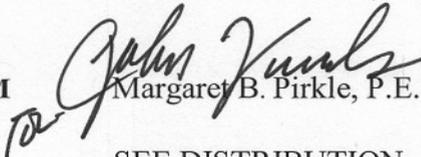


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FILE P.I. No. 0007483, Chatham County **OFFICE** Preconstruction
CSSTP-0007-00(483)
SR 26@Truman Parkway **DATE** April 17, 2006

FROM  Margaret B. Pirkle, P.E., Assistant Director of Preconstruction

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SUBJECT **APPROVED PROJECT CONCEPT REPORT**

Attached for your files is the approval for subject project.

Attachment

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PROJECT CONCEPT REPORT

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FEDERAL ROUTE NO: NONE
STATE ROUTE NO: 26@CR1148
GADOT P.I. NO: 0007483

SEE ATTACHED
LOCATION SKETCH

Date of Report: March 21, 2006

RECOMMENDED: 4-11-06 *Heath Gold*
DATE STATE TRAFFIC SAFETY AND DESIGN ENGINEER

RECOMMENDED: 3/30/06 *[Signature]*
DATE DISTRICT ENGINEER

APPROVED: 4/13/06 *[Signature]*
DATE CHIEF ENGINEER

PROJECT CONCEPT REPORT

P.I. No.: 0007483

Project No.: CSSTP-0007-00(483)

Route No.: SR 26/US 80 at CR 1148/HARRY S TRUMAN PKWY

Location: The intersection of SR 26/US 80 with CR 1148/HARRY S TRUMAN PKWY (south bound on ramp and north bound off ramp) and SR 26/US 80 @ WALLIN ST.

Description: The north bound off-ramp will be restriped to have 2 right turn lanes instead of 2 left turns. The signals at this location and at the south bound on -ramp onto CR 1148 will have to be upgraded since they are tied together. At the intersection of SR 26/us 80 and Wallin St. the south bound left turn lane will be extended 175'. The signal will also be upgraded at this intersection.

Traffic – Current ADT: SR 26/US 80 ----- 18,450 (2005 AADT)
WALLIN ST. ----- 1,939 (2001 AADT)

Existing Typical: SR 26/US 80: Four-lane divided highway, with a 44-foot Type A grassed median.

WALLIN ST.: Two-lane roadway, one in each direction.

Existing Right of Way: SR 26/US 80 ----- 120'
(Estimated)
WALLIN ST. ----- 100'(Estimated)

Existing Traffic Control: SR 26/US 80: There is a Signal at all 3 locations.

Existing Major Structures: None.

Statement of Need & Purpose: This is to upgrade the three signals and to extend the left turn lanes to help relieve traffic congestion thru this area. The three signals and intersection are located within 500' of one another.

Length: 0.45 miles

Termini: - SR 3 -
From M.P.: 20.17
To M.P.: 20.61

PDP Class: Minor Existing

Functional Class: SR 26/US 80 ----- Principal Arterial
CR 1148 ----- Principal Arterial

Design Speed: SR 26/US 80 ----- 40 mph
CR 1148 ----- 55 mph

Proposed Typical Section: None.

Proposed major structures: None.

Type Access: By Permit.

Traffic Control During Construction: Single lane closures will be required during construction.

Right-of-Way Requirement: Georgia Department of Transportation shall be responsible for the acquisition of all required right-of-way for this project.

Utilities: Chatham County shall be responsible for all public reimbursable utility adjustments. Georgia Department of Transportation shall be responsible for all private reimbursable utility adjustments.

Estimated Cost:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Total Amount</u>
	<u>FEDERAL/STATE</u>
Construction-----	\$ 350,000.00
Traffic Signal -----	\$ 162,500.00
Railroad Equipment -----	\$ 0

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Utilities-----	\$	REQUESTED	REQUESTED
E & C 10%-----	\$	<u>51,250.00</u>	
Total Construction-----	\$	563,750.00	

R/W----- \$ REQUESTED

Estimated LGPA Total----- \$ REQUESTED

** LGPA TO BE DETERMINED*

Permits Required: Traffic Signal Permit

Level of Environmental Analysis: Categorical Exclusion is anticipated.

Level of Public Involvement: None.

Time Saving Procedures Appropriate: Yes (X) No ()

Design Variances Required: None.

Alternatives Considered: None.

Comments:

Prepared By:

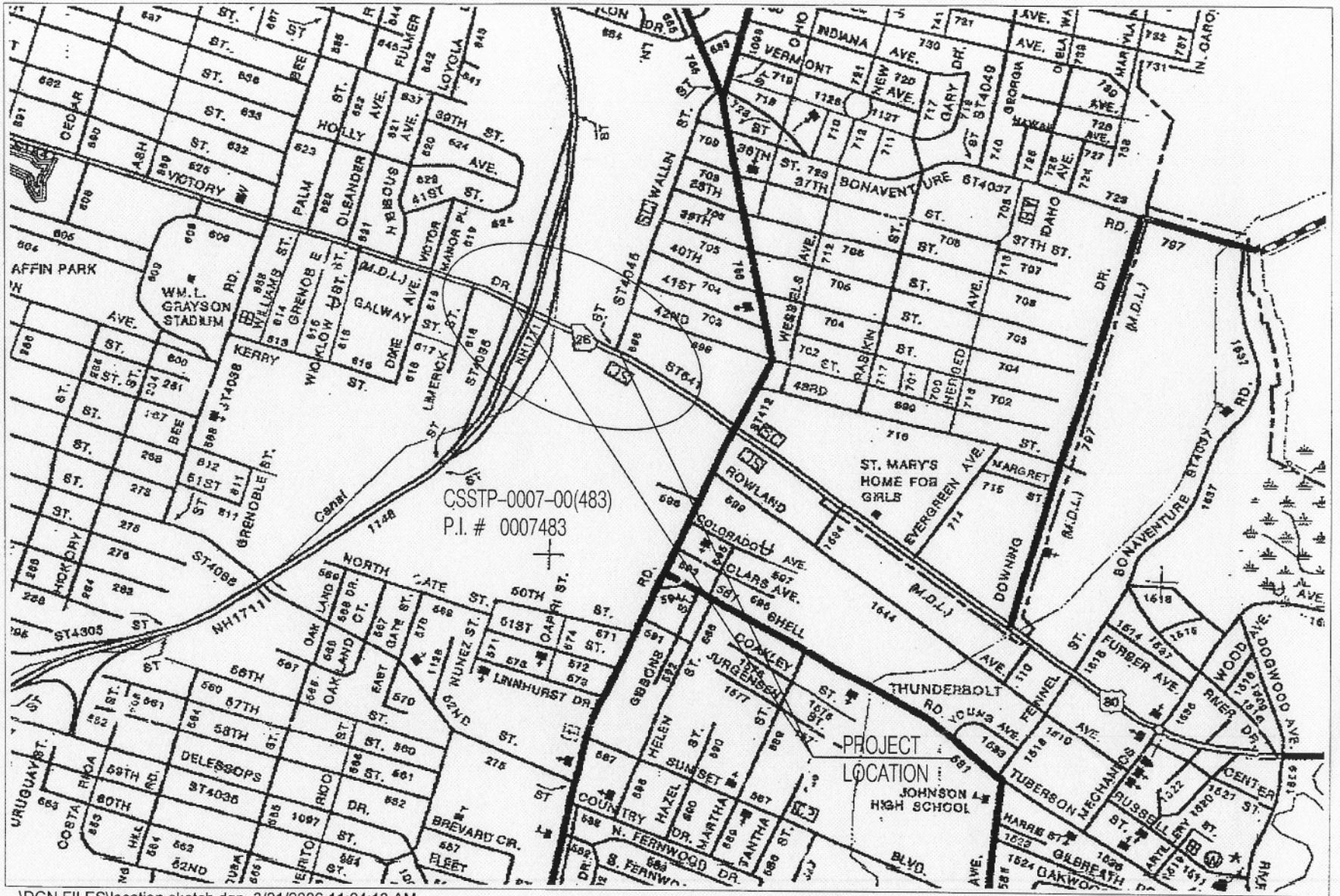
Myles Brewer

Attachments:

Location and Design Approval Request

December 15, 2005

CSSTP-0007-00(483)
PI No. 0007483



NOTICE OF LOCATION AND DESIGN APPROVAL

Project No. CSSTP-0007-00(483)

P. I. NUMBER 0007483

Notice is hereby given in compliance with Georgia Code 22-2-109 that the Georgia Department of Transportation has approved the Location and Design of this project.

Date of Location Approval: APRIL 17, 2006

The project consist of improvements of the turning movement at the intersection of SR26 @ Wallin St. and the 2 signals at SR26 @ Truman Parkway, located in Chatham County, Mile Post 20.17 to 20.61. The project is for the improvement of 3 signals and to add left turn capacity at Wallin St.

Drawings or maps or plats of the proposed project, as approved, are on file and are available for public inspection at the Georgia Department of Transportation:

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P.O. BOX 1212
Savannah, Ga. 31402
Phone: 912-651-2144

Any interested party may obtain a copy of the drawings or maps or plats or portions thereof by paying a nominal fee and requesting in writing to:

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Any written request or communication in reference to this project or notice SHOULD include the Project and P. I. Numbers as noted at the top of this notice.