

#### **NORTH CAROLINA**

Department of Transportation



















#### **Division 12 Overview**

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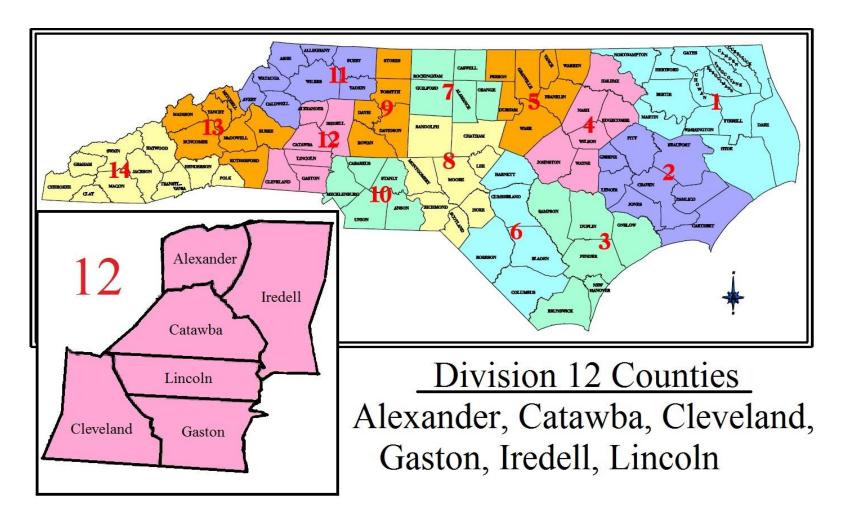
December 7, 2017

#### **Outline**

- Introduction
- Division 12 Overview
- Maintenance Operations
- Project Development
- Summary: Keys to Success



#### Division 12



#### Division 12 Overview



Road Miles – 6,116 (**12,763 lane miles**)

Annual vehicle miles traveled in Division: 8,339,000,000

Bridges - 949

Airports - 5

Railways - 5

Interstates - 3

Traffic Signals - 850

Population – 742,464

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# Maintenance Operations

- Positions: 479
- Number of Employees 382







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# Maintenance Operations









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# Challenges







Solutions













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# Challenges











## Solutions







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## Division Challenge - Maintenance Operations

#### Secondary Construction

Division 12 Unpaved Mileage: 175 miles

Estimated cost to Grade and Pave: \$79,000,000



## Division Challenge - Program Delivery

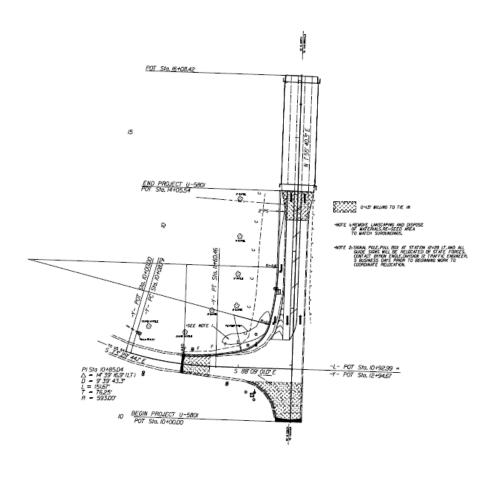
2018-2027 STIP



Division Staff assigned to Project Delivery: 13

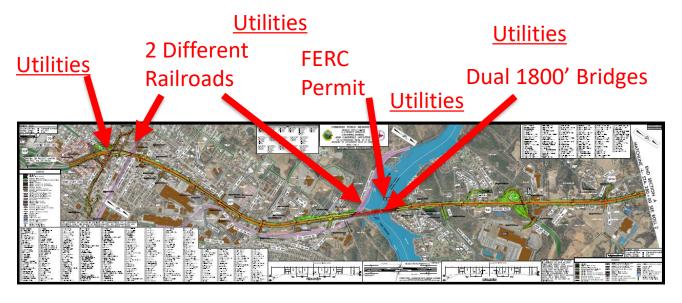
Consultant Firms contracted to Projects: 19

## Historical Division Managed Project



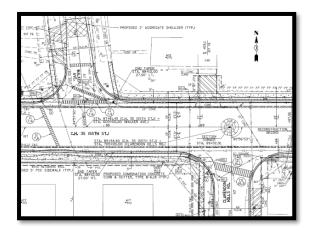
- U-5801
- Alexander County
- Add Right Turn
  Lane Onto a Ramp
- \$240,000

## **Current Division Managed Project**



- U-4700A (US 321) in Catawba, Burke, and Caldwell
- 4.7 miles 4 to 6 Lane Urban Widening
- \$165M
- Public Involvement

# Program Delivery Challenges



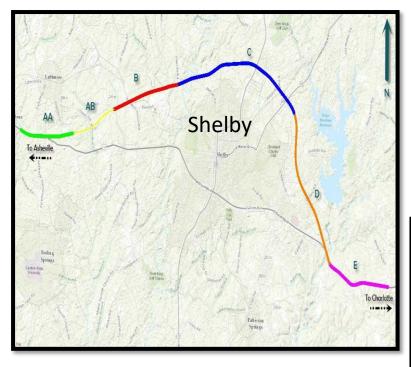






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- R-2707- 18.5 miles of 4 lane Freeway
- Total Cost \$381,230,000
- AA Turnkey and Complete
- AB and B Grading and Structures only
- AB and B Paving to let Jan. 2018
- C is currently under Construction



# Program Delivery - Upcoming Projects

Sections D and E funded in P4.0 and now in the STIP.

**ROW 2019** 

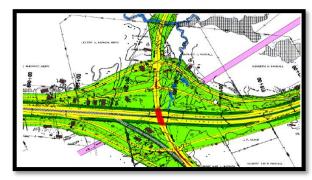
Construction June 2021

D and E Cost: \$101,000,000

Proposed interchange near Transmission lines.

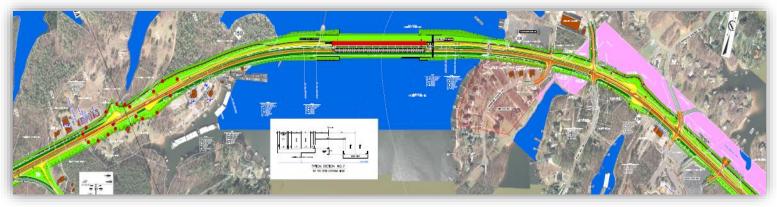
Team identified challenge early and identified Innovative Alternate Design





## Program Delivery - Upcoming Project

R-2307B Widen NC 150 to Multi Lanes

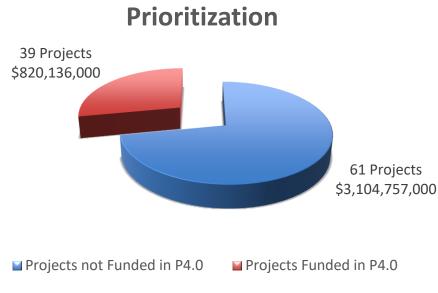


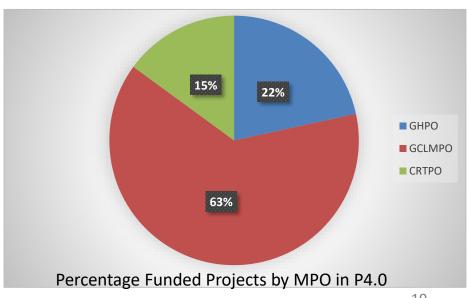
- Length: 6.94 miles from Harvel Rd to US 21
- Construction Estimate: \$106,800,000
- R/W Estimate: \$21,185,884
- Construction Let Date: August 2019



#### Local Government Collaboration

- Only MPO's for D12
  - CRTPO, GCLMPO, Greater Hickory MPO.
- What does that mean? A lot of Urban and a lot of Rural.
- Most Counties are Tier 2
- Strengthening Partnerships: Quarterly Meetings with Local Jurisdictions
- Upcoming Additional Resource: Corridor Planning Engineer





## Division Challenge – Workforce

#### Needs:

- Qualified Construction Inspection personnel
- Adequate NCDOT maintenance staff, and staff to manage and inspect projects and consultants
- Comprehensive Classification and Compensation Program:
  - Multiple systems in place
  - Compensation based on market data
  - New program that is straight forward and understandable to employees
  - Assists employees with career development and progression



## Summary – Keys to Success

- Maintenance and Operations
  - Maintenance Funding
  - Secondary Construction
- Project Development
  - Delivering the program
  - Enhancing partnerships
- Human Relations
  - Classification
  - Pay
  - Hiring Process
  - Retention

"We do a lot of good, however we have a lot left to do."

### • Questions?

