

NOTICE OF A CITIZENS INFORMATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR THE
PROPOSED REPLACEMENT OF BRIDGE NO. 39 OVER THE
SWANNANOA RIVER ON NC 81

TIP Project No. B-2515

Buncombe County

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) will hold the above Citizens Informational Workshop on Thursday, February 10, 2009, between the hours of 5:00 PM and 7:00 PM in the cafeteria of Asheville High School, located at 419 McDowell Street, Asheville.

Interested individuals may attend this informal workshop at their convenience during the above stated hours. Department of Transportation representatives will display maps and will be available to answer questions and receive comments from the public. There will be no formal presentation.

This project calls for replacing the structurally deficient Bridge Number 39 in Buncombe County with a new structure. The project proposes to replace the existing bridge in its current location utilizing staged construction techniques. The project area will closed to traffic for about three months and then partially opened to traffic for the remainder of the construction period. NCDOT apologizes for any inconveniences and will work to minimize construction time. Proposed improvements may require additional right of way.

Anyone desiring additional information may contact Mr. Tracy Walter, Project Development and Environmental Analysis, Bridge Unit, 1551 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1551, phone (919) 715-1500, fax (919) 715-1522 or email: twalter@ncdot.gov.

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who wish to participate in this workshop. Anyone requiring special services should contact Mr. Walter as early as possible so that arrangements can be made.