

Southwest Durham County and Southeast Chapel Hill Collector Street Plan – Public Workshop #2 (January 10, 2006)

Summary of Survey Responses

There were 150 Participants

72 participants listed their home street name. The streets and number of participants on that street (in parenthesis) follows:

Bakers Mill Road
Chapel Hill Boulevard
Butler Street (2 responses)
Helmsdale Drive (11)
Meadowmont Lane (3)
Beechnut Lane (2)
Knights Arm Drive (2)
Carmen Lane
Marcella Road (2)
Chicopee Trail
Nottingham Drive (3)
White Oak Drive
Lancaster Drive
Farrington Road (2)
Five Oaks Drive
Crescent Drive
Faison Road (2)
Celeste Circle (9)
Pinehurst Drive
Kinsale Drive (3)
Crosland Drive (2)
Old Barn Lane
Newton Road
Beaumont Drive (5)
George King Road (2)
St. Andrews Place (2)
Gloria Avenue
Tweed Place
Yardley Terrace (5)
Trenton Place
Springdale Way

Out of the participants who have lived in the SW Durham/SE Chapel Hill area:

- 9 (14%) lived there less than a year
- 5 (8%) lived there between 1 and 3 years
- 4 (6%) have lived there between 3 and 5 years
- 16 (25%) have lived there between 5 and 10 years
- 30 (47%) have lived there for more than 10 years

When asked whether participants attended the Public Workshop #1 for this project:

- 11 (17%) responded that they had attended
- 53 (83%) responded that they had NOT attended

When asked which overall Draft Collector Street Network participants liked best:

- 17 (22%) preferred “A”
- 22 (28%) preferred “B”
- 28 (36%) preferred “C”
- 11 (14%) preferred None

If additional funding for transportation improvements is needed, support for the following funding sources will be provided by participants (12 people responded):

- Higher gas tax (9 votes – 75%)
- Higher development impact fees for new development (8 votes – 67%)
- Transportation bonds/borrowing (6 votes – 50%)
- Higher sales tax (3 votes – 25%)
- Tolls on roads (2 votes – 11%)
- Higher property tax (1 vote – 8%)
- Other: vehicle usage tax (fee per mile traveled)

9 people heard about the meeting because of a postcard, while 3 received an email.

Has the workshop provided you with a suitable way to communicate your ideas and share your concerns (only 8 responses)?

- Yes – 4 (50%)
- No – 1 (13%)
- Mostly/Don’t Know – 3 (37%)