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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
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**FILE** NH-IM-75-3(188) Cherokee County **OFFICE** Preconstruction  
P.I. No. 610740  
*CW Hutto* **DATE** September 8, 1998  
**FROM** C. Wayne Hutto, Assistant Director of Preconstruction  
**TO** SEE DISTRIBUTION

**SUBJECT** NOTICE OF LOCATION AND DESIGN APPROVAL

Attached for your further handling is the approved Location and Design Report on the above subject project.

Also attached is the Notice of Location and Design Approval. This is authorization for the District to proceed with advertisement.

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Attachment

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**FILE:** NH-IM-75-3 (188) Cherokee County  
P.I. NO. 610740

**OFFICE** Atlanta

**DATE** August 7, 1998

**FROM**  James A. Kennerly, State Road & Airport Design Engineer

**TO** C. Wayne Hutto, Assistant Director of Preconstruction

**SUBJECT** Location and Design Report

**DESCRIPTION:** D.O.T. project, NH-IM-75-3 (188), Cobb-Cherokee begins at a point approximately 750 Ft. (230 m) west of the SR 92/Baker Road (C.R. 4398) in Cobb County continuing eastward to beyond I-75 to Northpoint Parkway (Co. Rd. 1356).

**PROJECT PROPOSAL:** The project begins approximately 750 Ft. (230 m) west of the intersection of SR 92/Baker Road (C.R. 4398) in Cobb County continuing eastward into Cherokee County to I-75 and beyond I-75 to Northpoint Parkway (C.R. 1356). The proposed typical section for this project would consist of two 12 Ft. (3.6 m) lanes in each direction separated by a 20 Ft. (6.0 m) raised median with an 12 Ft. (3.6 m) urban shoulder, including sidewalks. Dual left turn lanes would be provided from SR 92 to Southbound Baker Road. Dual left turn lanes would be provided for turning onto northbound and southbound I-75. Northbound and Southbound "ON" ramps to I-75 would be widened and lengthened to accommodate two traffic lanes. Northbound and Southbound "OFF" ramps from I-75 would be widened. Median breaks will be provided at locations as deemed appropriate by the Department. There would be no displacements and no wetlands impacted.

**CONCEPT APPROVAL DATE:** September 16, 1991

**CONCEPT UPDATE:** February 19, 1998

**ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT APPROVAL DATE:** September 8, 1997

**PUBLIC HEARING RESULTS:** The public hearing was held on May 29, 1997, on projects NH-165-1(40) & (42), AND NH-IM-75-3 (188), at Oak Grove Elementary School. A total of 353 persons were in attendance. From those attending, 81 comment forms and 17 verbal statements were received. Additional 16 comments were received during the ten-day comment period following the hearing, for a total of 114 comments. Comments are summarized as follows: No. Supporting - 61; No. Uncommitted/Conditional - 32; No. Opposing -21. A majority of comments

concerned median openings. Some requested the realignment of intersecting roads. Some requested traffic signals at various intersections.

**RECOMMENDATIONS:** We recommend that this Project Location and Design Report be approved, and that the attached "Notice" be approved for advertising.

**ATTACHMENTS:** Location Sketch, Cost Estimate, Typical Section, & Notice.

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Attachments

**RECOMMEND:**



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Walker W. Scott, Director of Preconstruction

**APPROVE:**



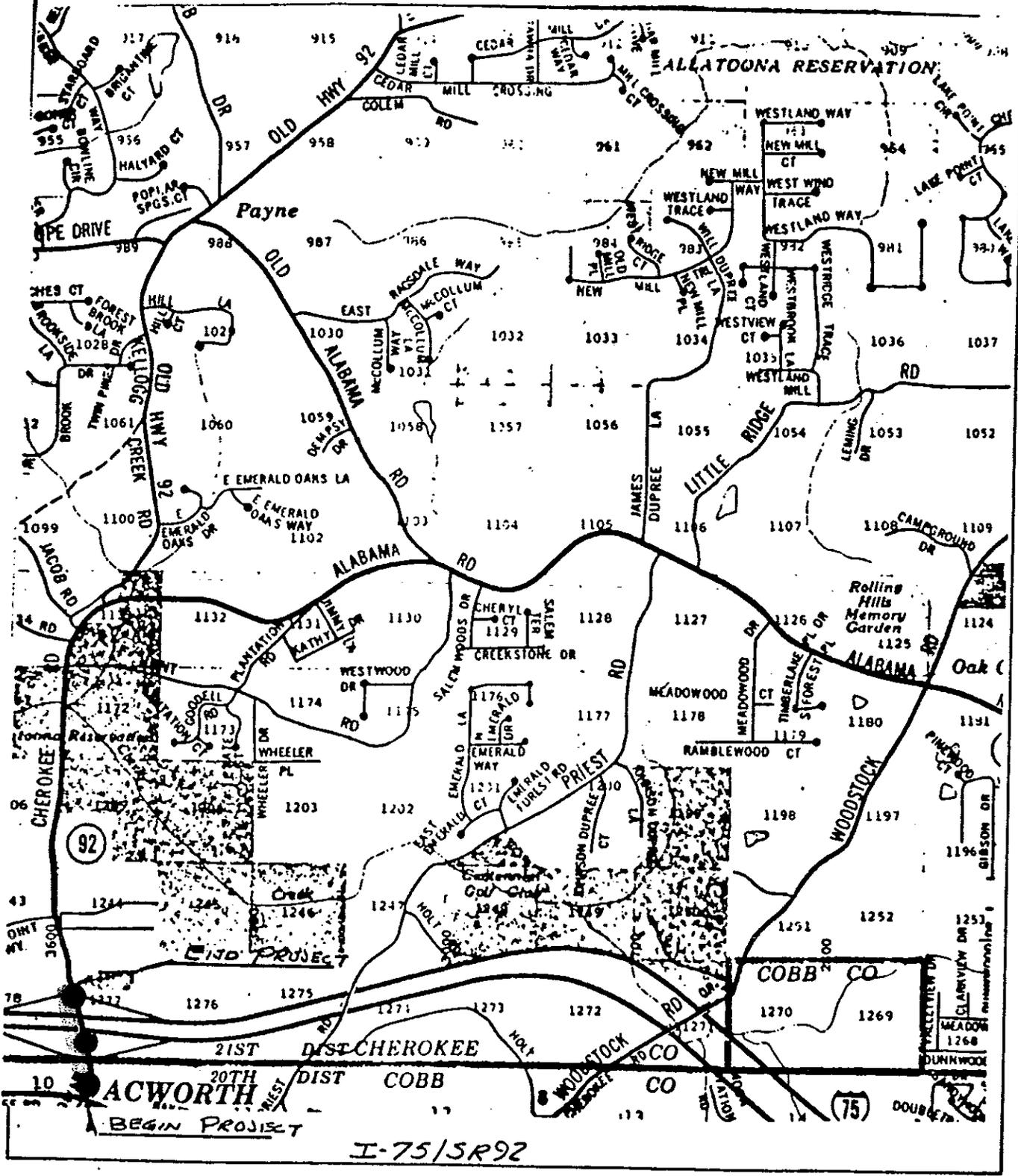
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Frank L. Danchetz, Chief Engineer

9/1/98  
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PROJECT MAP - Project No. : IR-75-3(188)



NOTICE OF LOCATION AND DESIGN APPROVAL

Project: NH-IM-75-3(188) Cherokee County  
P.I. No. 610740

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 the above project.

This project is the widening of S.R. 92 and interchange improvements of I-75/S.R 92 begins at a point west of the intersection of SR 92/Baker Road (C.R. 4398) in Cobb County continuing eastward into Cherokee County beyond I-75 to Northpoint Parkway (Co. Rd. 1356). The project length is 0.75 miles (1.22 km). This project lies within Cobb County, Land District 20 and Cherokee County, Land District 21.

DATE OF LOCATION AND DESIGN APPROVAL: 9-1-98

The proposed project begins approximately 750 Ft. (230 m) west of the intersection of SR 92/Baker Road (C.R. 4398) in Cobb County continuing eastward into Cherokee County to I-75 and beyond I-75 to Northpoint Parkway (C.R. 1356). The proposed typical section for this project would consist of two 12 Ft. (3.6 m) lanes in each direction separated by a 20 Ft. (6.0 m) raised median with an 12 Ft. (3.6 m) urban shoulder, including sidewalks. Dual left turn lanes would be provided from SR 92 to Southbound Baker Road. Dual left turn lanes would be provided for turning onto northbound and southbound I-75. Northbound and Southbound "ON" ramps to I-75 would be widened and lengthened to accommodate two traffic lanes. Northbound and Southbound "OFF" ramps to I-75 would be widened. Median breaks will be provided at locations as deemed appropriate by the Department. The speed design would be 45 mph (70 Km/h) and access is by D.O.T. permit. There would be no displacements and no wetlands impacted.

Drawings or maps or plats of the proposed project as approved are on file and available for inspection at the Georgia Department of Transportation, Office of Road and Airport Design, No. 2 Capital Square, S.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30334. Or, any interested party may obtain a copy of the drawings or maps or plats by writing to Georgia Department of Transportation, No. 2 Capitol Square, Atlanta, Georgia 30334 and paying a nominal cost therefor.

Any written request in reference to this Notice **SHOULD** include the PROJECT AND P.I. NUMBERS AS NOTED AT THE TOP OF THIS NOTICE AND may be referred to:

James A. Kennerly  
State Road and Airport Design Engineer  
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No. 2 Capitol Square  
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PROJECT NUMBER/COUNTY: NH-1M-75-3(188) CHEROKEE

P. I. NUMBER: 610740

This project concept is contained in the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and/or in the State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). The concept as presented herein and submitted for approval is consistent with that which is included in the TIP and/or the STIP.



STATE TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ADMINISTRATOR

DATE: 8/25/98