PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

TO DISCUSS THE NEED FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW HIGHWAY CONNECTOR FROM KY 44 WEST TO KY 55 NORTH OF TAYLORSVILLE SPENCER COUNTY

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2001 6:00 P.M. TO 8:00 P.M. CAFETERIA SPENCER COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL 520 TAYLORSVILLE ROAD TAYLORSVILLE, KY

The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet has scheduled a Public Information Meeting to discuss a planning study of the need to construct a New Highway Connector from KY 44 west to KY 55 north of Taylorsville in Spencer County. The purpose of the meeting is to inform the public of the planning study, discuss various environmental and technical issues concerning the area under consideration, and solicit ideas and opinions that will help the Cabinet make decisions about the study. Anyone having an interest in this planning study is urged to attend this meeting.

The open public meeting, which will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., will feature a brief presentation and an open exhibit area where officials will be prepared to answer questions and/or receive public input. The exhibits will outline the project area and describe the potential environmental and engineering impacts. The handout information can be found on the Transportation Cabinet's web site at http://www.kytc.state.ky.us/planning/index.htm and comments can be e-mailed to the Division of Planning at: planning-webpage@mail.kytc.state.ky.us

The exhibits will also be available for viewing from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for fifteen (15) days after each meeting at the Kentucky Department of Highways District 5 Office, 977 Phillips Lane, Louisville, Kentucky.

Both written and oral statements will be accepted at the meeting. A tape recorder will be made available for those who desire to make oral statements and a comment sheet will be distributed to make it more convenient to provide written comments. Written statements will be accepted at the meeting and for a period of fifteen (15) days after the Public Information Meeting. Written statements should be addressed to Annette Coffey, P.E., Director, Division of Planning, 125 Holmes Street, Frankfort, Kentucky 40622, or returned using the postage-paid envelope provided with the comment sheet. All recorded and written statements will become part of the official record. Once compiled, the summary of the meeting and other supporting documentation will be made available for review and copying after an Open Records Request has been received and approved. All Open Records Requests must be submitted to the Transportation Cabinet, Department of Administrative Services, State Office Building, Frankfort, Kentucky 40622.

In accordance with the "Americans With Disabilities Act," if you have a disability for which the Transportation Cabinet needs to provide accommodations, please notify us of your requirements by November 5, 2001. This request does not have to be in writing. Please contact William Monhollon, Chief District Engineer, District 5 at 977 Phillips Lane, P.O. Box 37090, Louisville, Kentucky, 40233, 502/367-6411.