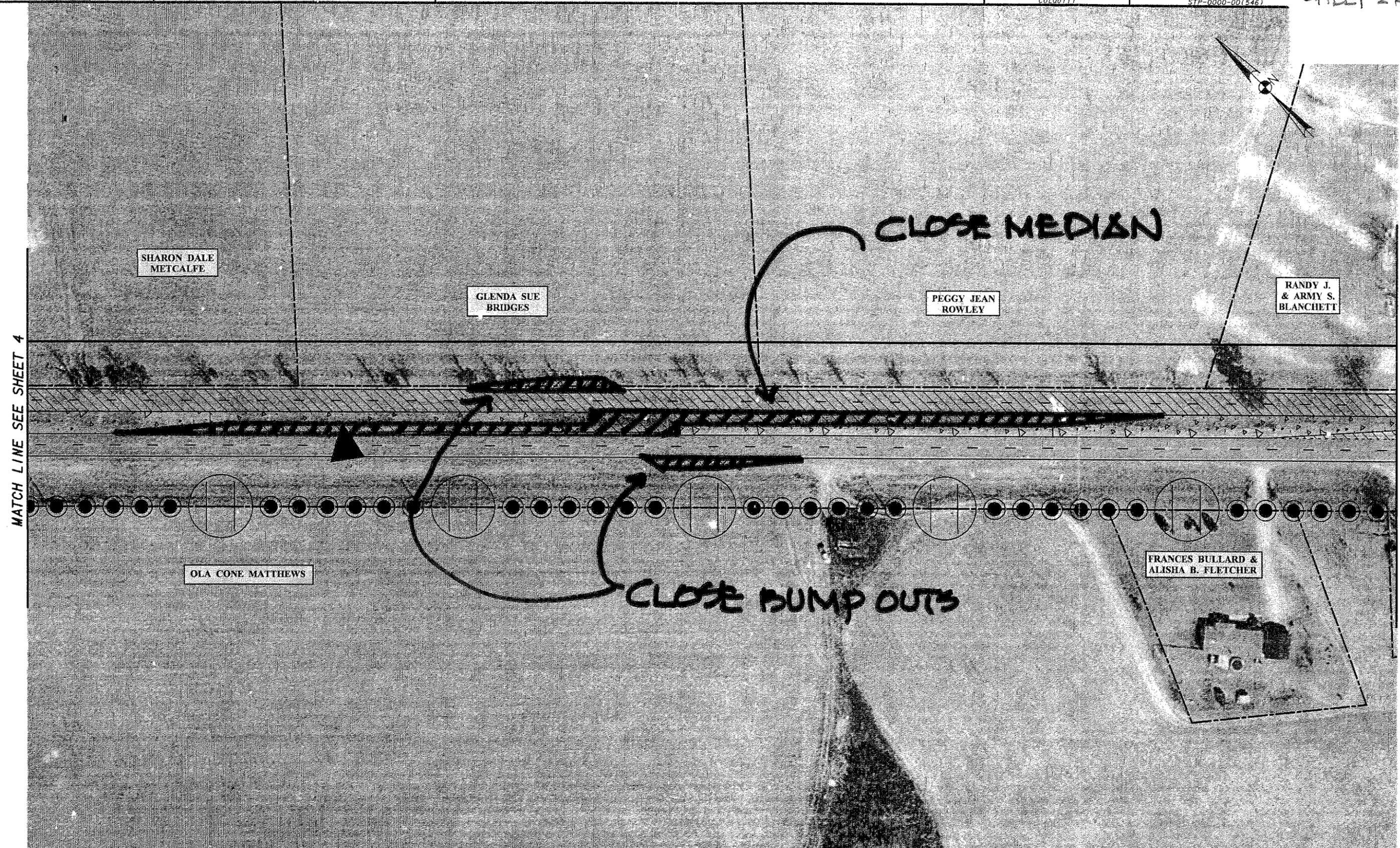
**DISCUSSION:**

While this approach will inconvenience local residents somewhat, it does not preclude crossovers at more appropriate locations—increasing safety along this stretch of SR 133. In addition, operational efficiencies are achieved with less median openings, allowing for a more continuous flow of traffic—especially during peak travel times.

*\*Note: The unit cost for the concrete median for this project was set at \$50.00/SY per the designer's estimate and was used for these calculations. However, all other projects in this corridor, 543, 544, 545, and 28, use a unit cost of \$25.00/SY for the concrete median.*

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 12,876,629	—	\$ 12,876,629
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 12,908,930	—	\$ 12,908,930
SAVINGS	\$ (32,301)	—	\$ (32,301)

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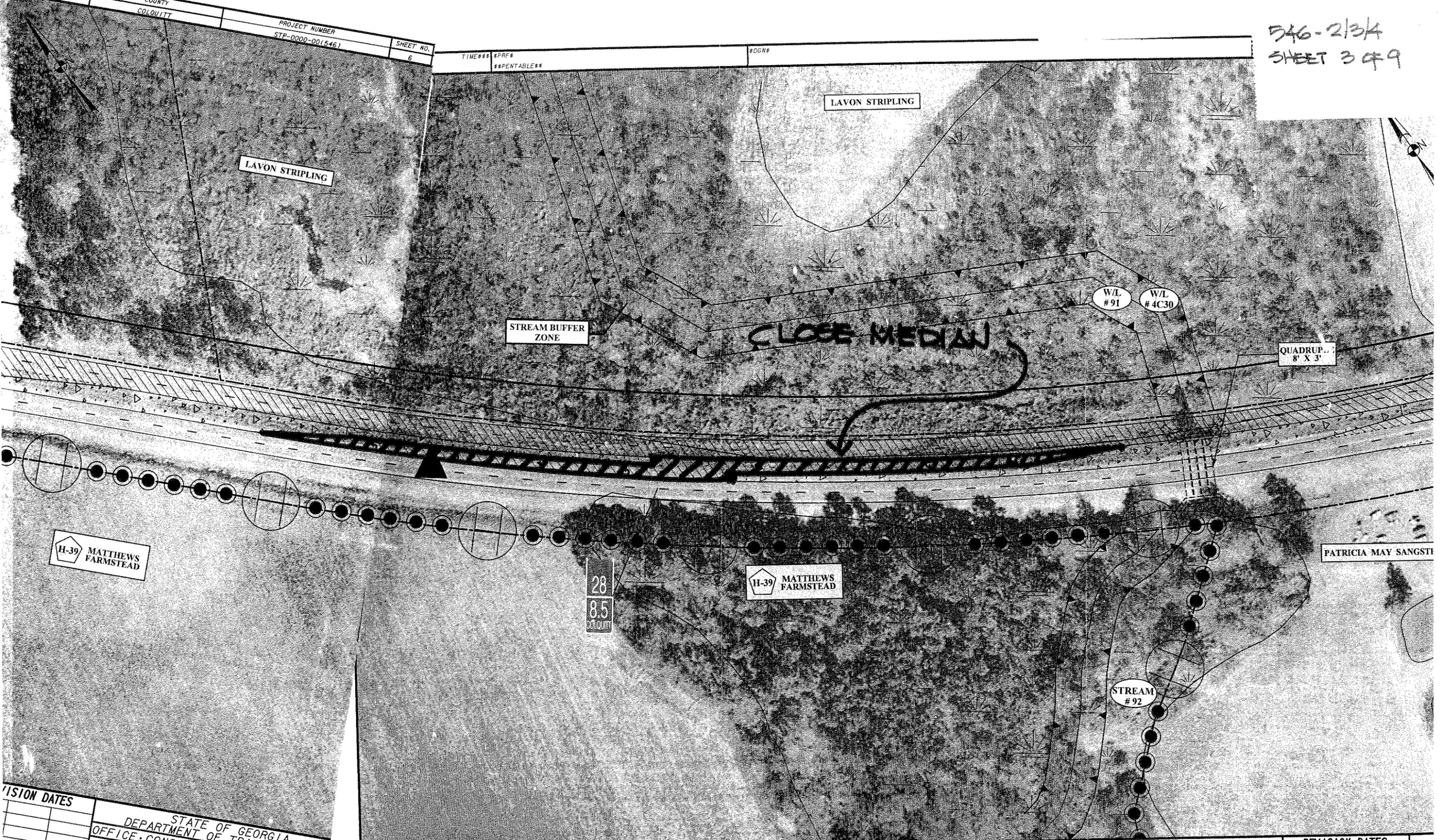


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SHEET NO.  
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LAVON STRIPLING

STREAM BUFFER ZONE

CLOSE MEDIAN

W/L #91

W/L #4C30

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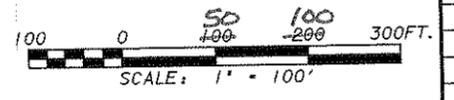
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STREAM #92

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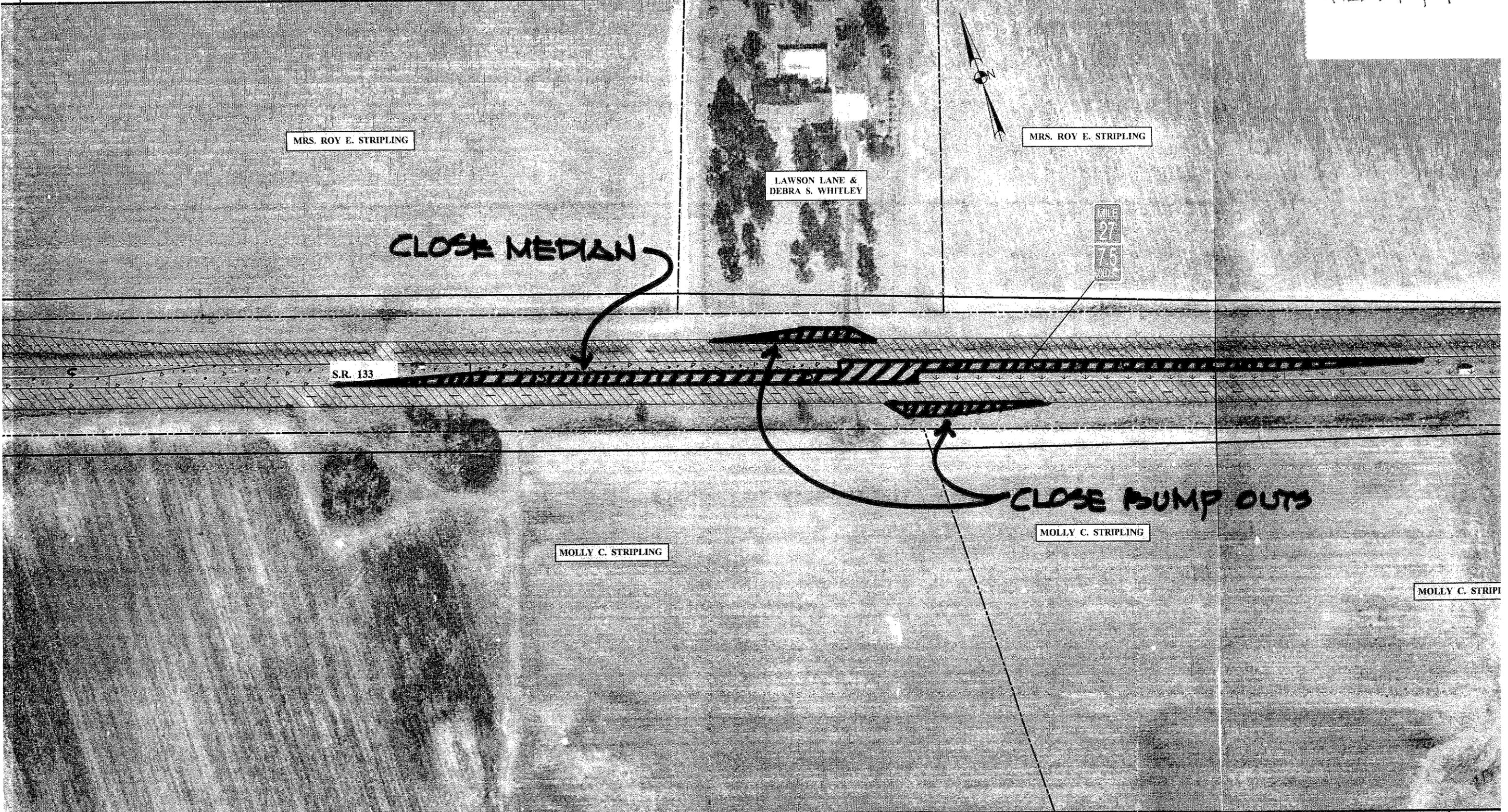
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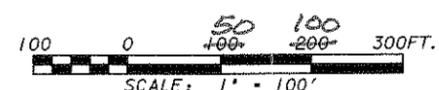
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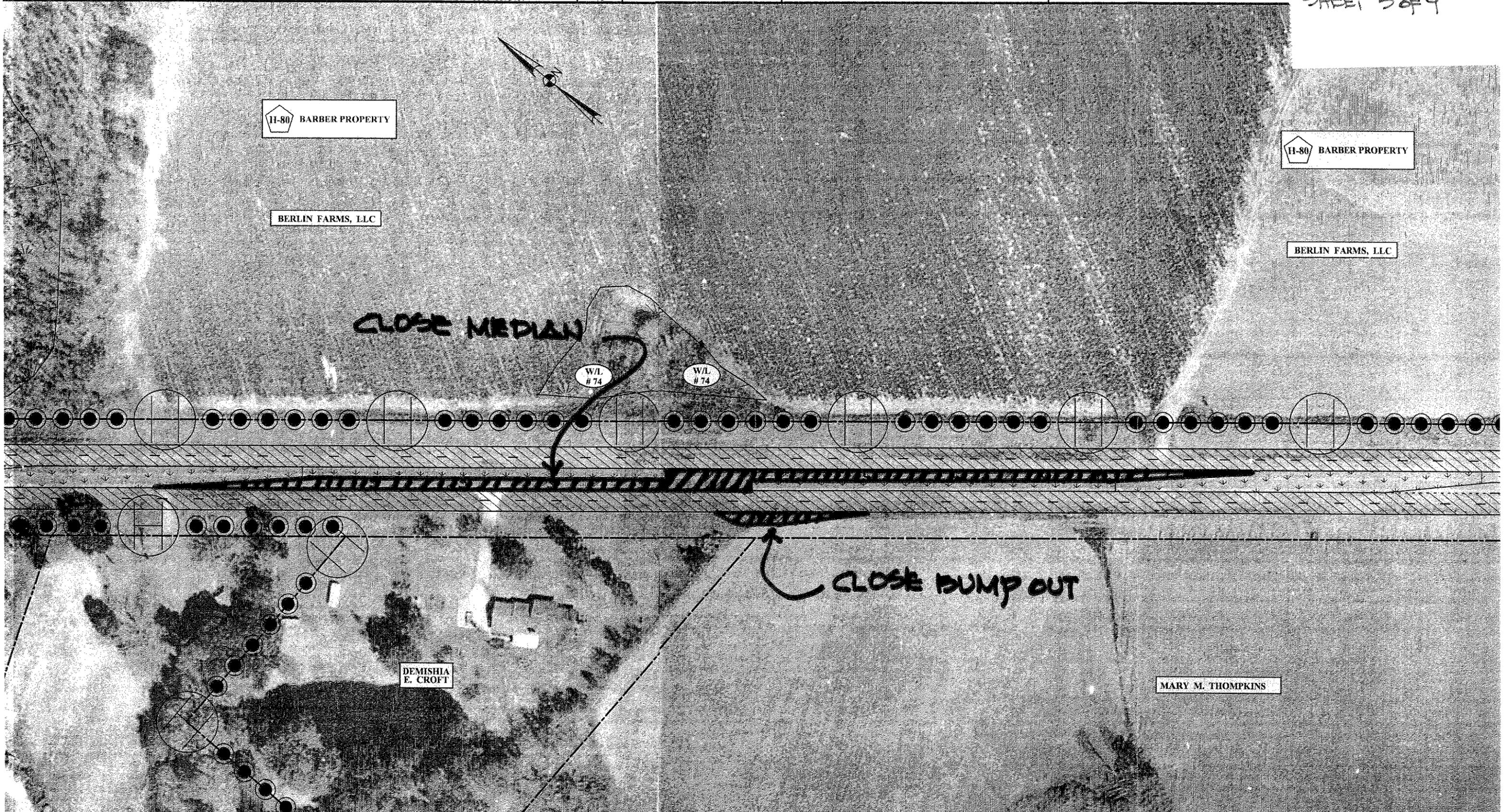


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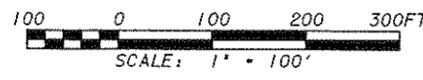
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COQUITT	STP-0000-00(546)	18		**PENTABLE**		

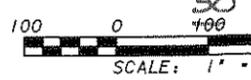


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ALTERNATIVE NO.: 546-2/3/4  
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DESCRIPTION:

Close Median Opening @ Culbertson Road Area  
 Delete Median Pavement

$$\text{Area} = (6')(120')(2) + (12')(400' + 400') + (24')(80') = 12960 \text{ ft}^2 \\ = (1440 \text{ yd}^2)$$

Delete Bump Out Pavement

$$\text{Area} = (8')(160' + 160') = 2560 \text{ ft}^2 = (284 \text{ yd}^2)$$

Added Concrete Median

$$= (\text{Delete Median Pav't}) = 1440 \text{ yd}^2$$

Close Median Opening @ Jerusalem Church Rd area

Delete Median Pavement

$$\text{Area} = (6')(120')(2) + (12')(350')(2) + (24')(90') = 12,000 \text{ ft}^2 \\ = (1333 \text{ yd}^2)$$

Added Concrete Median

$$= (\text{Deleted median Pav't}) = 1333 \text{ yd}^2$$

# CALCULATIONS



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DESCRIPTION:

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Close Median Openings @ Stripling Rd area; Perry Rd area; and Wesley Chapel Rd area  
 Deleted Median Pavement

$$\text{Area} = 3 \times [(6') (180' + 180') + (12') (400' + 400') + (24') (90')] \\ = -41,760 \text{ ft}^2 = -4640 \text{ yd}^2$$

Deleted Bump Out Pavement

$$\text{Area} = (8') (160') \times 5 = -6400 \text{ ft}^2 = -711 \text{ yd}^2$$

Added Concrete Median

$$\text{Area} = (\text{Deleted Median Pav't for 2 of 3 locations}) \\ = 4640 \text{ yd}^2 \times \frac{2}{3} = +3093 \text{ yd}^2$$

$$\text{Total Deleted Pav't} = -5351 \text{ yd}^2$$

Pav't Quantities

$$\text{Aggregate Base} = (-3093 \text{ yd}^2) (1350 \#/\text{yd}^2) \div 2000 = -2088 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{Surface Course} = (-3093 \text{ yd}^2) (165 \#/\text{yd}^2) \div 2000 = -255 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{Binder Course} = (-3093 \text{ yd}^2) (220 \#/\text{yd}^2) \div 2000 = -340 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{Base Course} = (-3093 \text{ yd}^2) (660 \#/\text{yd}^2) \div 2000 = -1021 \text{ tons}$$

$$\text{Tack Coat} = (-3093 \text{ yd}^2) (4 \text{ gal}/100 \text{ yd}^2) = -124 \text{ gal}$$



# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **546-5**

DESCRIPTION: **ELIMINATE SIDEWALKS (CONCRETE ONLY)**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 5**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a typical 16-foot shoulder section consisting of a 2.5-foot curb and gutter portion, a 6-foot grass strip, a 5-foot wide x 4-inch thick concrete sidewalk, and 2.5-foot grass strip.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Maintain the proposed profile and the 16-foot shoulder section but eliminate the concrete sidewalk.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces material cost
- Provides for additional storm water run-off absorption
- Reduces concrete maintenance
- Improves sustainable design

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases grass maintenance/replacement
- Eliminates hard walking surface

**DISCUSSION:**

The sidewalks are currently located at disconnected residential areas with no commercial property destinations. The road is functionally classified as a rural minor arterial and the project is not on a route designated in the GDOT Statewide Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan or a local bike plan.

Retaining the proposed profile will facilitate installation of concrete sidewalks if the need arises in the future.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 112,620	\$ 64,848	\$ 177,468
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 1,169	\$ 6,384	\$ 7,553
SAVINGS	\$ 111,451	\$ 58,464	\$ 169,915



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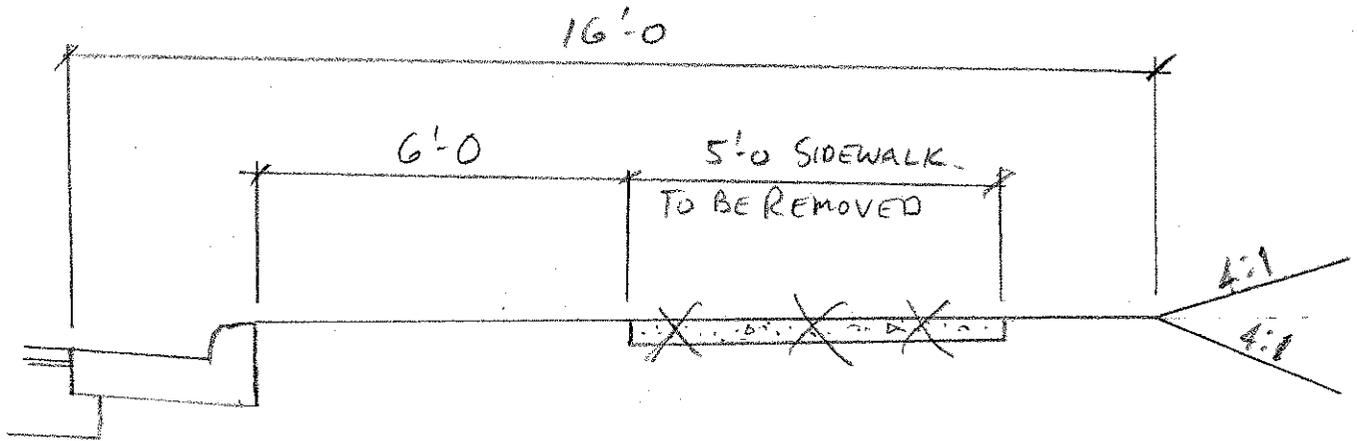
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TYPICAL SIDEWALK PROFILE

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DESCRIPTION: ELIMINATE SIDEWALKS (CONCRETE ONLY)

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• ORIGINAL COST ESTIMATE QUANTITY OF SIDEWALK = 2,717 SY

• ADD'L FILL  $\Rightarrow 2,717 \text{ SY} \times \left(\frac{4''}{12}\right) \left(\frac{1}{100}\right) = \underline{33.54 \text{ CY}}$

• ADD'L MAINTENANCE AREA  $\Rightarrow 2,717 \text{ SY} \div 4890 \text{ SY/ACRE} = \underline{0.56 \text{ ACRE}}$

• ADD'L GRASS + FERTILIZER + LIME  $\Rightarrow$  (ORIGINAL GRASS QUANT. = 93 ACRE)

GRASS = 800 \$/ACRE

LIME = 21 \$/GAL  $\left(\frac{75 \text{ G}}{93 \text{ A}}\right) = 16.94$

60 \$/T  $\left(\frac{278 \text{ T}}{93 \text{ A}}\right) = 179.35$

FERTIL. = 275 \$/T  $\left(\frac{56 \text{ T}}{93 \text{ A}}\right) = 165.59$

2 \$/#  $\left(\frac{4632 \text{ \#}}{93 \text{ A}}\right) = 99.61$

• ADD'L MAINTENANCE  $\Rightarrow \underline{12,615 \text{ \$/ACRE}} \times 0.56 \text{ ACRE} = \underline{7064.3}$

MOWING COST PROVIDED BY GDOT: MOWING-TIFTON  $\Rightarrow$  \$1,047 PER MILE PER YEAR.

TYPICAL SECTION  $\Rightarrow 24' + 40' + 24' = 88'$

AREA  $\Rightarrow 5260 \text{ FT}^2/\text{M} \times 88' \div 43,560 \text{ SY/ACRE} = 10.63 \text{ ACRE/MILE}$

UNIT COST  $\Rightarrow \frac{\$1,047}{10.63} = \boxed{\$98.53 \text{ PER ACRE PER YEAR}}$

$\times 0.56 \text{ ACRES}$

$\boxed{\$55.18 \text{ PER YEAR}}$



# LIFE CYCLE COST WORKSHEET



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<b>LIFE CYCLE PERIOD:</b> 35      years								
<b>INTEREST RATE:</b> 2.15%		<b>ESCALATION RATE:</b> 0.00%		<b>ORIGINAL</b>	<b>PROPOSED</b>			
<b>A. INITIAL COST</b>				112,620	1,169			
Useful Life (Years)								
<b>INITIAL COST SAVINGS</b>					111,451			
<b>B. RECURRENT COSTS (Annual Expenditures)</b>								
1. Maintenance: For concrete sidewalks - assume 1/2% of initial cost for minor repairs				563				
2. Maintenance: Addition mowing for grass median - see calculation sheet						214		
3.								
<b>Total Annual Costs</b>				563	214			
<i>(An effective rate of 2.15% with 0.00% Interest and 0.00% Escal.)</i>				<b>Present Worth Factor</b>		24.4205	24.4205	
<b>Present Worth of RECURRENT COSTS</b>				13,751	5,221			
<b>C. SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>			<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>PW factor</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	
ORIG	PROP	< Put "x" in appropriate box (original design or proposed design)						
<b>x</b>		1.	Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	12	37,165	0.7747	28,792	-
<b>x</b>		2.	Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	24	37,165	0.6002	22,305	-
	<b>x</b>	3.	Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	10	585	0.8084	-	472
	<b>x</b>	4.	Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	20	585	0.6535	-	382
	<b>x</b>	5.	Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	30	585	0.5283	-	309
		6.				1.0000	-	-
		7.				1.0000	-	-
<b>D. SALVAGE VALUE</b>			<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>PW factor</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	
		1.			1.0000	-	-	
		2.			1.0000	-	-	
<b>Present Worth of SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>						51,097	1,163	
<b>E. Total Recurrent Costs &amp; Single Expenditures (B + C)</b>						64,848	6,384	
<b>RECURRENT COSTS &amp; SINGLE EXPENDITURES SAVINGS</b>							58,464	
<b>TOTAL PRESENT WORTH COST (A + D)</b>						177,468	7,553	
<b>TOTAL LIFE CYCLE SAVINGS</b>							<b>169,915</b>	

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **546-6**

DESCRIPTION: **USE A GRASS MEDIAN IN LIEU OF A CONCRETE MEDIAN**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 5**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a typical 20-foot concrete median section consisting of a 2.5-foot curb and gutter, a 14-foot concrete median and 2.5-foot curb and gutter.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Maintain the proposed profile and the 20-foot median section but replace the concrete median with grass.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces material cost \*
- Provides for additional storm water run-off absorption
- Reduces concrete maintenance
- Improves sustainable design

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases grass maintenance/replacement

**DISCUSSION:**

The introduction of the grass median is more in keeping with the aesthetic concept of a rural minor arterial roadway with locations having historic significance to maintain the view sheds.

Grass medians would maintain a true “typical” median section throughout the project in the rural/open portions of the project.

*\*Note: The unit cost for the concrete median for this project was set at \$50.00/SY per the designer’s estimate and was used for these calculations. However, all other projects in this corridor, 543, 544, 545, and 28, use a unit cost of \$25.00/SY for the concrete median.*

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 2,895,156	\$ 1,667,075	\$ 4,562,231
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 18,670	\$ 40,121	\$ 58,782
SAVINGS	\$ 2,876,486	\$ 1,626,963	\$ 4,503,449



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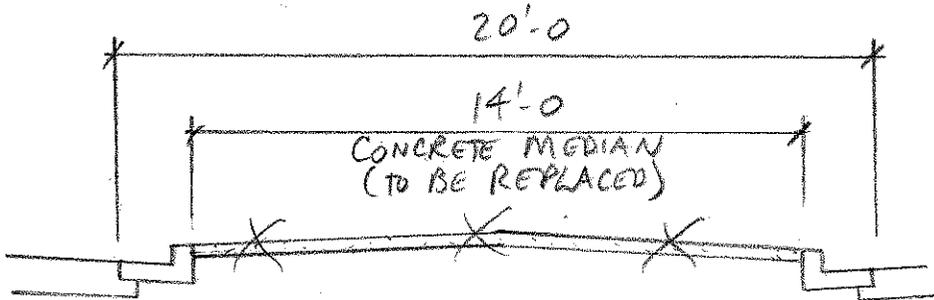
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TYPICAL MEDIAN SECTION

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DESCRIPTION: USE GRASS MEDIAN IN LIEU OF CONCRETE

- ORIGINAL COST ESTIMATE QUANTITY OF MEDIAN = 43,305 SY
- ADD'L FILL  $\Rightarrow 43,305 \text{ SY} \times (4''/12) (1/27) = \underline{534.6 \text{ CY}}$
- ADD'L MAINTENANCE AREA  $\Rightarrow 43,305 \text{ SY} \div 4840 \text{ SY/ACRE} = \underline{8.95 \text{ ACRE}}$
- ADD'L GRASS + FERTILIZER  $\Rightarrow$  (ORIGINAL GRASS QUANTITY = 93 ACRES)
  - GRASS = 300 \$/A
  - LIME = 21 \$/GAL (75 G/93A) = 16.94
  - 60 \$/T (278 T/93A) = 179.35
  - FERTIL. = 275 \$/T (56 T/93A) = 165.59
  - 2 \$/# (4632 #/93A) = 99.61

1,261.5 \$/ACRE

## • ADD'L MAINTENANCE

MOWING COST PROVIDED BY GDOT: MOWING-TIFTON  $\Rightarrow$  \$1,047 PER MILE PER YEAR.

TYPICAL SECTION  $\Rightarrow 24' + 40' + 24' = 88'$

AREA  $\Rightarrow 5260 \text{ FT}^2/\text{M} \times 88' \div 43,560 \text{ SQ FT/ACRE} = 10.63 \text{ ACRE/MILE}$

UNIT COST  $\Rightarrow \frac{\$1,047}{10.63} = \boxed{\$98.53 \text{ PER ACRE PER YEAR}}$

x 8.95 ACRES

\$881.84 PER YEAR



# LIFE CYCLE COST WORKSHEET



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<b>LIFE CYCLE PERIOD:</b> 35      years				<b>ORIGINAL</b>	<b>PROPOSED</b>		
<b>INTEREST RATE:</b> 2.15%		<b>ESCALATION RATE:</b> 0.00%					
<b>A. INITIAL COST</b>				2,895,156	18,670		
<b>Useful Life (Years)</b>							
<b>INITIAL COST SAVINGS</b>					2,876,486		
<b>B. RECURRENT COSTS (Annual Expenditures)</b>							
1. Maintenance: For concrete sidewalks - assume 1/2% of initial cost for minor repairs				14,476			
2. Maintenance: Addition mowing for grass median - see calculation sheet					882		
3.							
<b>Total Annual Costs</b>				14,476	882		
<i>(An effective rate of 2.15% with 0.00% Interest and 0.00% Escal.)</i>							
<b>Present Worth Factor</b>				24.4205	24.4205		
<b>Present Worth of RECURRENT COSTS</b>				353,505	21,535		
<b>C. SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>							
	<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>PW factor</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>		
ORIG	PROP	< Put "x" in appropriate box (original design or proposed design)					
x		1. Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	12	955,401	0.7747	740,160	-
x		2. Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	24	955,401	0.6002	573,410	-
	x	3. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	10	9,335	0.8084	-	7,546
	x	4. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	20	9,335	0.6535	-	6,100
	x	5. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	30	9,335	0.5283	-	4,931
		6.			1.0000	-	-
		7.			1.0000	-	-
<b>D. SALVAGE VALUE</b>							
			<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>PW factor</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>
		1.			1.0000	-	-
		2.			1.0000	-	-
<b>Present Worth of SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>						1,313,570	18,577
<b>E. Total Recurrent Costs &amp; Single Expenditures (B + C)</b>						1,667,075	40,112
<b>RECURRENT COSTS &amp; SINGLE EXPENDITURES SAVINGS</b>							1,626,963
<b>TOTAL PRESENT WORTH COST (A + D)</b>						4,562,231	58,782
<b>TOTAL LIFE CYCLE SAVINGS</b>							<b>4,503,449</b>

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **546-8**

DESCRIPTION: **USE A FIVE-LANE SECTION THROUGH THE CITY OF BERLIN AND EASTERN MOULTRIE**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 4**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The original design includes a 20-foot raised median through the town of Berlin and Eastern Moultrie. Speed is to be posted at 45 miles per hour (mph).

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Using the 45 mph speed limit criterion, use a five-lane flush section through Berlin and Eastern Moultrie.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Decreases cost \*
- Speeds construction
- Decreases right of way costs
- Allows unrestricted left turns through Berlin and Eastern Moultrie

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Slightly decreases safety, but still within GDOT standards
- Eliminates control of left turns

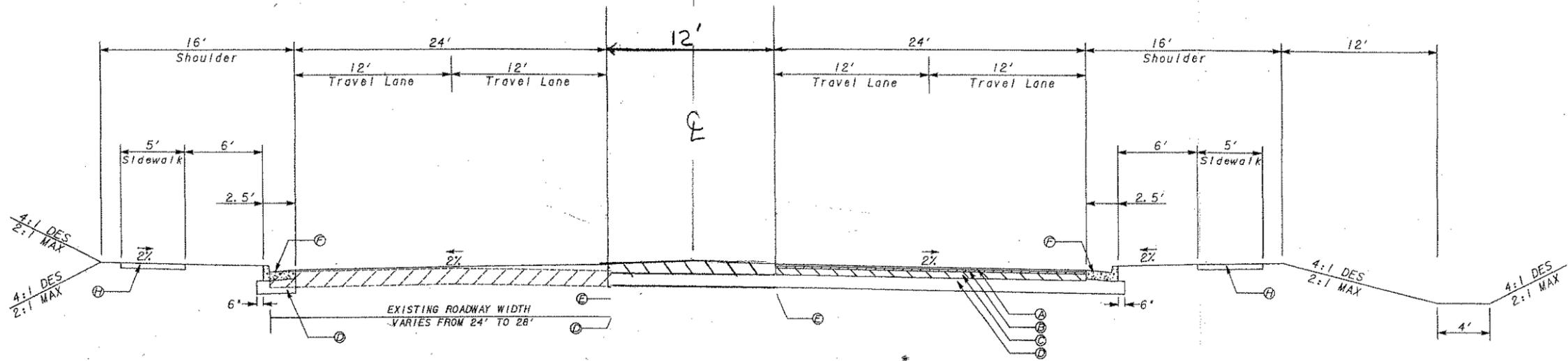
**DISCUSSION:**

GDOT standards allow a five-lane section within a 45 mph speed limit zone; however, this does reduce safety somewhat.

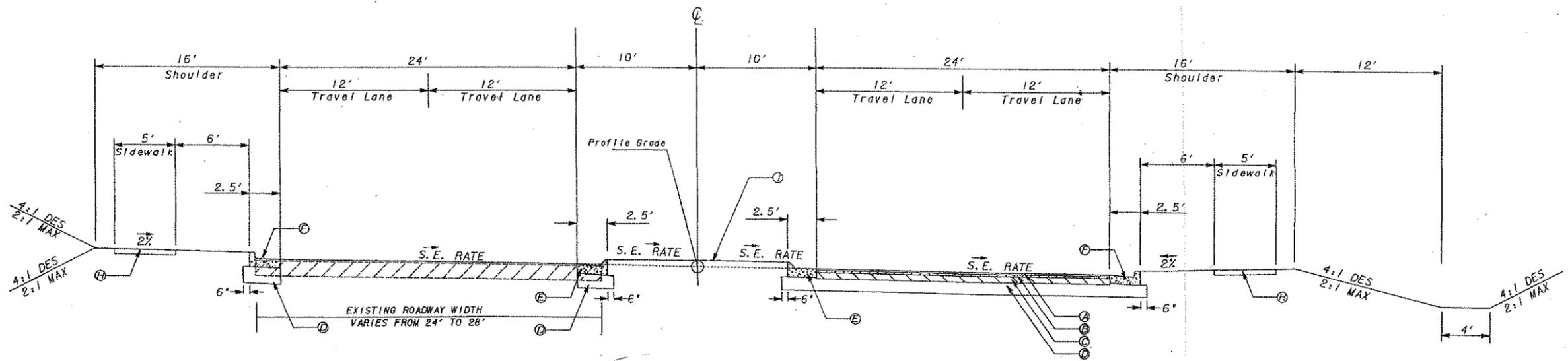
The original design includes a four-lane divided section but has numerous median openings to allow for left turns. Using the five-lane section allows for unrestricted left turns—this may further please the businesses along this route as it improves access.

*\*Note: The unit cost for the concrete median for this project was set at \$50.00/SY per the designer's estimate and was used for these calculations. However, all other projects in this corridor, 543, 544, 545, and 28, use a unit cost of \$25.00/SY for the concrete median.*

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 618,786	—	\$ 618,786
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 536,528	—	\$ 536,528
SAVINGS	\$ 82,258	—	\$ 82,258



Proposed Alternate  
5 Lane Section (Flush)



Original Section  
Raised Median

ALT. No. 1  
546-3  
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DESCRIPTION:

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TOTAL LENGTH UNDER CONSIDERATION (S. VANDER BERG DR. TO EDMONSON DR.)  
STA 0+00 TO 16+20  
(LANGFORD ST. TO CANTON RD)

## ITEMS:

### CONCRETE MEDIAN

- ① 0+40 TO 3+50  $\Rightarrow 310' \times 8' (\frac{1}{4}) = 275.6 SY$   
 ② 3+50 TO 13+20  $\Rightarrow 970' \times 15' (\frac{1}{4}) = 1,616.7 SY$   
 ③ 16+20 TO 13+20  $\Rightarrow 300' \times 8' (\frac{1}{4}) = 266.7 SY$   
 ④ LANGFORD TO ASHLEY  $\Rightarrow 700' \times 8' (\frac{1}{4}) = 622.2 SY$   
 ⑤ ASHLEY TO CANTON  $\Rightarrow 730' \times 8' (\frac{1}{4}) = 648.9 SY$   
 TOTAL = 3,430 SY

### CURB + GUTTER

$$L = (310' + 970' + 300' + 700' + 730') \times 2 = \underline{\underline{6,020 LF}}$$

### AC PAVEMENT

$$\begin{aligned} (310' + 300' + 700' + 730') \times 12' (\frac{1}{4}) &= 2,720 SY \times 1045 \# / SY (\frac{1}{2000}) = 1,421 TN \\ (970') \times 20' (\frac{1}{4}) &= 2,156 SY \times 1045 \# / SY (\frac{1}{2000}) = 1,122 TN \\ &= \underline{\underline{2,648 TN}} \end{aligned}$$

### GAB

$$4,876 SY \times 1350 \# / SY (\frac{1}{2000}) = \underline{\underline{3,292 TN}}$$

### STRIFE

$$(310' + 970' + 300' + 700' + 730') \times 4 = 12,040 LF$$

$$\underline{\text{ROW ORIGINAL}} \Rightarrow 112' \times 3010' (\frac{1}{43,560}) = 7.74 \text{ ACRE}$$

$$\underline{\text{ALTERNATE}} \Rightarrow (112' - 8') \times 3010' (\frac{1}{43,560}) = 7.19 \text{ ACRE}$$

# COST WORKSHEET



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DESCRIPTION	SHEET NO.: 4 of 4
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CONSTRUCTION ITEM		ORIGINAL ESTIMATE			PROPOSED ESTIMATE		
ITEM	UNITS	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL	NO. OF UNITS	COST/ UNIT	TOTAL
4" Concrete Median*	SY	3,430	50	171,500			
Curb and Gutter	LF	6,020	15	90,300			
AC Pavement	TN				2,648	60	158,880
GAB	TN				3,292	16	52,672
Striping (Yellow)	LF				12040.00	0.25	3,010
Construction Subtotal				261,800			214,562
Composite Markup at 33.71%				88,253			72,329
Construction Total				350,053			286,891
Right of Way	AC	7.74	10,000	77,400	7.19	10,000	71,900
Composite Markup at 247.20%				191,333			177,737
ROW Total				268,733			249,637

*\*Note: The unit cost for the concrete median for this project was set at \$50.00 / SY per the designer's estimate and was used for these calculations. However, all other projects in this corridor, 543, 544, 545, and 28, use a unit cost of \$25.00 / SY for the concrete median.*

	<b>Sub-total</b>			618,786			536,528
<b>Mark-up at</b>				INCL.			INCL.
	<b>TOTAL</b>			618,786			536,528

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **546-9**

DESCRIPTION: **USE ARCH SPAN STRUCTURES IN LIEU OF MULTI-CELL BOX CULVERTS**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 4**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for the use of multi-cell concrete box culverts to span over two creeks:

- Quintuple 8-foot x 3-foot culvert at Stream No. 92; and
- Triple 8-foot x 3-foot culvert at Stream No. 83.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Use single span, prefabricated structures in lieu of the multi-cell concrete box culverts.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Minimizes construction time
- Minimizes maintenance of traffic time
- Increases stream flow capacity by reducing stream blockage
- Reduces debris build-up

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases initial cost

**DISCUSSION:**

The existing structures are +50 years old and warrant replacement. Although the hydraulic report has not been updated, the terrain is relatively flat and there is the possibility of flooding. Removing mid-stream obstructions will improve the flow and potentially help avoid flooding. Furthermore, the maintenance associated with debris removal is minimized.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 432,640	—	\$ 432,640
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 668,550	—	\$ 668,550
SAVINGS	\$ (235,910)	—	\$ (235,910)



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ALTERNATIVE NO.:

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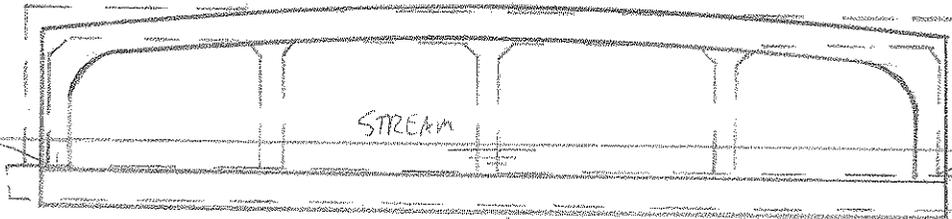
ROADWAY



3-8' x 3'  
ORIGINAL  
24'-0"  
SINGLE SPAN  
ALTERNATE

TYPICAL SECTION  
(@ STREAM # 83)

ROADWAY



4-8' x 3'  
ORIGINAL  
32'-0"  
SINGLE SPAN  
ALTERNATE

TYPICAL SECTION  
(@ STREAM # 92)

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ALTERNATIVE NO.:

546-9

DESCRIPTION:

SHEET NO.: 3 of 4

ARCH QUANTITIES =>

$$\begin{aligned} \text{WIDTH } \textcircled{1} &= 26' \\ \textcircled{2} &= 34' \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{LENGTH} = (10' + 24' + 12') \times 2 = 100'$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{AREA } \textcircled{1} &= \frac{2,600 \text{ SF}}{\phantom{000}} \\ \textcircled{2} &= \frac{3,400 \text{ SF}}{\phantom{000}} \end{aligned}$$

ARCH STRUCTURE COST => CONTECH CONC. ARCH => 24' SPAN = \$180,000

32' SPAN = \$320,00



# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **546-10**

DESCRIPTION: **SIGNALIZE SOUTH VANDERBERG DRIVE ENTRANCE TO AIRPORT (SPENCE FIELD)**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 3**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design does not call for a signalized intersection at South Vanderberg Drive and SR 133. This is the entrance to the Spence Field airport.

**ALTERNATIVE:**

Provide a signalized intersection at South Vanderberg Drive and SR 133. No further improvements are necessary.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Increases safety
- Improves facility operations
- Minimizes the potential for accidents
- Improves time management – especially during yearly special events

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases initial cost

**DISCUSSION:**

This intersection is the main entrance to Spence Field and all associated airport functions. The airport is also the site of the annual Sunbelt Agricultural Exposition. This is a farm show with more than 1,200 agricultural technology exhibitors, and it typically attracts more than 10,000 visitors over a three-day period. Additionally, other yearly events are held at the airport like the Calico Arts and Crafts Show and the Jerry Kelly Automotive Swap Meet.

Furthermore, the facility's speed drops from 55 to 45 mph just 0.5 miles south of this intersection. The accident rate in this location is higher than at most other intersections throughout the corridor. As such, a signalize intersection would improve safety and allow for better traffic flow.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 0	—	\$ 0
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 200,565	—	\$ 200,565
SAVINGS	\$ (200,565)	—	\$ (200,565)



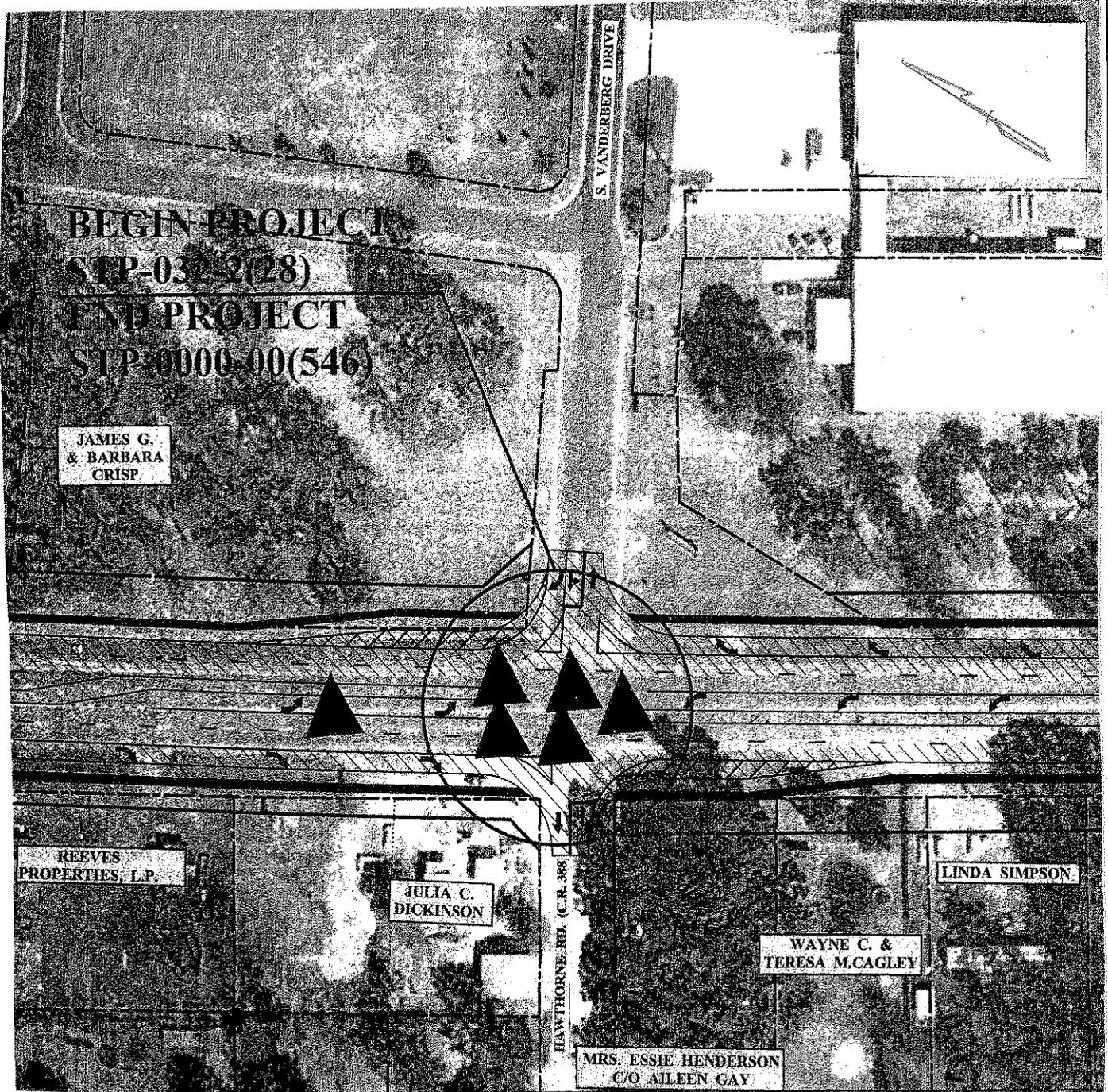
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AS DESIGNED       ALTERNATIVE

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# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **28-2/3**

DESCRIPTION: **SELECTIVELY ELIMINATE MEDIAN CUTS**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 4**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a four-lane divided roadway with closely-spaced media openings.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Consider eliminating non-essential media openings to improve safety and operational efficiencies at the following locations:

SE 24<sup>th</sup> Street; and  
SE 25<sup>th</sup> Street.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces the number of conflict points
- Improves safety
- Improves traffic operations

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases circuitous routing for local residents
- Most likely increases the occurrence of illegal crossovers
- Could increase public opposition

**DISCUSSION:**

This alternative does not preclude crossovers at more appropriate locations, and should increase safety along this stretch of SR 133. In addition, operational efficiencies are achieved with fewer median openings allowing for a more continuous flow of traffic—especially during peak travel times.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 909,600	—	\$ 909,600
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 912,026	—	\$ 912,026
SAVINGS	\$ (2,426)	—	\$ (2,426)

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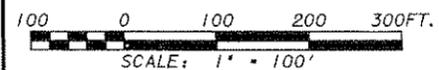
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*Preliminary Design Stage*

28-213

DESCRIPTION:

SHEET NO.: 3 of 4

Extend Concrete Median to Close Median  
Opening between 24<sup>th</sup> + 25<sup>th</sup> Streets

Concrete Median

$$\text{Area} = (8') (90') = 720 \text{ ft}^2 = 80 \text{ SY}$$



# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **28-4**

DESCRIPTION: **ELIMINATE SIDEWALKS (CONCRETE ONLY)**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 5**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a typical 16-foot shoulder section consisting of a 2.5-foot curb and gutter portion, a 6-foot grass strip, a 5-foot-wide x 4-inch-thick concrete sidewalk, and 2.5-foot grass strip.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Maintain the proposed profile and the 16-foot shoulder section but eliminate the concrete sidewalk.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces material cost
- Provides for additional storm water run-off absorption
- Reduces concrete maintenance
- Improves sustainable design

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases grass maintenance/replacement
- Eliminates hard walking surface

**DISCUSSION:**

The sidewalks are currently located at disconnected residential areas with no commercial property destinations. The road is functionally classified as a rural minor arterial and the project is not on a route designated in the GDOT Statewide Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan or a local bike plan.

However, retaining the proposed profile will facilitate installation of concrete sidewalks if the need arises in the future.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 714,339	\$ 425,256	\$ 1,139,595
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 7,728	\$ 17,732	\$ 25,460
SAVINGS	\$ 706,611	\$ 407,524	\$ 1,114,135

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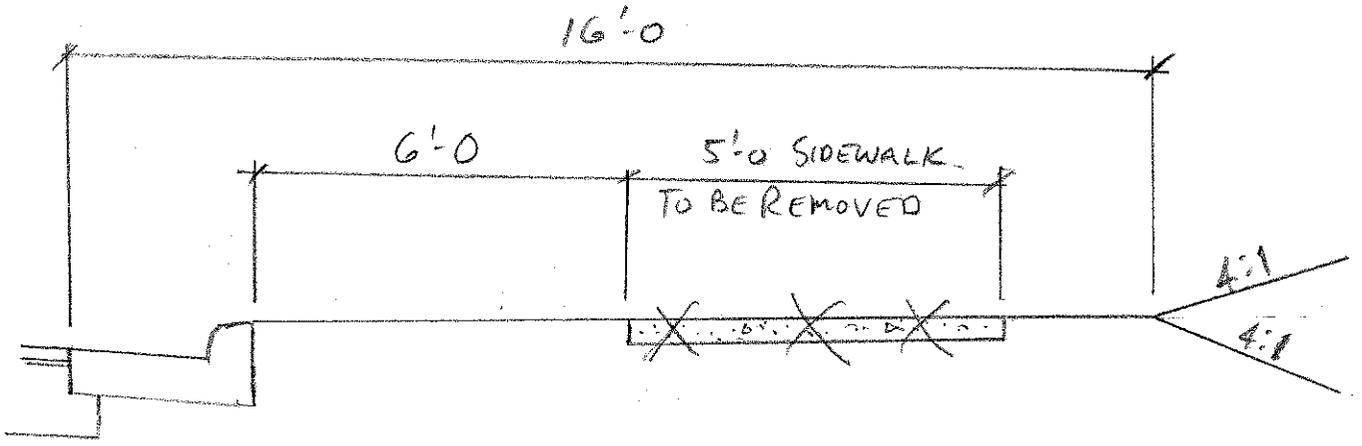
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TYPICAL SIDEWALK PROFILE

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DESCRIPTION: ELIMINATE SIDEWALKS (CONCRETE ONLY)

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• ORIGINAL COST ESTIMATE QUANTITY OF SIDEWALK = 19,000 SF

• ADD'L FILL  $\Rightarrow 19,000 \text{ SF} \times \left(\frac{4''}{12}\right) \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \underline{234.6 \text{ CY}}$

• ADD'L MAINTENANCE AREA  $\Rightarrow 19,000 \text{ SF} \div 4840 \text{ SF/ACRE} = \underline{3.93 \text{ ACRE}}$

• ADD'L GRASS + FERTILIZER + LIME  $\Rightarrow$  (ORIGINAL GRASS QUANT. = 55 ACRE)

GRASS = 800 \$/ACRE

LIME = 21 \$/GAL  $\left(\frac{138 \text{ G}}{55 \text{ A}}\right) = 52.69$

60 \$/T  $\left(\frac{110 \text{ T}}{55 \text{ A}}\right) = 120.0$

FERTIL. = 275 \$/T  $\left(\frac{50 \text{ T}}{55 \text{ A}}\right) = 250.0$

2 \$/#  $\left(\frac{275 \#}{55 \text{ A}}\right) = 100.29$

• ADD'L MAINTENANCE  $\Rightarrow 1,323 \text{ $/ACRE} \times 3.93 \text{ ACRE} = \underline{\$5,199.3}$

MOWING COST PROVIDED BY GDOT: MOWING-TIFTON  $\Rightarrow$  \$1,047 PER MILE PER YEAR

TYPICAL SECTION  $\Rightarrow 24' + 40' + 24' = 88'$

AREA  $\Rightarrow 5260 \text{ FT}^2/\text{M} \times 88' \div 43,560 \text{ SF/ACRE} = 10.63 \text{ ACRE/MILE}$

UNIT COST  $\Rightarrow \frac{\$1,047}{10.63} = \boxed{\$98.53 \text{ PER ACRE PER YEAR}}$

$\times 3.93 \text{ ACRE}$

$\boxed{387.22 \text{ $/ACRE}}$



# LIFE CYCLE COST WORKSHEET



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<b>LIFE CYCLE PERIOD:</b> 35 years				<b>ORIGINAL</b>	<b>PROPOSED</b>		
<b>INTEREST RATE:</b> 1.95%		<b>ESCALATION RATE:</b> 0.00%					
<b>A. INITIAL COST</b>				714,339	7,728		
<b>Useful Life (Years)</b>							
<b>INITIAL COST SAVINGS</b>					706,611		
<b>B. RECURRENT COSTS (Annual Expenditures)</b>							
1. Maintenance: For concrete sidewalks - assume 1/2% of initial cost for minor repairs				3,572			
2. Maintenance: Addition mowing for grass median - see calculation sheet					387		
3.							
<b>Total Annual Costs</b>				3,572	387		
<i>(An effective rate of 1.95% with 0.00% Interest and 0.00% Escal.)</i>							
<b>Present Worth Factor</b>				25.1958	25.1958		
<b>Present Worth of RECURRENT COSTS</b>				89,992	9,756		
<b>C. SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>							
	<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>PW factor</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>		
ORIG	PROP	< Put "x" in appropriate box (original design or proposed design)					
x		1. Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	12	235,732	0.7931	186,970	-
x		2. Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	24	235,732	0.6291	148,294	-
	x	3. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	10	3,864	0.8244	-	3,185
	x	4. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	20	3,864	0.6796	-	2,626
	x	5. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	30	3,864	0.5603	-	2,165
		6.			1.0000	-	-
		7.			1.0000	-	-
<b>D. SALVAGE VALUE</b>							
		1.			1.0000	-	-
		2.			1.0000	-	-
<b>Present Worth of SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>				335,264	7,976		
<b>E. Total Recurrent Costs &amp; Single Expenditures (B + C)</b>				425,256	17,732		
<b>RECURRENT COSTS &amp; SINGLE EXPENDITURES SAVINGS</b>					407,524		
<b>TOTAL PRESENT WORTH COST (A + D)</b>				1,139,595	25,460		
<b>TOTAL LIFE CYCLE SAVINGS</b>					<b>1,114,135</b>		

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **28-5**

DESCRIPTION: **USE A GRASS MEDIAN IN LIEU OF A CONCRETE MEDIAN**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 5**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design calls for a typical 20-foot concrete median section consisting of a 2.5-foot curb and gutter, a 14-foot concrete median, and 2.5-foot curb and gutter.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Maintain the proposed profile and the 20-foot median section but replace the concrete median with grass.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Reduces material cost
- Provides for additional storm water run-off absorption
- Reduces concrete maintenance
- Improves sustainable design

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases grass maintenance/replacement

**DISCUSSION:**

The introduction of the grass median is more in keeping with the aesthetic concept of a rural minor arterial roadway with locations having historic significance to maintain the view sheds.

Grass medians would maintain a true “typical” median section throughout the project in the rural/open portions of the project.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 909,600	\$ 541,497	\$ 1,451,097
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 12,195	\$ 27,979	\$ 40,174
SAVINGS	\$ 897,405	\$ 513,518	\$ 1,410,923



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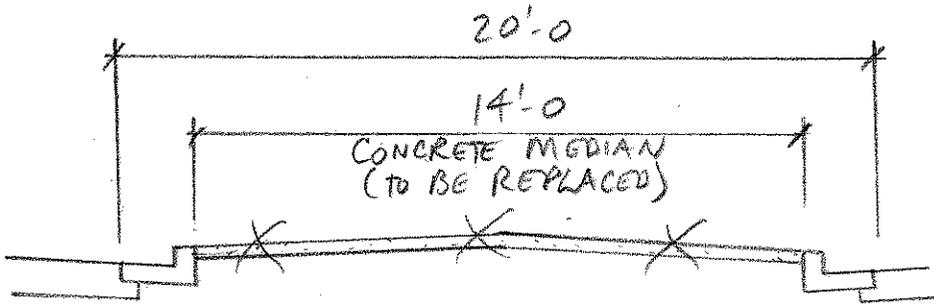
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TYPICAL MEDIAN SECTION

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ALTERNATIVE NO.:

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DESCRIPTION: USE GRASS MEDIAN IN LIEU OF CONCRETE

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- ORIGINAL COST ESTIMATE QUANTITY OF MEDIAN = 30,000 SY
  - ADD'L FILL  $\Rightarrow 30,000 \text{ SY} \times \left(\frac{4''}{12}\right) \left(\frac{1}{27}\right) = \underline{370.4} \text{ CY}$
  - ADD'L MAINTENANCE AREA  $\Rightarrow 30,000 \text{ SY} \div 4840 \text{ SY/ACRE} = \underline{6.2} \text{ ACRE}$
  - ADD'L GRASS + FERTILIZER  $\Rightarrow$  (ORIGINAL GRASS QUANTITY = 55 ACRES)
    - GRASS = 300 \$/A
    - LIME = 21 \$/GAL  $\left(\frac{13\% \text{ G}}{55 \text{ A}}\right) = 52.69$
    - 60 \$/T  $\left(\frac{110 \text{ T}}{55 \text{ A}}\right) = 120.0$
    - FERTIL. = 275 \$/T  $\left(\frac{50 \text{ T}}{55 \text{ A}}\right) = 250.0$
    - 2 \$/#  $\left(\frac{2758 \#}{55 \text{ A}}\right) = 100.29$
- 1,323 \$/ACRE

## • ADD'L MAINTENANCE

MOWING COST PROVIDED BY GDOT: MOWING-TIFTON  $\Rightarrow$  \$1,047 PER MILE PER YEAR.

TYPICAL SECTION  $\Rightarrow 24' + 40' + 24' = 88'$

AREA  $\Rightarrow 5260 \text{ FT}^2/\text{M} \times 88' \div 43,560 \text{ SF/ACRE} = 10.63 \text{ ACRE/MILE}$

UNIT COST  $\Rightarrow \frac{\$1,047}{10.63} = \boxed{\$98.53 \text{ PER ACRE PER YEAR}}$

$\times 6.2 \text{ ACRE}$

$\boxed{\$610.89 \text{ PER YR}}$



# LIFE CYCLE COST WORKSHEET



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<b>LIFE CYCLE PERIOD:</b> 35 years				<b>ORIGINAL</b>	<b>PROPOSED</b>		
<b>INTEREST RATE:</b> 1.95%		<b>ESCALATION RATE:</b> 0.00%					
<b>A. INITIAL COST</b>				909,600	12,195		
Useful Life (Years)							
<b>INITIAL COST SAVINGS</b>					897,405		
<b>B. RECURRENT COSTS (Annual Expenditures)</b>							
1. Maintenance: For concrete sidewalks - assume 1/2% of initial cost for minor repairs				4,548			
2. Maintenance: Addition mowing for grass median - see calculation sheet					611		
3.							
<b>Total Annual Costs</b>				4,548	611		
<i>(An effective rate of 1.95% with 0.00% Interest and 0.00% Escal.)</i>							
<b>Present Worth Factor</b>				25.1958	25.1958		
<b>Present Worth of RECURRENT COSTS</b>				114,590	15,392		
<b>C. SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>							
	<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>PW factor</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>		
ORIG	PROP	< Put "x" in appropriate box (original design or proposed design)					
x		1. Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	12	300,168	0.7931	238,077	-
x		2. Assume replacement of 1/3 of the sidewalks every 12 years	24	300,168	0.6291	188,830	-
	x	3. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	10	6,098	0.8244	-	5,027
	x	4. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	20	6,098	0.6796	-	4,144
	x	5. Assume replacement of 1/2 of the grass medians every 10 years	30	6,098	0.5603	-	3,416
		6.			1.0000	-	-
		7.			1.0000	-	-
<b>D. SALVAGE VALUE</b>							
		<b>Year</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>PW factor</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	<b>Present Worth</b>	
		1.		1.0000	-	-	
		2.		1.0000	-	-	
<b>Present Worth of SINGLE EXPENDITURES</b>					426,907	12,587	
<b>E. Total Recurrent Costs &amp; Single Expenditures (B + C)</b>				541,497	27,979		
<b>RECURRENT COSTS &amp; SINGLE EXPENDITURES SAVINGS</b>					513,518		
<b>TOTAL PRESENT WORTH COST (A + D)</b>				1,451,097	40,174		
<b>TOTAL LIFE CYCLE SAVINGS</b>					<b>1,410,923</b>		

# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **28-7**

DESCRIPTION: **USE A FIVE-LANE SECTION THROUGH MOULTRIE FROM SOUTH VANDERBERG DRIVE TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS (SR 35)**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 6**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The original design includes a 20-foot raised median through the town of Moultrie. Speed is to be posted at 45 miles per hour (mph).

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Using the 45 mph speed limit criterion, use a five-lane flush section through Moultrie.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Decreases cost
- Speeds construction
- Decreases right of way costs
- Allows unrestricted left turns through Moultrie

**DISADVANTAGES:**

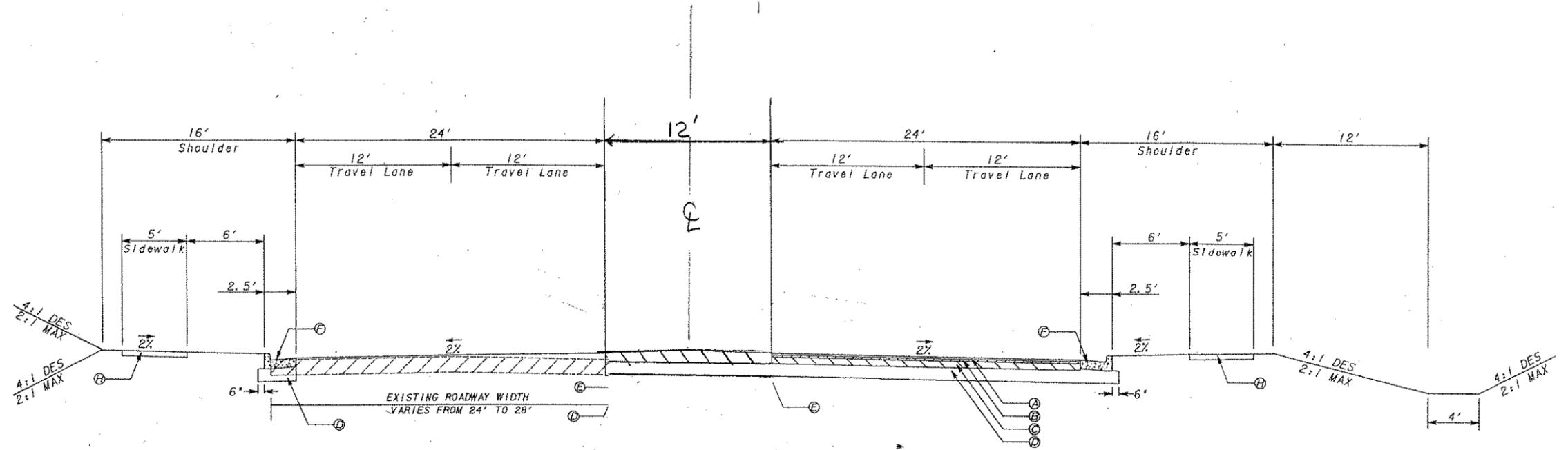
- Slightly decreases safety, but still within GDOT standards
- Eliminates control of left turns

**DISCUSSION:**

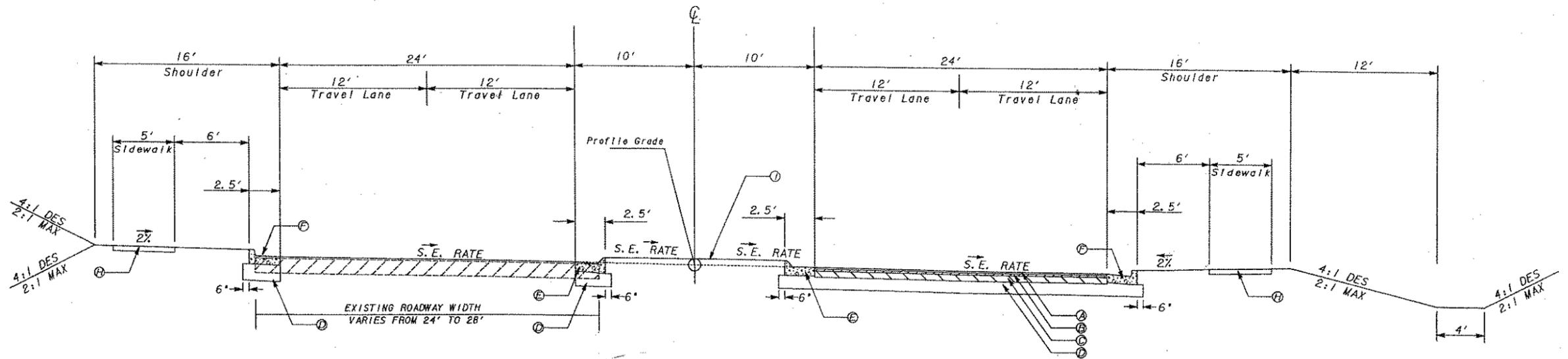
GDOT standards allow a five-lane section within a 45 mph speed limit zone; however, it will reduce safety somewhat.

The original design includes for a four-lane divided section with median openings to allow left turns. The five-lane section allows for unrestricted left turns to meet the desire for left turns at almost every street and business establishment.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 4,825,518	—	\$ 4,825,518
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 3,871,382	—	\$ 3,871,382
SAVINGS	\$ 954,136	—	\$ 954,136



Proposed Alternate  
5 Lane Section (Flush)



Original Section  
Raised Median

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DESCRIPTION:

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Total Length Under Consideration (South Vanderberg Dr to SR 35)

is : Mile Post 10.2 + 14.8 = 4.6 mi = 24,288 LF

Quantities:

Concrete Median

① S. Vanderberg to Dean Matthews

$$[2 \cdot (210\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft}) + 60\text{ft} \cdot 100\text{ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9\text{ft}^2} = 923 \text{ SY}$$

② Dean Matthews to Miller

$$[2 \cdot (250\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft}) + 190\text{ft} \cdot 250\text{ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9\text{ft}^2} = 5583 \text{ SY}$$

③ Miller to East of Railroad St.

$$[985\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft} + 300\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft} + 120\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9\text{ft}^2} = 859 \text{ SY}$$

④ East of Railroad St

$$550\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft} \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9\text{ft}^2} = 336 \text{ SY}$$

⑤ Railroad St. to Williams' Property Crossover

$$= 336 \text{ SY}$$

⑥ Williams' Property to Sunset Body Shop

$$[2 \cdot (250\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft}) + 190\text{ft} \cdot 210\text{ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9\text{ft}^2} = 4739 \text{ SY}$$

⑦ Sunset Body Shop to Bozeman Crossover

$$[2 \cdot (250\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft}) + 190\text{ft} \cdot 190\text{ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9\text{ft}^2} = 4317 \text{ SY}$$

⑧ Bozeman to Cruz Crossover

$$[2 \cdot (250\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft}) + 190\text{ft} \cdot 190\text{ft}] \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9\text{ft}^2} = 4317 \text{ SY}$$

⑨ Cruz Crossover to SR 35

$$\frac{\text{SY}}{9\text{ft}^2} [180\text{ft} (980\text{ft} + 475\text{ft}) + 5.5\text{ft} (550\text{ft} + 530\text{ft} + 535\text{ft} + 550\text{ft} + 550\text{ft} + 600\text{ft} + 600\text{ft} + 720\text{ft} + 880\text{ft} + 600\text{ft} + 750\text{ft} + 770\text{ft} + 740\text{ft} + 750\text{ft} + 625\text{ft} + 610\text{ft} + 670\text{ft}) + (400\text{ft} \cdot 6\text{ft}) + 300\text{ft} \cdot 5.5\text{ft}] = 36,291 \text{ SY}$$

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DESCRIPTION:

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Quantities (Continued)  
Concrete Median:

$$\underline{\text{Total} = 55,701 \text{ SY}}$$

Curb & Gutter

$$\textcircled{1} \quad 4 \cdot 210 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 60 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 100 \text{ ft} = 1160 \text{ LF}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad 4 \cdot 250 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 190 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 250 \text{ ft} = 1880 \text{ LF}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad 2 \cdot 985 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 300 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 120 \text{ ft} = 2810 \text{ LF}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad 2 \cdot 550 \text{ ft} = 1100 \text{ LF}$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad = 1100 \text{ LF}$$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad 4 \cdot 250 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 190 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 210 \text{ ft} = 1800 \text{ LF}$$

$$\textcircled{7} \quad 4 \cdot 250 \text{ ft} + 4 \cdot 190 \text{ ft} = 1760 \text{ LF}$$

$$\textcircled{8} \quad 4 \cdot 250 \text{ ft} + 4 \cdot 190 \text{ ft} = 1760 \text{ LF}$$

$$\textcircled{9} \quad 2 \cdot 11,030 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 980 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 475 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 400 \text{ ft} + 2 \cdot 300 \text{ ft} \\ = 26,370 \text{ LF}$$

$$\underline{\text{Total} = 39,740 \text{ LF}}$$

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DESCRIPTION:

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AC Pavement  
1045 lb/sy

$$12 \text{ ft} \cdot 24,288 \text{ ft} \cdot \frac{\text{SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} = 32,384 \text{ SY}$$

$$1045 \text{ lb/sy} \cdot 32,384 \text{ SY} \cdot \frac{\text{TN}}{2000 \text{ lb}} = \underline{16,921 \text{ TN}}$$

GAB  
1350 lb/sy

$$1350 \text{ lb/sy} \cdot 32,384 \text{ SY} \cdot \frac{\text{TN}}{2000 \text{ lb}}$$

$$= \underline{21,859 \text{ TN}}$$

Stripe

$$4 \cdot 24,288 \text{ ft} = 97,152 \text{ LF}$$

Right of Way

original

$$112 \text{ ft} \cdot 24,288 \text{ ft} \cdot \frac{\text{Acre}}{43560 \text{ ft}^2} = 62.4 \text{ Acre}$$

Alternate

$$(112 \text{ ft} - 8 \text{ ft}) \cdot 24,288 \text{ ft} \cdot \frac{\text{Acre}}{43560 \text{ ft}^2} = 58.0 \text{ Acre}$$



# VALUE ENGINEERING ALTERNATIVE



PROJECT: **WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

ALTERNATIVE NO.: **28-8**

DESCRIPTION: **PROVIDE NEW INTERSECTION AT QUAIL RUN AND SANDERSON FARMS CHICKEN PLANT AND ELIMINATE THE OLD MOULTRIE-ADEL ROAD/SR 133 INTERSECTION**

SHEET NO.: **1 of 4**

**ORIGINAL DESIGN:** (Sketch attached)

The current design reconfigures the Old Moultrie-Adel Road and SR 133 intersection and introduces a new traffic signal at this location. Quail Run is currently a cul-de-sac residential street.

The reconfiguration of Old Moultrie-Adel Road and SR 133 intersection is being constructed as a fast track “Safety Project” outside the purview of this project.

**ALTERNATIVE:** (Sketch attached)

Extend Quail Run to the south to tie into SR 133 at the location where a new road has been constructed for access to the Sanderson Farms Chicken Plant west of SR 133. There is a signal at this location that will be modified to accommodate the intended reconfiguration. Demolish the recently-constructed, reconfigured intersection of Old Moultrie-Adel Road and SR 133 and construct a cul-de-sac.

**ADVANTAGES:**

- Eliminates an unsafe, skewed intersection
- Reduces the number of conflict points
- Improves safety
- Improves traffic operations
- Decreases the number of traffic signals in close proximity

**DISADVANTAGES:**

- Increases circuitous routing for local residents
- Increases initial cost

**DISCUSSION:**

It is understood that a “Safety Project” will be executed to reconfigure the Old Moultrie-Adel Road/SR 133 intersection and provide a new signal. This safety project is intended to address a high level of accidents at this skewed intersection.

The alternative eliminates access to SR 133 at Old Moultrie-Adel Road but provide access via Quail Run. While increasing the project cost by almost \$465,000, it will greatly enhance safety and provide operational efficiencies.

COST SUMMARY	INITIAL COST	PRESENT WORTH RECURRING COSTS	PRESENT WORTH LIFE-CYCLE COST
ORIGINAL DESIGN	\$ 0	—	\$ 0
ALTERNATIVE	\$ 464,032	—	\$ 464,032
SAVINGS	\$ (464,032)	—	\$ (464,032)

1" = 20'

**BEGIN PROJECT**  
CSSFT-0007-00(477)

31st St. SE  
30th St. SE  
30th St. SE  
31st St. SE  
OLD MOULTRIE - ADEL ROAD

QUAIL RUN

Extend Quail Run to meet with new road at Chicken Plant.  
New portion of Quail Run and upgraded portion to be 24 feet with curb & gutter.

EXISTING SIGNAL

WAYNE FRIER HOME CENTER

Demolish recently constructed roadway and traffic signal from "Safety Project".  
Construct Cul-De-Sac.

PATRICIA YEARTY

JIMMY MOXLEY

EXISTING SIGNAL

S.R. 133

MILE 22

AVENUE

RUBY STRIPLIN UPTON

M.H. ROTHWELL

REGENCY VILLAGE

JENKINS FAMILY PROPERTIES

JERRY FRAZIER JR.

PLYMEL PROPERTIES LLC

POND #113

THOMAS W. ROWELL

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DESCRIPTION:

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Total length of Quail Run as proposed is 1350 ft. Total length of existing is 850 ft.

Items:

Curb & Gutter  
Pavement  
Signal

Curb & Gutter:

$$L = 1350 \text{ ft} \cdot 2 = 2700 \text{ ft} \quad \text{--- Alternate ---}$$

Pavement

$$L = 314 \text{ ft}$$

New Cut-de-Sac

$$L = 3014 \text{ ft}$$

12.5 mm SuperPave	165 lb/sy, \$60/TN	12.5 mm SuperPave	165 lb/sy
19 mm SuperPave	220 lb/sy, \$60/TN	Leucling	200 lb/sy
25 mm	660 lb/sy, \$60/TN	Rehab.	365 lb/sy

$$\left[ (1350 \text{ ft} - 850 \text{ ft}) \cdot 24 \text{ ft} + \pi (50 \text{ ft})^2 \right] \cdot \frac{1 \text{ SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} \cdot 1045 \text{ lb/sy} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ TN}}{2000 \text{ lb}} = 1452 \text{ TN}$$

Qual Run Cut-De-Sac Full Depth AC = 1045 lb/sy, \$60/TN @ \$60/TN

Quail Run (Full Depth) & Cut-de-Sac

$$850 \text{ ft} \cdot 24 \text{ ft} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} \cdot 365 \text{ lb/sy} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ TN}}{2000 \text{ lb}} = 414 \text{ TN}$$

Quail Run (Overlay)

GAB: 1350 lb/sy

$$\left[ 1350 \text{ ft} \cdot 25 \text{ ft} + \pi (50 \text{ ft})^2 \right] \cdot \frac{1 \text{ SY}}{9 \text{ ft}^2} \cdot 1350 \text{ lb/sy} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ TN}}{2000 \text{ lb}} = 3132 \text{ TN}$$

Traffic Signal:

New \$150,000  
Modify \$100,000

Right of Way:

$$\text{Quail Run} = \frac{(540 \text{ ft} + 230 \text{ ft})}{2} \cdot 200 \text{ ft} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ Acre}}{43,560 \text{ ft}^2} = 1.8 \text{ Acre}$$

$$\text{Intersection} = \frac{450 \text{ ft} + 270 \text{ ft}}{2} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ Acre}}{43,560 \text{ ft}^2} = 1.4 \text{ Acre}$$



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## PROJECT DESCRIPTION

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### NEED AND PURPOSE

#### History

State Route (SR) 133 is a major north-south corridor in South Georgia and provides a vital connection between Valdosta on the south with Albany to the north. For its entire length between Valdosta and Albany, SR 133 is identified for eventual widening due to its inclusion on the Governor's Road Improvement Program (GRIP). The GRIP was initiated in the 1980s to address the importance of stimulating economic growth via an improved transportation network. SR 133 was recently added to the GRIP by the State Legislature and approved by the Governor.

#### Demographics

Contract	County	Population Growth 1990 – 2000	County Census Tract	Minority Populations* - 2000	Poverty Level (per U.S. Census) - 1999
543	Brooks	6.8% = 10,282 people	9903	25.0% vs.34.9% for the State	23.4% vs. 13.0% for the State
544					
545	Colquitt	4.8% = 42,053	9704, 9706, and 9707	30.8%, 23.2%, and 33% (respectively) vs.34.9% for the State	19.8% vs. 13.0% for the State
546					
28					

*\*Note: The U. S. Census defines a minority population as Black/African-American, Hispanic/Latino, Asian/Pacific Islander, or American Indian/Alaska Native.*

#### Traffic

Contract	Traffic Volume in Vehicles per Day (VPD) 2005	Level of Service (LOS)	Traffic Volume in Build Year 2010	LOS*	Traffic Volume in Design Year 2030	LOS*
543	9,025	D	10,140	D	14,990	E
544	4,102	B	5,425	C	8,075	C
545	3,994	B	5,150	C	7,725	C
546	4,211	B	5,450	C	8,125	C
28	12,332	A	13,600	A	20,200	A

*\*Note: LOS for the design and build represents a LOS level under a "no build" scenario.*

#### Accidents

Overall crash rates along this section of SR 133 are below the statewide averages for this type of road which is functionally classified as a rural minor arterial. Analysis of the most current accident data that was available (years 2000, 2001, and 2002) shows that most of the accidents that occurred on the roadway itself were angle-intersect, sideswipe, and rear-end type accidents.

## PROPOSED SCOPE OF WORK

The projects are not on a route designated in the GDOT Statewide Bicycle and Pedestrian Plan or a local bike plan. There are nine projects that will widen SR 133 between Albany and Valdosta. More specifically, there are five projects on this state route between Valdosta and Moultrie and four projects between Moultrie and Albany—the five projects associated with this value engineering report. The proposed limits of the five projects (P. I. Nos. 0000543, 0000544, 0000545, 0000546, and 431780) between Valdosta and Moultrie have logical termini: the southern terminus of these projects will tie into the existing four lane section of SR 133 near Troupeville Road (CR 276) in Brooks County and the northern terminus of these projects will tie into the existing through lane section at the East Moultrie Bypass (SR 35) in Colquitt County.

Contract	County	Proposed Scope	Termini	LOS
543	Brooks	Widen SR 133 from two to four lanes with turn lanes as needed	Troupeville Road (CR 276) and Pauline Church Road (CR 10)	A
544			Pauline Church Road and Old Quitman Road (CR 1)	
545	Brooks/Colquitt		Old Quitman Road and Old Berlin Road (CR 256)	
546	Colquitt		Old Berlin Road and Hawthorne Road (CR 388)	
28		Add a 20-foot raised concrete median to the existing four-lane section of SR 133	Hawthorne Road and the East Moultrie Bypass (SR 35)	N/A

### Description of the Proposed Projects:

1. STP-0000-00(543) in Brooks County is proposed to improve 6.68 miles of SR 133 from Troupeville Road (Brooks County Mile Post 0.71) to Pauline Church Road (Brooks County Mile Post 7.39) where it ties to Project STP-0000-00(544). The project begins 0.57 miles outside the Valdosta City Limits at Troupeville Road where it ties in to an existing 20-foot raised median typical section. This 20-foot raised median typical section includes a rural shoulder and is maintained to Ridgeland Road. At Ridgeland Road the rural shoulder transitions to an urban shoulder including curb and gutter and sidewalks, but maintains the same 20-foot raised concrete median. This urban 20-foot raised median typical section is maintained through the densely populated area which ends at Fellowship Lane. At Fellowship Lane the 20-foot raised median transitions to the standard GRIP 44-foot depressed median typical section and maintains this typical section for the remainder of the project which terminates at Pauline Church Road. The widening of the existing roadway shifts from one side to the other in a number of places in order to minimize right-of-way impacts. SR 133 will be posted at 45 miles per hour (mph) from Troupeville Road to Fellowship Lane and 55 mph from Fellowship Lane to Pauline Church Road.

2. STP-0000-00(544) in Brooks County is proposed to improve 5.58 miles of SR 133 from Pauline Church Road where it ties to Project STP-0000-00(543), to Old Quitman Road (Brooks County Mile Post 12.97) where it ties to Project STP-0000-00(545). Improvements consist of widening the existing two-lane SR 133 to a four-lane roadway with turn lanes as needed. The project begins at Pauline Church Road with a 44-foot depressed median typical section. The widening of the existing roadway shifts from one side to the other in a number of places to avoid historic resources and cemeteries, and to minimize right-of-way impacts. The 44-foot depressed median typical section is maintained to a point approximately 2,300 feet north of Rizer Road (CR 4). At this point the median tapers down to a 32-foot depressed median which is maintained for approximately 5,000 feet to minimize impacts to the adjacent wetlands. Once through the wetland area the proposed median tapers back out to the 44-foot depressed median

typical section which is maintained up to Lawson Pond Road. At Lawson Pond Road the typical section tapers down to a 20-foot raised median section in order to maintain the existing SR 133 alignment through the city of Morven while minimizing right-of-way impacts and maintaining the existing 45 mph speed limit. This 20-foot median typical section is maintained for the remainder of the project which terminates at Old Quitman Road.

3. STP-0000-00(545) in Brooks and Colquitt Counties is proposed to improve 9.63 miles of SR 133 from Old Quitman Road, where it ties to Project STP-0000-00(544), to Old Berlin Road (Colquitt County MP 2.44), where it ties to Project STP-0000-00(546). Improvements consist of widening the existing two-lane SR 133 to a four-lane roadway with turn lanes as needed. The project begins at Old Quitman Road with a 44-foot depressed median typical section which transitions from a 20-foot raised median just outside of Morven city limits in Project STP-0000-00(544). The widening of the existing roadway shifts from one side to the other in a number of places to avoid historic resources and property displacements. The proposed 44-foot depressed median section transitions to a 24-foot raised, typical grassed median section, shifting to symmetrical widening in order to avoid impacts to historic properties from Moultrie Highway (SR 333) to Hempstead Church Road. The 24-foot raised grassed median typical section becomes a 24-foot raised concrete median at Hempstead Church Road and the widening shifts from symmetrical to widening to the east. The 24-foot raised concrete median typical section is maintained for the remainder of the project which terminates at Old Berlin Road.

4. STP-0000-00(546) in Colquitt County is proposed to improve 7.64 miles of SR 133 from Old Berlin Road where it ties to Project STP-0000-00(545) to Hawthorne Road (Colquitt County Mile Post 10.08) where it ties to Project STP-032-2(28). Improvements consist of widening the existing two-lane SR 133 to a four-lane roadway with turn lanes as needed. The widening of the existing roadway shifts from one side to the other in a number of places to avoid historic resources and to minimize right-of-way impacts. The project begins at the realigned Old Berlin Road and SR 133 intersection at a posted speed of 55 mph with a 24-foot raised concrete median typical section which is maintained to Cannon Road where the posted speed changes to 45 mph and the typical section tapers down to a 20-foot raised concrete median typical section in order to maintain the existing SR 133 alignment through the city of Berlin while minimizing right-of-way impacts. This 20-foot concrete median typical section is maintained to approximately 1,700 feet north of the intersection with Langford Street where the typical section transitions out to a 24-foot raised concrete median and the posted speed changes to 55 mph. Approximately 600 feet south of Leo's Lane, the typical section changes to a 24-foot raised grassed median typical section which is maintained for approximately three miles changing back to a 24-foot raised concrete median typical section at approximately 1,300 feet south of Stripling Road. This 24-foot grassed median is proposed in order to minimize the visual effect the roadway has on the historic resources within the three miles. The 24-foot raised concrete median typical section is maintained from approximately 1,300 feet south of Stripling Road to Edmondson Road where the posted speed changes to 45 mph and the typical section tapers down to a 20-foot raised concrete median through the remainder of the project which terminates at Hawthorne Road.

5. STP-032-2(28) in Colquitt County is proposed to improve 4.55 miles of SR 133 from Hawthorne Road where it ties to Project STP-0000-00(546), to the East Moultrie Bypass (Colquitt County Mile Post 14.63). Improvements consist of adding a 20-foot raised concrete median, curb and gutter, and sidewalks to the existing four-lane SR 133 with turn lanes as needed. The addition of the 20-foot raised median will eliminate conflicting left turn movements which will provide for a safer road through this densely populated area. The widening of the existing roadway shifts from one side to the other in a number of places to avoid historic resources and property impacts.

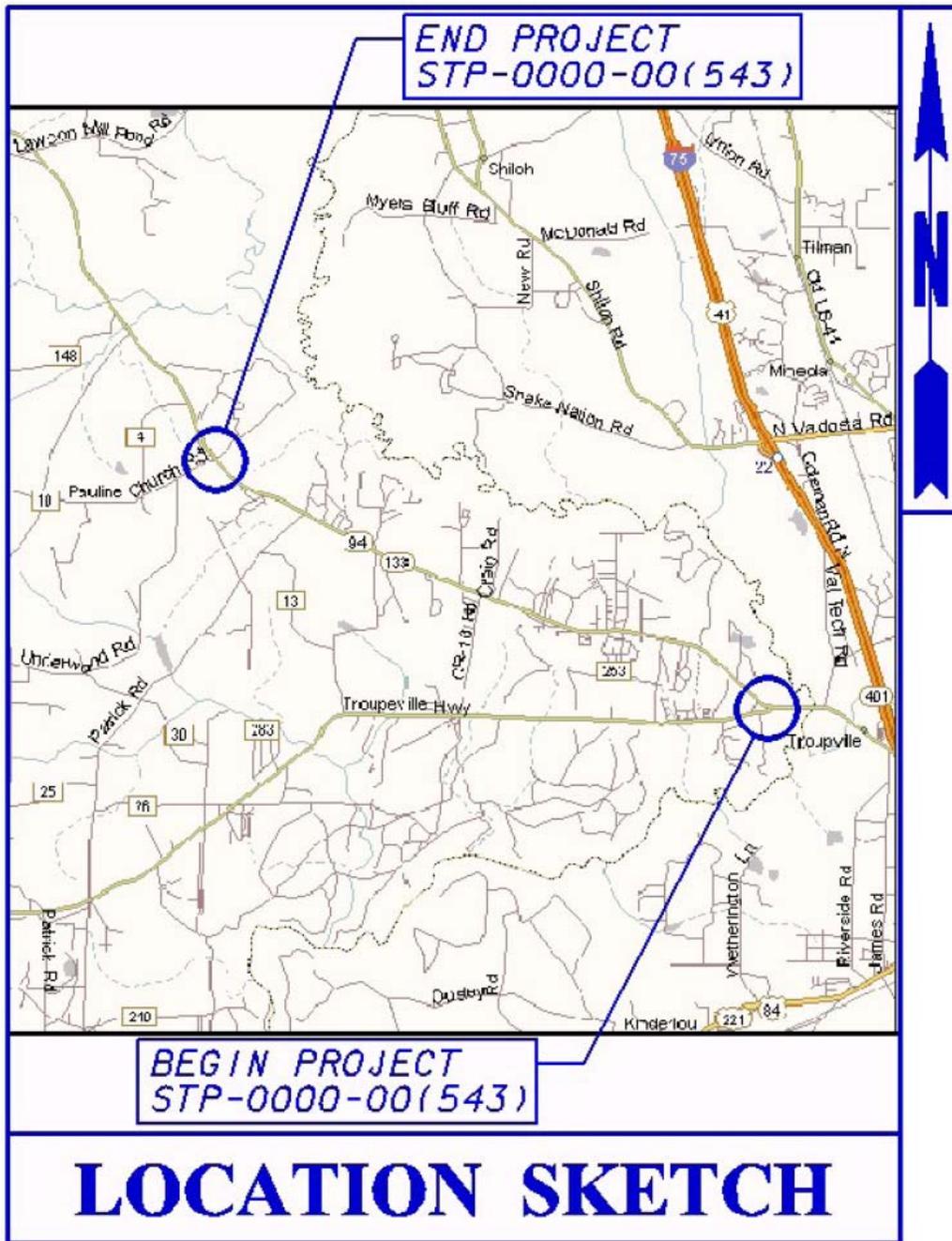
Improvements to all four of the five projects consist of widening the existing two-lane SR 133 to a four-lane roadway with turn lanes as needed and the fifth project adds a 20-foot raised concrete median, curb

and gutter, and sidewalks to the existing four-lane SR 133 with turn lanes as needed.

## PROJECT COSTS

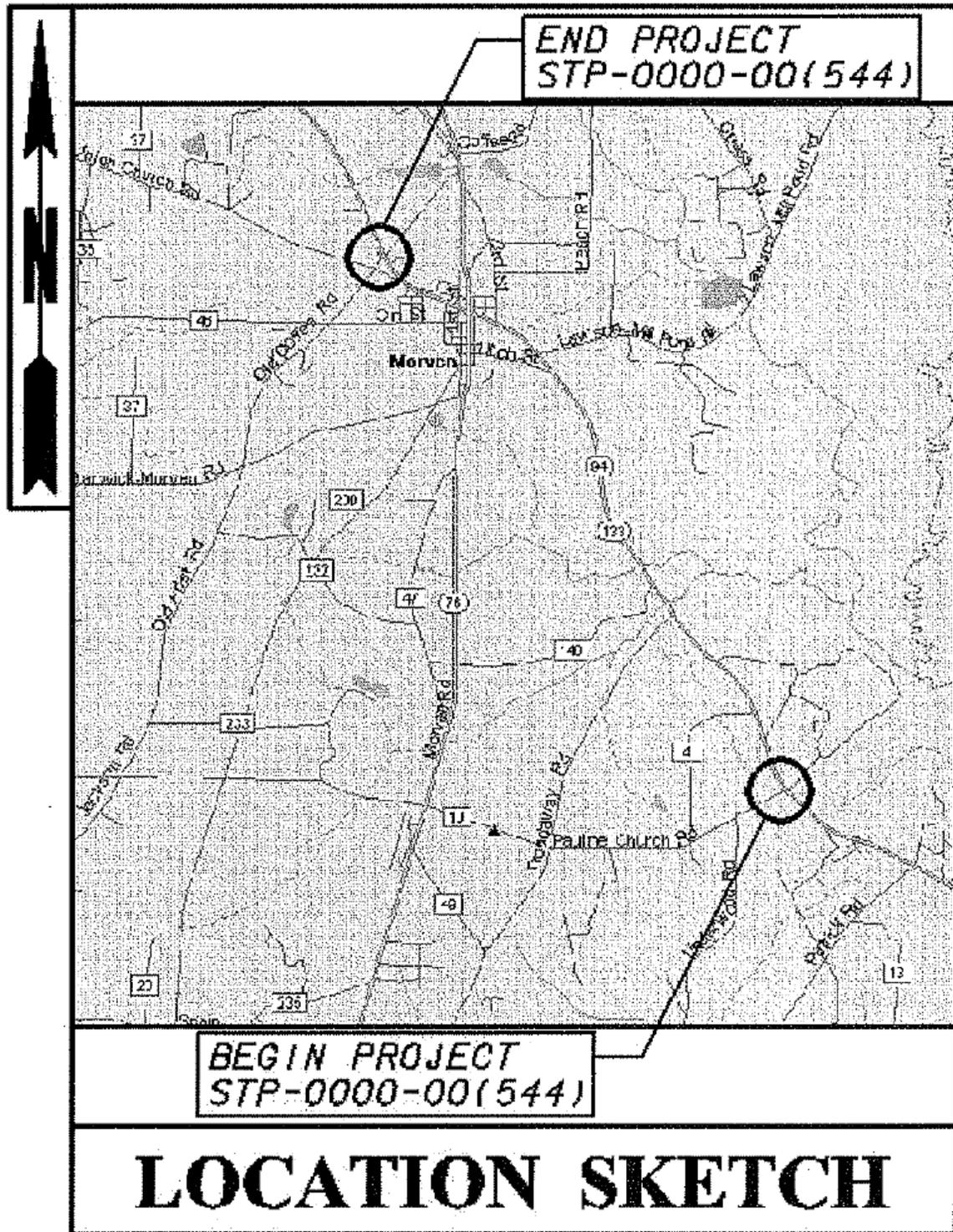
The collective, projected cost of construction for all five contracts is \$115,262,227 and is based on the *Preliminary Cost Estimates* prepared by Wolverton & Associates, Inc. and dated December, 2005; December 1, 2005; February 2006; December 2005; and December 12, 2005, respectively. This total figure includes inflation based on 5.00% per annum for four years for Contracts 543, 544, 545 and 546 and 5.00% per annum for two years for Contract 28. It also includes engineering and construction, preliminary right-of-way, and reimbursable utilities as illustrated in the following table.

Contract No.	Construction Cost Subtotal	Inflation	Engineering & Construction	Right-of-Way	Reimbursable Utilities	Total
543	\$14,040,519	\$3,025,820	\$1,706,634	\$2,062,500	\$1,352,500	\$22,187,972
544	\$12,265,842	\$2,643,366	\$1,490,921	\$1,250,000	\$577,500	\$18,227,628
545	\$21,929,928	\$4,726,037	\$2,665,596	\$2,750,001	\$2,512,500	\$34,584,062
546	\$17,746,439	\$3,824,469	\$2,157,091	\$2,000,000	\$15,000	\$25,742,999
28	\$10,156,208	\$1,041,011	\$1,119,722	\$2,022,624	\$180,000	\$14,519,565
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$76,138,936</b>	<b>\$15,260,703</b>	<b>\$9,139,964</b>	<b>\$10,085,125</b>	<b>4,637,500</b>	<b>\$115,262,228</b>



**Project:** STP-0000-00(543) PI No.: 0000543

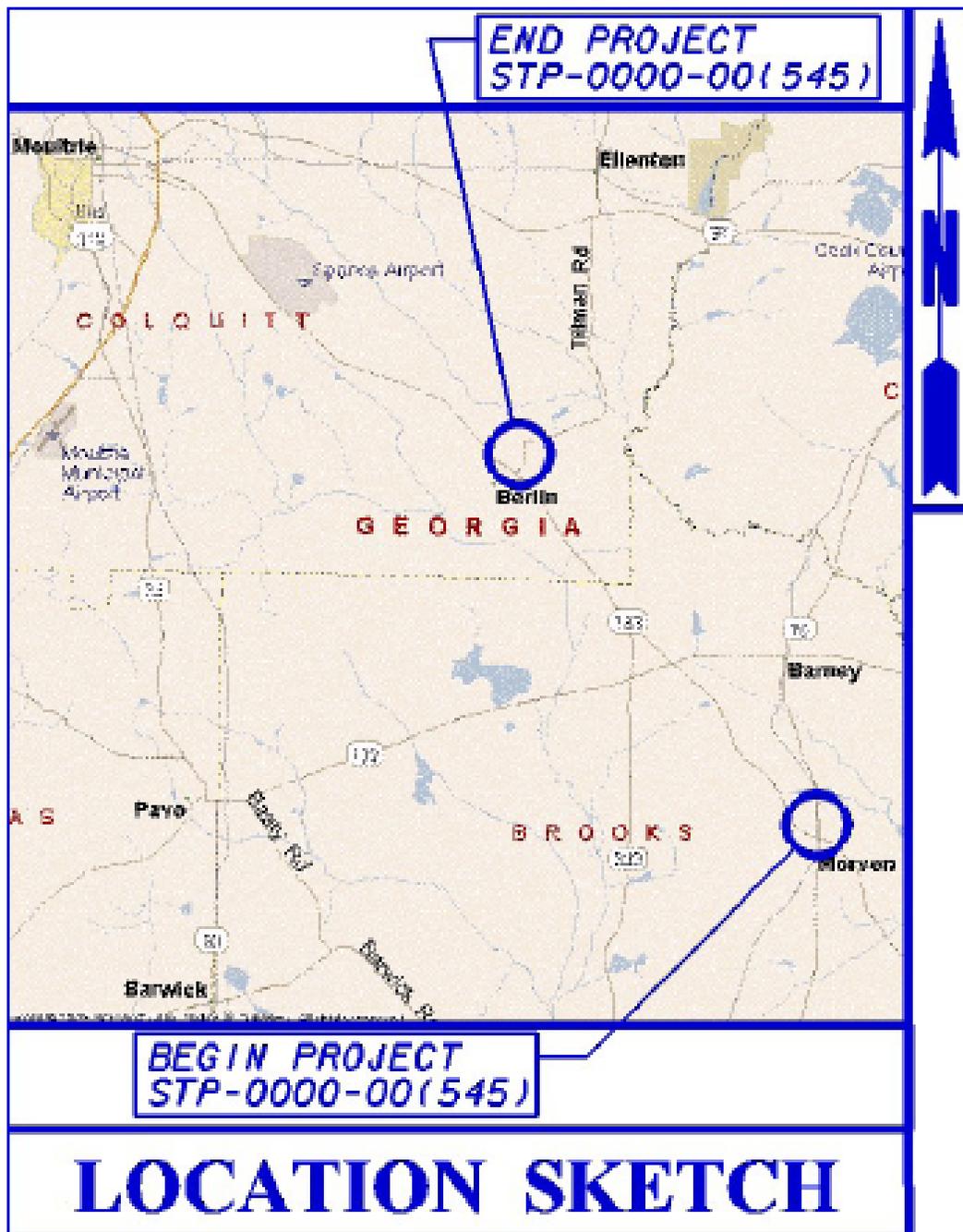
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# LOCATION SKETCH

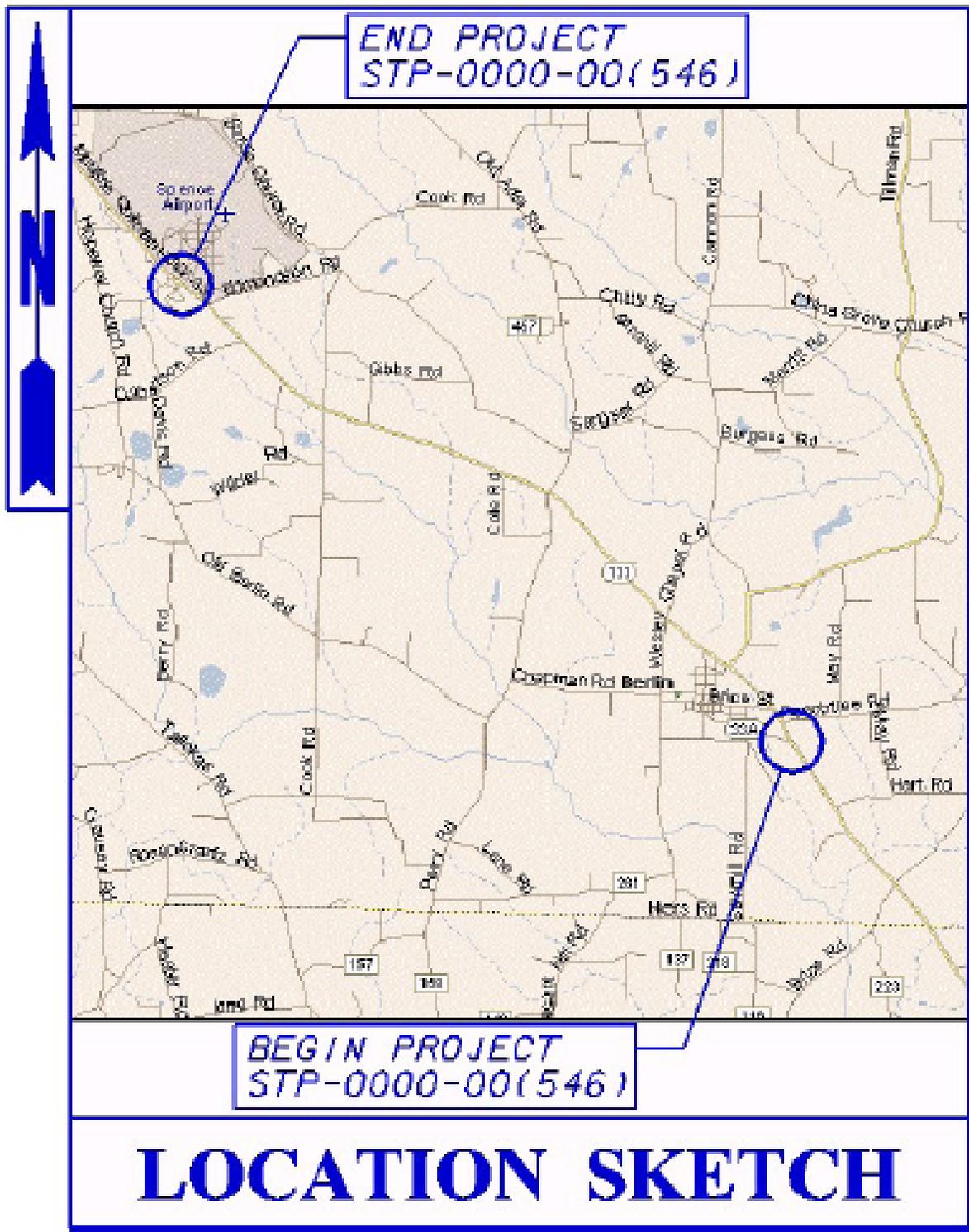
**Project:** STP-0000-00(544) **PI No.:** 0000544

**Description:** Widening of SR 133 from Pauline Church Road (CR10) to Old Quitman Road (CR 1)

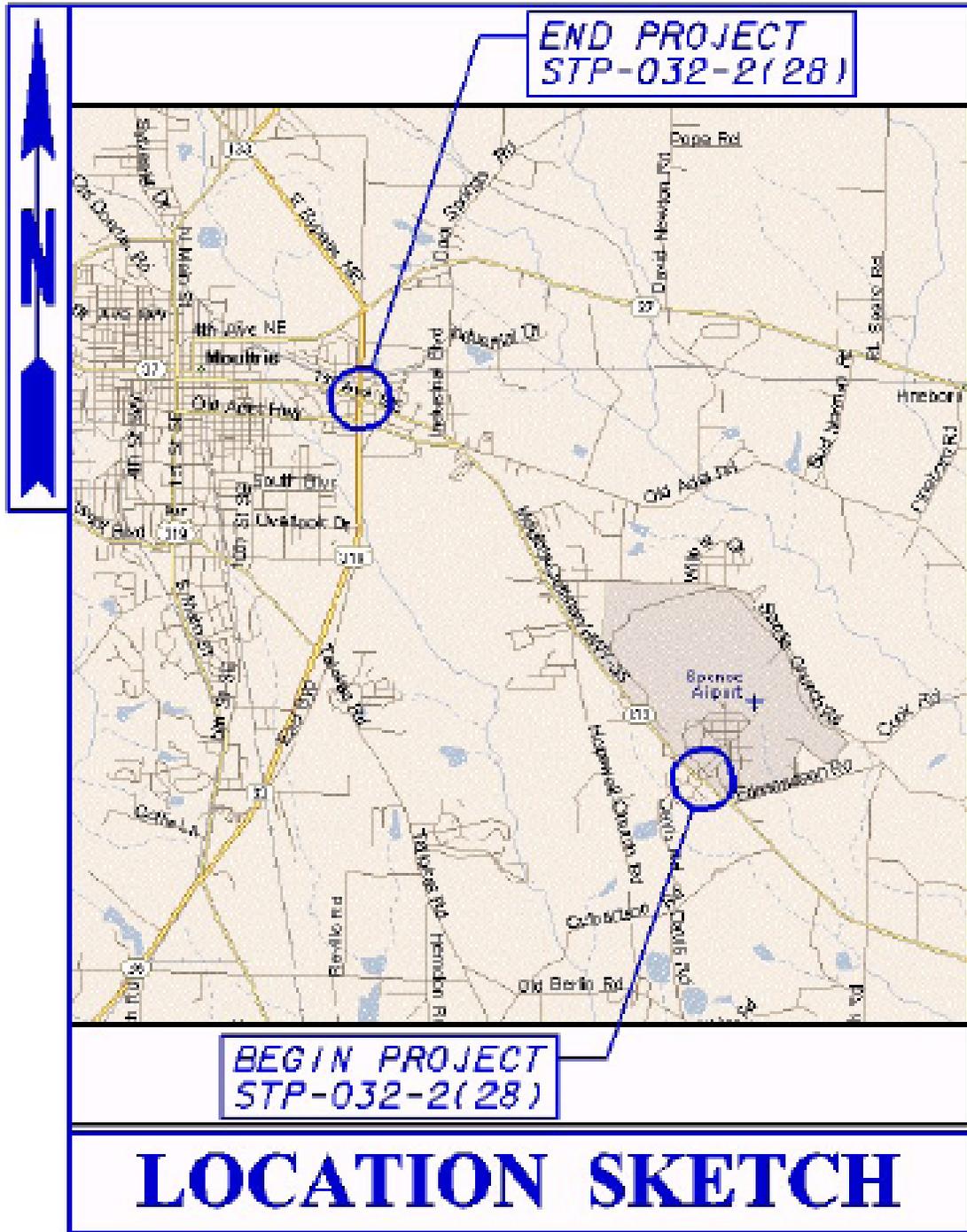


Project: STP-0000-00(545) PI No.: 0000545

Description: Widening of SR 133 from Old Quitman Road (CR 1) to Old Berlin Road (CR 256)



Project: STP-0000-00(546) PI No.: 0000546  
 Description: Widening of SR 133 from Old Berlin Road (CR 256) to Hawthorne Road (CR 388)



Project: STP-032-2(28) PI No.: 431780

Description: Widening of SR 133 from Hawthorne Road (CR 388) to E. Moultrie Bypass (SR35)

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## VALUE ANALYSIS AND CONCLUSIONS

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### GENERAL

This section describes the value analysis procedure used during the value engineering study. It is followed by separate narratives and conclusions concerning:

- Value Engineering Workshop Participants
- Economic Data
- Cost Estimate Summary and Cost Histograms
- Function Analysis
- Creative Idea Listing and Judgment of Ideas

A systematic approach was used in the VE study and the key procedures involved were organized into three distinct parts: 1) preparation; 2) VE workshop; and 3) post-study. A Task Flow Diagram that outlines each of the procedures included in the VE study is attached for reference.

### PREPARATION EFFORT

Pre-study preparation for the VE effort consisted of scheduling study participants and tasks, gathering necessary background information on the facility, compiling project cost data into a graphic cost histogram, and preparing workshop materials. Information relating to the design, construction, and operation of the facility is important as it forms the basis of comparison for the study effort. Information relating to funding, project planning operating needs, basis of cost, soil conditions, and construction of the facility was also a part of the analysis.

### VALUE ENGINEERING WORKSHOP EFFORT

The VE workshop was a three-day effort (see attached agenda). During the workshop, the VE job plan was followed. The job plan guided the search for high cost areas in the project and included procedures for developing alternative solutions for consideration. It includes six phases:

- Information Phase
- Function Identification and Analysis Phase
- Speculation Phase
- Evaluation Phase
- Development Phase
- Presentation Phase (*Not conducted*)

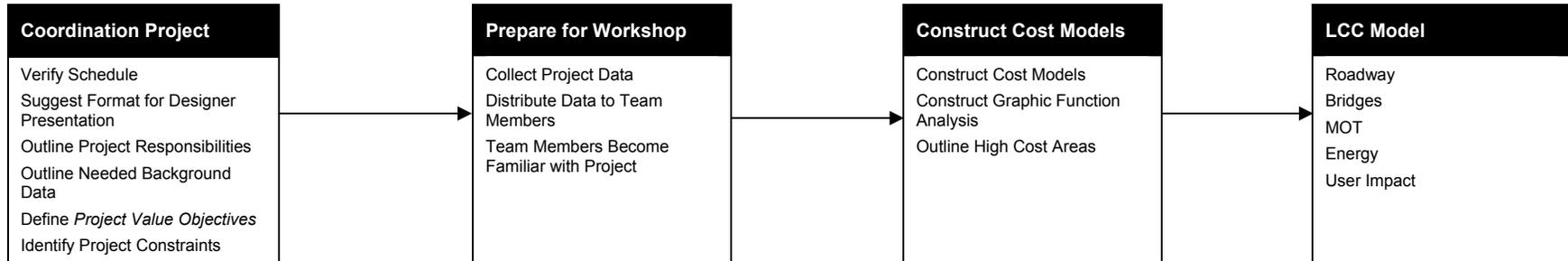
#### Information Phase

At the beginning of the study, the conditions and decisions that have influenced the development of the project must be reviewed and understood. For this reason, the development manager presented information about the

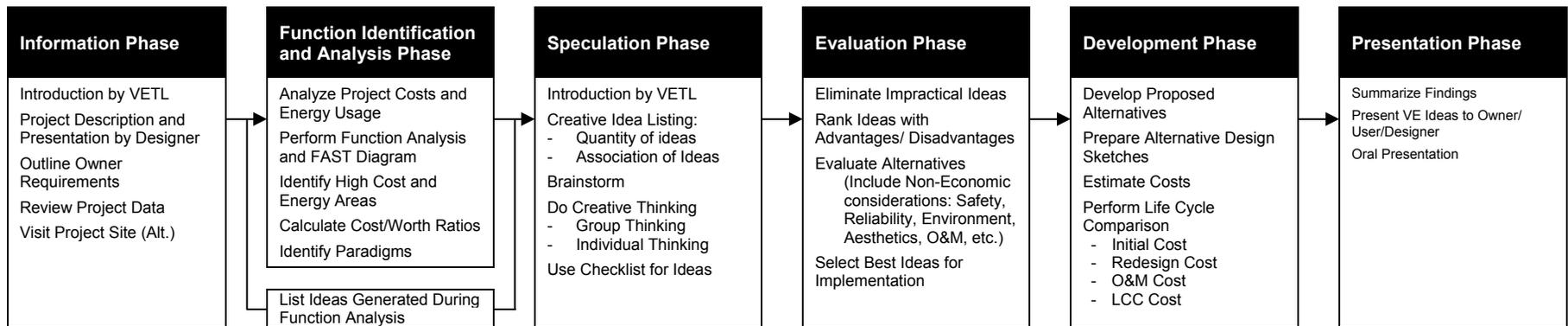


# Value Engineering Study Task Flow Diagram

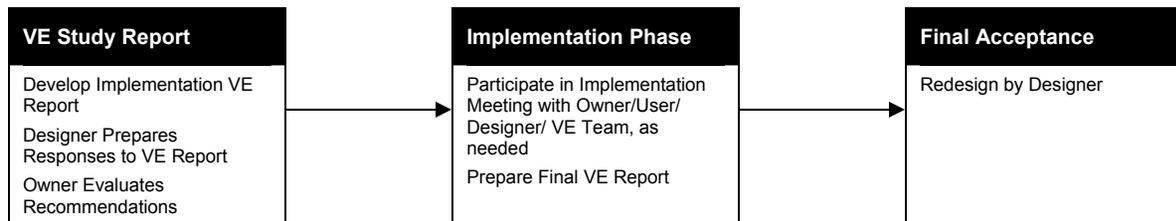
## Preparation Effort



## Workshop Effort



## Post-Workshop Effort



project to the VE team on first day of the session. Following the presentation, the VE team discussed the project using the following documents:

- **Approved Project Concept Report** prepared by the Department of Transportation, State of Georgia, Office of Preconstruction for the SR 133 Widening from Troupville Road/CR 276 to Pauline Church Road/CR 10, Project Number STP-0000-00(543), P. I. No. 0000543, Brooks County, dated March 23, 2006;
- **Half Size Drawings of Plan and Profile** of proposed SR 133 Widening from Troupville Road (CR 276) to Pauline Church Road (CR 10), Federal Aid Project, Georgia D.O.T. P. I. No. STP-0000-00(453), Federal Route N/A, State Route No. 133, prepared by Street Smarts, dated July 30, 2006;
- **Approved Project Concept Report** prepared by the Department of Transportation, State of Georgia, Office of Preconstruction for the SR 133 Widening from Pauline Church Road/CR 10 to Old Quitman Road/CR 1, Project Number STP-0000-00(544), P. I. No. 0000544, Brooks County, dated March 23, 2006;
- **Half Size Drawings of Plan and Profile** of proposed S.R. 133 from C.R. 10 to CR 1, Governor's Road Improvement Program Project, STP-0000-00(544), Brooks County, State Route 133, P. I. No. 0000544 prepared by Wolverton & Associates, undated;
- **Approved Project Concept Report** prepared by the Department of Transportation, State of Georgia, Office of Preconstruction for the SR 133 Widening from Old Quitman Road/CR 1 to Old Berlin Road/CR 256, Project Number STP-0000-00(545), P. I. No. 0000545, Brooks-Colquitt Counties, dated March 23, 2006;
- **Half Size Drawings of Plan and Profile** of proposed S.R. 133 Widening from Old Quitman Road to Old Berlin Road, STP-0000-00(545), Brooks County, P. I. No. 0000545, Federal Route No. N/A, State Route 133, prepared by Wolverton & Associates, print date September 19, 2006;
- **Approved Project Concept Report** prepared by the Department of Transportation, State of Georgia, Office of Preconstruction for the SR 133 Widening from Old Berlin Road/CR 256 to Hawthorne Road/CR 388, Project Number STP-0000-00(546), P. I. No. 0000546, Colquitt County, dated March 23, 2006;
- **Half Size Drawings of Plan and Profile** of proposed S.R. 133 Widening from Old Berlin Road to Hawthorne Road, STP-0000-00(546), Colquitt County, P. I. No. 0000546, Federal Route No. N/A, State Route No. S.R. 133, prepared by Wolverton & Associates, print date September 19, 2006;
- **Approved Project Concept Report** prepared by the Department of Transportation, State of Georgia, Office of Preconstruction for the SR 133 Widening from Hawthorne Road to SR 35 (E. Moultrie Bypass), Project Number STP-032-2(28), P. I. No. 431780, Colquitt County, dated March 23, 2006;
- **Half Size Drawings of Plan and Profile** of proposed SR 133 Widening from Hawthorne Road to SR 35 (E. Moultrie Bypass) Colquitt County, STP-032-2(28), Federal Route No. N/A, State Route No. 133, Georgia D.O.T. P.I. No. 431780, prepared by Columbia Engineering, print date September 19, 2006;
- **1:200 Scale Aerial of SR133 GRIP Corridor from Valdosta to Moultrie, STP-0000-00(543)**, P.I. # 0000543, Brooks County, Troupville Road (CR 276) to Pauline Church Road (CR 10), prepared by Woverton & Associates, print date September 25, 2006;
- **1:200 Scale Aerial of SR133 GRIP Corridor from Valdosta to Moultrie, STP-0000-00(544)**, P.I. # 0000544, Brooks County, Pauline Church Road (CR 10) to Old Quitman Road (CR 1), prepared by Woverton & Associates, print date September 25, 2006;
- **1:200 Scale Aerial of SR133 GRIP Corridor from Valdosta to Moultrie, STP-0000-00(545)**, P.I. # 0000545, Brooks and Colquitt Counties, Old Quitman Road (CR 1) to Old Berlin Road (CR 256), prepared by Woverton & Associates, print date September 25, 2006;

- **1:200 Scale Aerial of SR133 GRIP Corridor from Valdosta to Moultrie, STP-0000-00(546)**, P.I. # 0000546, Colquitt County, Old Berlin Road (CR 256) to Hawthorne Road (CR 388), prepared by Woverton & Associates, print date September 25, 2006;
- **1:200 Scale Aerial of SR133 GRIP Corridor from Valdosta to Moultrie, STP-032-2(28)**, P.I. # 431780, Colquitt County, Troupville Road (CR 276) to Pauline Church Road (CR 10), prepared by Woverton & Associates, print date September 25, 2006;
- **Engineering Service Let Status** for 0000543 run date of June 12, 2006;
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- **General Highway Map**, Brooks County, Georgia; prepared by the Department of Transportation, Division of Planning and Programming, Planning Data Services in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal highway Administration; dated 1987; and
- **General Highway Map**, Colquitt County, Georgia; prepared by the Department of Transportation, Division of Planning and Programming, Planning Data Services in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal highway Administration; dated 1981.

### **Function Identification and Analysis Phase**

Based on historical and background data, a cost model and graphic function analysis were developed for this project by major construction elements. They were used to distribute costs by project element; serve as a basis for alternative functional categorization; and to assign worth to the categories, where worth is the least cost to provide the required function, as determined by the VE team. The VE team identified the functions of the various project elements and subsystems by using random function generation techniques resulting in the attached Random Function Analysis worksheet and/or Function Analysis Systems Technique (F.A.S.T.) diagram.

### **Speculation Phase**

This VE study phase involved the creation and listing of ideas. Creative idea worksheets were organized by project element. During this phase, the VE team developed as many ideas as possible to provide the necessary functions within the project at a lower cost to the owner, or to improve the quality of the project. Judgment of the ideas was restricted at this point. The VE team was looking for a large quantity of ideas and association of ideas.

GDOT representatives may wish to review the creative list since it may contain ideas that can be further evaluated for potential use in the design.

### **Evaluation Phase**

During this phase of the workshop, the VE team judged the ideas generated during the speculation phase. Advantages and disadvantages of each idea were discussed to find the best ideas for development. Ideas found to be irrelevant or not worthy of additional study were discarded. Those that represented the greatest potential for cost savings or improvement to the project were then developed further.

The VE team would like to develop all ideas, but time constraints usually limit the number that can be developed. Therefore, each idea was compared with the present schematic design concepts, in terms of how well it met the design intent. Advantages and disadvantages were discussed, and each team member rated the ideas on a scale of zero to five, with the best ideas rated five. Total scores were summed for each idea and

only highly-rated ideas were developed into alternatives. In cases where there was little cost impact, but an improvement to the project was anticipated, the designation DS, for design suggestion, was used. The design team should review this listing for possible incorporation of ideas into the project.

The creative listing was re-evaluated frequently during the process of developing alternatives. As the relationship between creative ideas became more clearly defined, their importance and ratings may have changed, or they may have been combined into a single alternative. For these reasons, some of the originally high-rated items may not have been developed into alternatives.

### **Development Phase**

During the development phase, each highly rated idea was expanded into a workable solution. The development consisted of a description of the alternative, life cycle cost comparisons, where applicable, and a descriptive evaluation of the advantages and disadvantages of the proposed alternatives. Each alternative was written with a brief narrative to compare the original design to the proposed change. Sketches and design calculations, where appropriate, were also prepared in this part of the study. The VE alternatives are included in the section entitled *Study Results*.

### **Presentation Phase**

The last phase of the VE study is to present the findings of the study. GDOT conducts the presentation internally upon receipt of the report. The VE alternatives were screened by the VE team before draft copies of the *Summary of Potential Cost Savings* worksheets were provided to GDOT representatives. The VE alternatives were arranged in the same order as the idea listing sheets to facilitate cross-referencing.

### **POST-WORKSHOP EFFORT**

The post-study portion of the VE study includes the preparation of this Value Engineering Study Report. Personnel from GDOT and the design firms will analyze each alternative and prepare a short response, recommending either incorporating the alternative into the project, offering modifications before implementation, or presenting reasons for rejection. Lewis & Zimmerman Associates, Inc. is available at your convenience as you review the alternatives. Please do not hesitate to call on us for clarification or further information as you consider an implementation approach.

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# VALUE ENGINEERING STUDY AGENDA

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Lewis & Zimmerman Associates, Inc. (LZA) will conduct a 24-hour Value Engineering (VE) study on the **STP-0000-00(543) / (544) / (545) / (546) and STP-032-2(28), P. I. Nos. 0000543 / 0000544 / 0000545 / 0000546 and 431780, Widening and Reconstruction of State Route (SR) 133 from Troupeville Road to the East Moultrie Bypass** projects located in Brooks and Colquitt Counties, Georgia. It is expected the owner, the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT) and the design team of Wolverton & Associates (W&A) will be available to make a formal presentation concerning the project at the beginning of the workshop and be available to answer questions during the VE study effort.

## VE Study Agenda

The VE study will follow the outline described below and be conducted September 27 - 29, 2006. The study will be conducted in Room 344, Planning Design Room in GDOT's General Office located at No. 2 Capitol Square Street, Atlanta, Georgia 30334. The point-of-contact is Ms. Lisa L. Myers, Design Review Engineer Manager, who can be reached at 404-651-7468.

### Wednesday, September 27<sup>th</sup>

9:00 am – 9:15 am                      **General Introduction of all Parties and review of the VE Process**

9:15 am - 11:15 am                    **Owner's / Designer's Presentation**

GDOT is to present information concerning the project including, but not necessarily limited to: rationale for design; criteria for specific areas of study; project constraints and the reasons for design decisions.

11:15 am - 12:00 noon                **Commence Function Analysis Phase**

The VE team will continue their familiarization with the cost models and project data for each area of study. The cost model(s) will be refined, as necessary; define the function of each project element or system in the cost model, select the primary or basic functions, and determine the worth, or least cost, to provide the function. Cost / worth or value index ratios will be calculated, and high cost / low worth areas for study identified. In addition, the VE team will continue defining the function of each element / system to gain a thorough understanding of the project's needs and requirements.

12:00 noon - 1:00 pm                **Lunch**

1:00 pm - 5:00 pm                    **Conclude the Function Analysis Phase and Commence the Creative Phase**

The VE team will conduct a brainstorming session and list as many ideas as possible for consideration. The aim is to obtain a large quantity of ideas through free association, by eliminating roadblocks to creativity and deferring judgment.

### Thursday, September 28<sup>th</sup>

8:30 am - 10:00 am                **Conclude Creative Phase and Complete Evaluation / Analytical Phase**

**Thursday, September 28<sup>th</sup> (Continued)**

The VE team will analyze the ideas listed in the creative phase and select the best ideas for further development.

10:00 am - 12:00 noon                   **Development Phase**

VE team will develop creative ideas into alternate design solutions. Initial and life cycle cost estimates comparing original and proposed alternatives will be prepared. Selected alternatives for change will be developed and supported with sketches, calculations and written substantiation.

12:00 noon - 1:00 pm                   **Lunch**

1:00 pm - 5:00 pm                   **Continue Development Phase**

**Friday, September 29<sup>th</sup>**

8:30 am - 12:00 am                   **Continue Development Phase**

12:00 noon - 1:00 pm                   **Lunch**

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm                   **Conclude Development Phase and Commence Summary Worksheets**

Upon completion of the Development Phase, the VE facilitator will commence preparation of the summary worksheets based on the alternatives developed by the VE team. The summary work sheets form the basis of the informal oral presentation.

4:00 – 5:00 pm                   **Finalize Summary Worksheets**

The VE team will provide draft copies of the *Summary of Potential Cost Savings* worksheets to GDOT representatives and be available to clarify any points.

## **VALUE ENGINEERING WORKSHOP PARTICIPANTS**

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The VE team was organized to provide specific expertise on the unique project elements involved. Team members consisted of a multidisciplinary group with professional design experience and a working knowledge of VE procedures. The VE team included the following professionals:

Keith Strickland, PE	Transportation Engineer	HNTB
Lawrence D. Prescott, PE	Structural/Bridge Engineer	HNTB
Jeffery G. Dingle, PE	Construction Specialist	Delon Hampton and Associates
Paresh Parikh, PE	Transportation Engineer	Delon Hampton and Associates
Luis M. Venegas, PE, CVS	Value Engineering Facilitator	Lewis & Zimmerman Assoc.

### **OWNER'S/DESIGNER'S PRESENTATION**

GDOT along with the three design consultant firms presented an overview of the projects on Wednesday, September 27, 2006. The purpose of this meeting was to bring the VE team up-to-speed regarding the overall project. Additionally, the meeting afforded the design team the opportunity to highlight in greater detail, those areas of the project requiring additional or special attention.

### **VALUE ENGINEERING TEAM'S FINAL PRESENTATION**

The VE team did not conduct a final, oral presentation on Friday, September 29, 2006 to GDOT; however, copies of the draft *Summary of Potential Cost Savings* worksheets were provided for interim use by GDOT personnel.

A copy of the meeting participants is attached for reference.

# VALUE ENGINEERING ATTENDEES

## MEETING PARTICIPANTS



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## ECONOMIC DATA

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The VE team developed economic criteria used for evaluation with information gathered from the State of Georgia Department of Transportation and the Wolverton & Associates, Inc. design team. To express costs in a meaningful manner, the VE team alternatives are presented on the basis of discounted present worth. Criteria for planning project period interest rates are based on the following parameters:

Year of Analysis:	<b>2006</b>
Construction Start Up:	<b>2008</b> (28) and <b>2010</b> (for 543, 544, 545, and 546)
Construction Duration:	<b>±24</b> Months per Contract (between 2010 - 2012)
Economic Planning Life:	<b>35</b> years for Pavement
Economic Planning Life:	<b>50</b> years for Bridges
Discount Rate / Interest:	<b>1.95%</b> (for 28) and <b>2.15%</b> (for 543, 544, 545, and 546) (Interpolated from the latest United States Office of Management and Budget Circular A-94)
Inflation / Escalation Rate:	<b>5.00%</b> per annum (Per GDOT)
Uniform Present Worth (UPW) Factor:	<b>26.6408</b> for 35 years <b>34.2385</b> for 50 years
Composite Mark-Up (Construction) for 543, 544, 545, and 546 <i>(Composed of: Inflation at 21.55% based 5.00% per annum for four years, and Engineering and Construction at 10.00 %.)</i>	<b>33.71%</b> (1.3371)
Composite Mark-Up (Construction) for (28): <i>(Composed of: Inflation at 10.25% based 5.00% per annum for two years, and Engineering and Construction at 10.00 %.)</i>	<b>21.28%</b> (1.3371)
Composite Mark-Up (Right-of-Way): <i>(Composed of: Scheduling Contingency at 55.00%; Administration / Court Costs at 60.00%; and Inflation Factor at 40.00 %.)</i>	<b>247.20%</b> (2.4720)

## **COST ESTIMATE SUMMARY AND COST HISTOGRAMS**

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The VE team prepared several cost models for the project that is included following this page. The cost models are arranged in the Pareto Charting/Cost Histogram format to aid in identifying high cost areas and are based on *Preliminary Cost Estimates* prepared by Wolverton & Associates, Inc. As can be expected, judgments at this stage of the study are based on experience and intuition rather than facts, which are not uncovered until well along in the analysis of function. As a result of these qualified hypotheses, there appears to be a potential for initial savings in the following areas:

- Pavement Roadway;
- Drainage;
- Earthwork;
- Temporary Erosion Control; and
- Lump Items.

### **DESIGNER'S COST ESTIMATE**

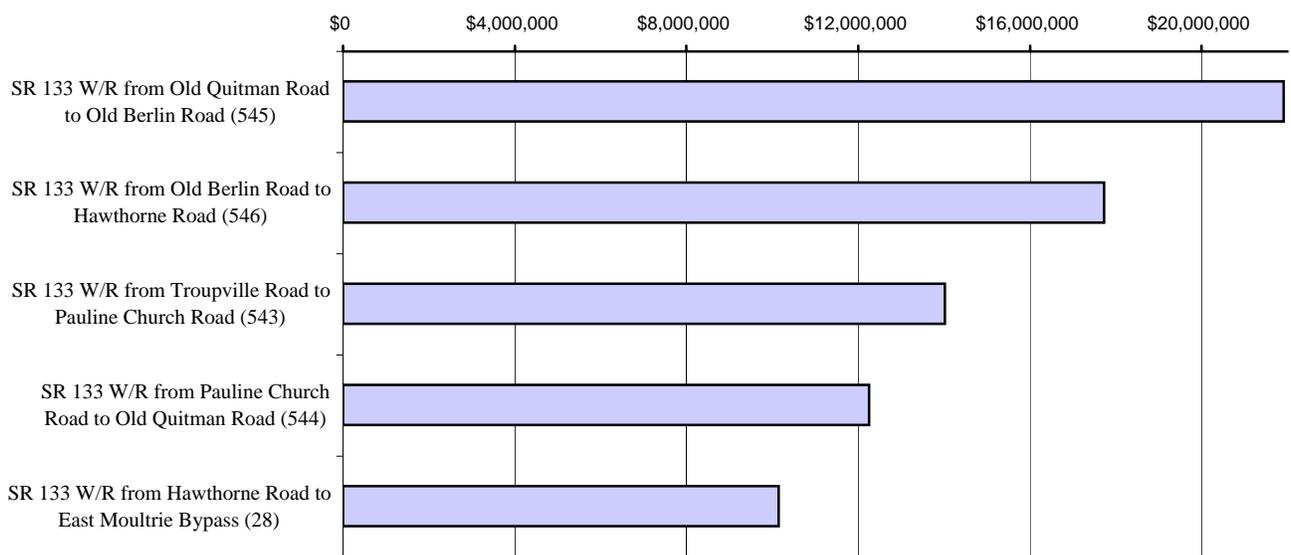
The cost estimates, as described above, contained sufficiently detailed information to perform a VE when considering the current, preliminary level of design.

# COST HISTOGRAM



**Project: STP-0000-00(543)/(544)/(545)/(546)/ and STP-032-2(28), P.I. Nos. 0000543/544/545/546 & 431720**  
**WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133**  
*Preliminary Development Stage*

TOTAL - BY PROJECTS	COST	PERCENT	CUM. PERCENT
SR 133 W/R from Old Quitman Road to Old Berlin Road (545)	21,929,928	28.80%	28.80%
SR 133 W/R from Old Berlin Road to Hawthorne Road (546)	17,746,439	23.31%	52.11%
SR 133 W/R from Troupville Road to Pauline Church Road (543)	14,040,519	18.44%	70.55%
SR 133 W/R from Pauline Church Road to Old Quitman Road (544)	12,265,842	16.11%	86.66%
SR 133 W/R from Hawthorne Road to East Moultrie Bypass (28)	10,156,208	13.34%	100.00%
<b>Construction Subtotal</b>	<b>\$ 76,138,936</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	
Inflation at 5.00% per annum for 4 years 543, 544, 545, 546	21.55% \$ 14,219,690		
Inflation at 5.00% per annum for 2 years for 28	10.25% \$ 1,041,011		
Engineering and Construction @	10.00% \$ 9,139,964		
<b>Construction Total</b>	<b>\$ 100,539,601</b>		
		<b>Construction</b>	
		Mark-Up:	32.05%
Net Right-of-Way (543)	\$ 594,038		
Net Right-of-Way (544)	\$ 360,023		
Net Right-of-Way (545)	\$ 792,051		
Net Right-of-Way (546)	\$ 576,037		
Net Right-of-Way (28)	\$ 582,553		
<b>Net Right of Way Subtotal</b>	<b>\$ 2,904,702</b>		
Right-of-Way Scheduling Contingency	55.00% \$ 1,597,586		
Right-of-Way Administration / Court Costs	60.00% \$ 2,701,373		
Right-of-Way Inflation Factor	40.00% \$ 2,881,464		
<b>Right of Way Total</b>	<b>\$ 10,085,125</b>		
		<b>ROW</b>	
		Mark-Up:	247.20%
Reimbursable Utilities (543)	\$ 1,352,500		
Reimbursable Utilities (544)	\$ 577,500		
Reimbursable Utilities (545)	\$ 2,512,500		
Reimbursable Utilities (546)	\$ 15,000		
Reimbursable Utilities (28)	\$ 180,000		
<b>Reimbursable Utilities Total</b>	<b>\$ 4,637,500</b>		
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 115,262,227</b>		



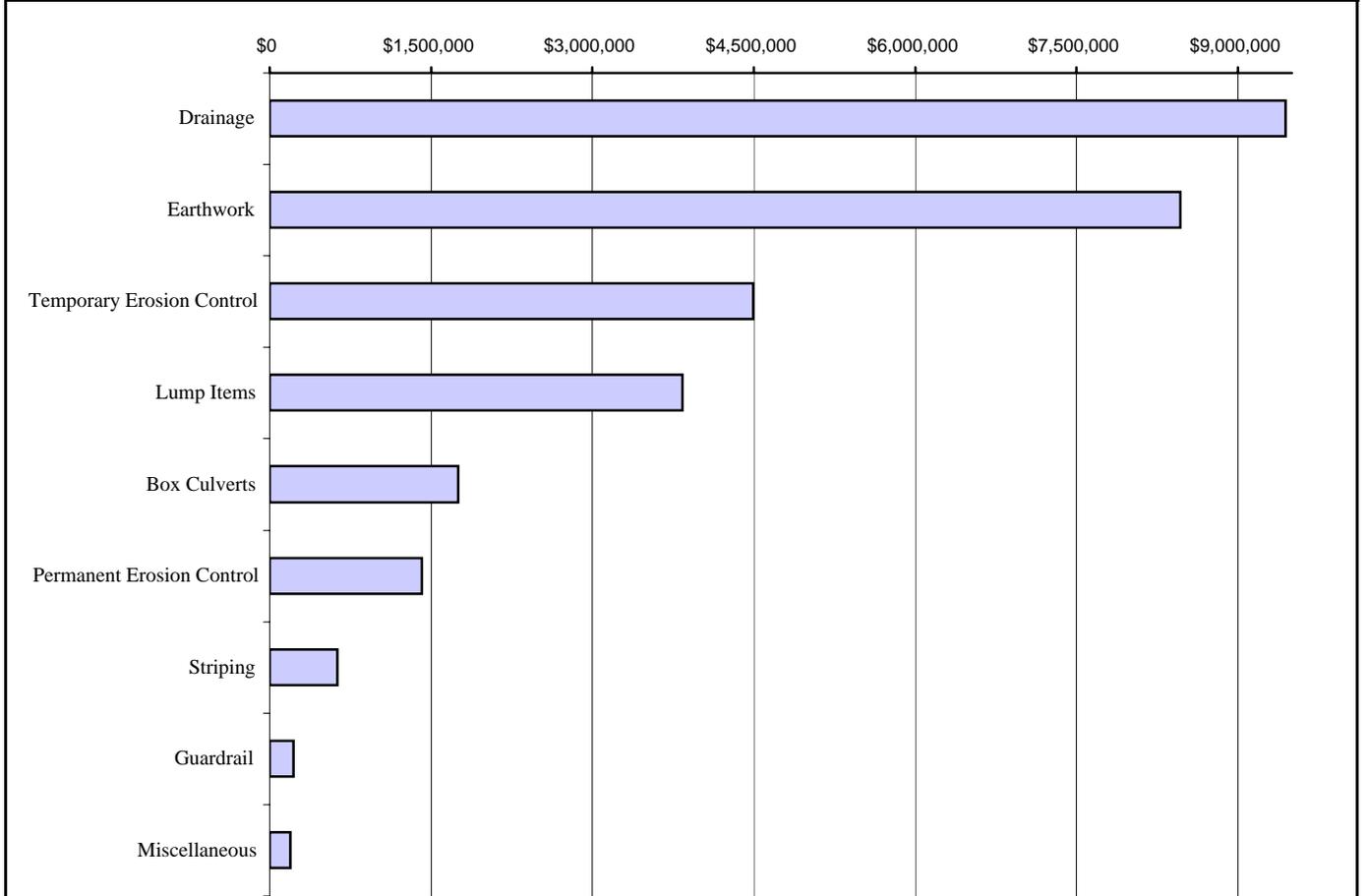
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# COST HISTOGRAM



Project: **STP-0000-00(543)/(544)/(545)/(546)/ and STP-032-2(28), P.I. Nos. 0000543/544/545/546 & 431720**  
**WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133**  
*Preliminary Development Stage*

TOTAL - BY CONSTRUCTION ELEMENTS	COST	PERCENT	CUM. PERCENT
Permanent Roadway	45,639,885	59.94%	59.94%
Drainage	9,448,122	12.41%	72.35%
Earthwork	8,470,000	11.12%	83.48%
Temporary Erosion Control	4,501,182	5.91%	89.39%
Lump Items	3,844,771	5.05%	94.44%
Box Culverts	1,760,135	2.31%	96.75%
Permanent Erosion Control	1,419,952	1.86%	98.61%
Striping	635,255	0.83%	99.45%
Guardrail	224,568	0.29%	99.74%
Miscellaneous	195,066	0.26%	100.00%
<b>Construction Subtotal</b>	<b>\$ 76,138,936</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	



Costs in graph are not marked-up.

## FUNCTION ANALYSIS

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A function analysis was performed to: (1) define the requirements for each project element, and (2) to ensure a complete and thorough understanding by the VE team of the basic function(s) needed to attain a given requirement. *Random Function Analysis* worksheets for the project are attached. This part of the function analysis stimulated the VE team members to think in terms of the areas in which to channel their creative idea development.

Function Analysis is a means of evaluating a project to see if the expenditures actually perform the requirements of the project, or if there are disproportionate amounts of money spent on support functions. These elements add cost to the final product, but have a relatively low worth to the basic function.

In addition to the random function analysis, the VE Facilitator worked with members of the study team to develop a Function Analysis System Technique (F.A.S.T.) diagram for each phase. The F.A.S.T. diagrams were used to show the flow of function within the phases. It helps to confirm the project is addressing those issues that have been voiced by the owner as being important. The diagrams were generated by asking the key question: "What is the most important function to be accomplished by this phase?" The answer is characterized by a verb/noun pair. In turn, another question is asked: "Why?" The answer is again listed in a verb/noun pair, and the process continued from left to right. The flow of functions from right to left will answer the question "How?"

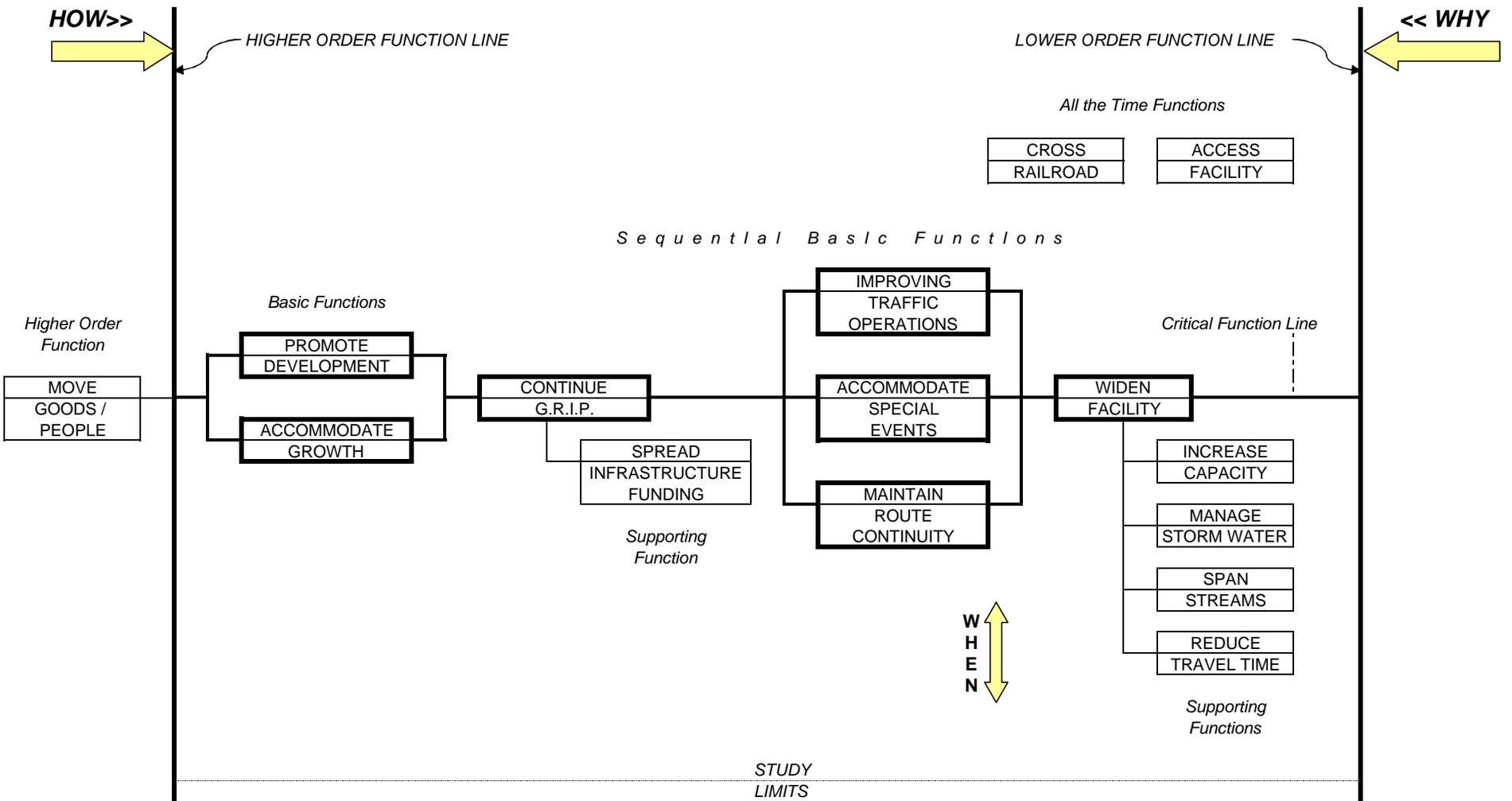
This F.A.S.T. diagram notes the critical function paths and identifies the project's basic functions as **PROMOTE/DEVELOPMENT** and **ACCOMMODATE/GROWTH** by **Continuing/G.R.I.P.** by **Improving/Traffic Operations, Accommodating/Special Events** and **Maintaining/Route Continuity**. The F.A.S.T. diagram is included at the end of this section of the report.





# WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS

Georgia Department of Transportation, District 4



## **CREATIVE IDEA LISTING AND JUDGMENT OF IDEAS**

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During the speculation phase, numerous ideas, alternative proposals, and/or recommendations were generated using conventional brainstorming techniques as recorded on the following pages. These ideas were then discussed and the advantages/disadvantages of each listed. The VE design team compared each of the ideas with the concept solution determining whether it improved value, was equal in value, or lessened the value of the solution.

The ideas were then ranked on a scale of 1 to 5 on how well the VE design team believed the idea met necessary criteria and program needs. The higher rated ideas were then developed into formal alternatives and included in the VE workshop. Some ideas were judged to have minimal cost impacts on the project but provided enhancements in the form of improved operations, efficiency, constructibility or potential to save unknown or hidden costs. These were given the designation "DS" which indicates a design suggestions. This designation is also used when an idea is difficult to price but improves the functionality of the project or system, and is deemed to be of significant value to the owner, user, operator or designer.

Typically, all ideas rate 4 or above are included in the Study Report. When this is not the case, an idea was combined with another related idea or discarded, as a result of additional research that indicated the concept as not being cost-effective or technically feasible.

All readers are encouraged to review the *Creative Idea Listing and Evaluation* worksheets since they may suggest additional ideas that can be applied to the design.

# CREATIVE IDEA LISTING



**PROJECT: WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133  
FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS**  
*Preliminary Design Stage*

SHEET NO.: **1 of 3**

NO.	IDEA DESCRIPTION	RATING
<b>STP-0000-00(543), PI No. 0000543, Widen SR 133 from Troupville Road (CR 276) to Pauline Church Road (CR 10) (543-x)</b>		
543-1	Only build the first three miles of the SR 133 through Troupville	5
543-2	Selectively minimize access in Troupville	3+
543-3	Selectively close median openings (Combine with No. 543-4 and 543-5)	4
543-4	Minimize the number of U-turn bump outs (Combine with No. 543-3 and 543-5)	4
543-5	Minimize the number of left turn lanes at median openings (Combine with No. 543-3 and 543-4)	4
543-6	Eliminate sidewalks (concrete only)	5
543-7	Use grassed medians	5
543-8	Minimize the extent of side road improvements beyond actual need	4
543-9	Use a five-lane section through Troupville	5
<b>STP-0000-00(544), PI No. 0000544, Widen SR 133 from Pauline Church Road (CR 10) to Old Quitman Road (CR 1) (544-x)</b>		
544-1	Only build the portion through Morven	5
544-2	Selectively minimize access in Morven	3+
544-3	Selectively close median openings (Combine with No. 544-4 and 544-5)	4
544-4	Minimize the number of U-turn bump outs (Combine with No. 544-3 and 544-5)	4
544-5	Minimize the number of left turn lanes at median openings (Combine with No. 544-3 and 544-4)	4
544-6	Minimize the extent of side road improvements beyond actual need	4
544-7	Use a five-lane section through Morven	5
544-8	Eliminate intersection by using a cul-de-sac at Hitch Street	4
544-9	Use arched span structures at Downing and Jones Creeks	4
544-10	Assure mainline railroad crossing is complete prior to closing five other city railroad crossings	DS

**Rating:** 1→2 = Not to be Developed; 3→4 = Varying Degrees of Development Potential;  
5 = Most likely to be Developed; DS = Design Suggestion; ABD = Already Being Done

# CREATIVE IDEA LISTING



NO.	IDEA DESCRIPTION	RATING
<b>PROJECT: WIDENING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SR 133 FROM TROUPVILLE ROAD TO THE EAST MOULTRIE BYPASS</b> <i>Preliminary Design Stage</i>		
SHEET NO.: 2 of 3		
<b>STP-0000-00(545), PI No. 0000545, Widen SR 133 from Old Quitman Road (CR 1) to Old Berlin Road (CR 256) (545-x)</b>		
545-1	Only improve the intersections at SR 133 / SR 333 and SR 133 / CR 256	5
545-2	Selectively close median openings (Combine with No. 545-3 and 543-4)	4
545-3	Minimize the number of U-turn bump outs (Combine with No. 543-2 and 543-4)	4
545-4	Minimize the number of left turn lanes at median openings (Combine with No. 543-2 and 543-3)	4
545-5	Minimize the extent of side road improvements beyond actual need	4
545-6	Use arched span structures at stream crossings	4
545-7	Use a 32-foot median section to minimize wetlands impact	5
545-8	Use grassed medians	5
<b>STP-0000-00(546), PI No. 0000546, Widen SR 133 from Old Berlin Road (CR 256) to Hawthorne Road (CR 388) (546-x)</b>		
546-1	Only build portions of through Berlin and eastern Moultrie	5
546-2	Selectively close median openings (Combine with No. 546-3 and 546-4)	4
546-3	Minimize the number of U-turn bump outs (Combine with No. 546-2 and 546-4)	4
546-4	Minimize the number of left turn lanes at median openings (Combine with No. 546-2 and 546-3)	4
546-5	Eliminate sidewalks (concrete only)	5
546-6	Use grassed medians	5
546-7	Minimize the extent of side road improvements beyond actual need	4
546-8	Use a five-lane section through Berlin and eastern Moultrie	5
546-9	Use arched span structures at stream crossings	4
546-10	Signalize South Vanderberg Drive entrance to the airport (Spence Field)	4
<b>Rating: 1→2 = Not to be Developed; 3→4 = Varying Degrees of Development Potential;</b> <b>5 = Most likely to be Developed; DS = Design Suggestion; ABD = Already Being Done</b>		

