



Request to Appear at a
Transportation Committee Meeting

X OTHER: REQUEST FOR CAT BUS ADDITIONAL STUDY

Request For Sign Maintenance Agreement

(Attach SIGNED Copy of Agreement)

Meets County Requirements - Recommended For Transportation

Committee Acceptance and to be Forwarded to Council

Varies from County Requirements - Not Recommended

(See Contact Below)

Request For County Maintenance Denied by Roads & Bridges Department

Denied By:

_____ Crewleader

_____ Manager / Assistant Manager

_____ County Engineer

Reasons Listed:

Request For County Roads & Bridges Assistance

Action:

(Attach Sketch With Detailed Narrative Explanation of Work Desired
Including Schedule or Expected Time Frame or Deadlines)

(Materials & Supplies Must be Paid by the Requesting Organization)

Request To Amend Procedures, Standards or Regulations

Specifically Identify Section or Procedure, Standard or Regulation

Request To Abandon Roadway or Section

Roadway Name & Number:

Section to Abandon:

Contact Information:

Name:

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Oconee County Council Members
415 S. Pine Street
Wallhalla, SC 29691

Dear Council Members,

I would like to request time to speak before your next Transportation Committee meeting on April 21. I am asking for this time to discuss the following request: updating the URS 2008 study based on the following - significant rise in gas prices, lack of most recent census data, and to gain a more representative demographic. Though the study did already include 6 recommendations for expanded and improved public transportation, an updated study will allow for a better understanding of the need and a better opportunity to gain federal monetary support with representative data.

There is a great need for extended public transportation to the remaining areas of Oconee County. Many businesses, service industries, government services, ministry organizations and the City of Wallhalla are very invested and interested in seeing this expansion through - some of whom may have already been in contact with you. There have been many conversations, vision plans, and previous studies that have all alluded to the great benefit we would see from public transportation. I believe the essential first step for attaining the best understanding possible would be to update the most recent study.

Thank you so much for your time and I look forward to discussing this with you on April 21. This could truly be a great improvement to our county and for our people. Please don't hesitate to call if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Richard Reams

Roads and Bridges					
Date	Job Description	Number of Staff	Staff Hours	Equipment Hours	
2/16-3/17 2011	Work on Storage Lot	7	205	175	
2/25/2011	Move 171 & 303 from Solid Waste to Five Forks	3	6	6	
3/8/2011	Spartanburg take triaxle	2	12	8	
3/25/2011	Bank behind trucks	4	24	5	
3/30-3/31 2011	Work in shop	4	40	0	
4/4-4/15 2011	Inspected construction-Carter, Edgewood & Winstead	2	70	0	
		Total	21	359	203

Courthouse					
Date	Job Description	Number of Staff	Staff Hours	Equipment Hours	
2/1/2011	Installed barricades	1	1.5	1.5	
2/28/2011	Retrieved barricades	2	7	2	
		Total	3	3.5	3.5

Motor Pool					
Date	Job Description	Number of Staff	Staff Hours	Equipment Hours	
2/18/2011	Hauled gravel	1	3	3	
2/22/2011	Parking lot behind MP	3	12	4	
3/24/2011	Parking lot	4	36	33	
		Total	8	51	40

SOLID WASTE					
Date	Job Description	Number of Staff	Staff Hours	Equipment Hours	
2/16-2/24 2011	Landfill - Re-working Dead Cell	8	101.5	69	
3/2/2011	Crookes Rd-forming steep barricades & installing permanent barricades	2	13	13	
		Total	10	114.5	82

Walhalla Library					
Date	Job Description	Number of Staff	Staff Hours	Equipment Hours	
3/2/2011	Hauled mulch	1	2	2	
		Total	1	2	2

Animal Shelter					
Date	Job Description	Number of Staff	Staff Hours	Equipment Hours	
2/23/2011	Hauled gravel	1	1	1	
4/13/2011	Hauled gravel	1	2.5	2.5	
		Total	2	3.5	3.5

Airport					
Date	Job Description	Number of Staff	Staff Hours	Equipment Hours	
3/14/2011	Cutting trees	7	3	1	
		Total	7	3	1

Facilities Maintenance				
Date	Job Description	Number of Staff	Staff Hours	Equipment Hours
3/30/2011	DSS Move SW tractor for mowing	2	4	1
		Total	4	2

Economic Development				
Date	Job Description	Number of Staff	Staff Hours	Equipment Hours
3/29-4/8 2011	Echo Hills-Entrance	11	172	96
		Total	172	96

County Parks				
Date	Job Description	Number of Staff	Staff Hours	Equipment Hours
3/30/11	High Falls - Hauled 7 loads rock	1	7	7
3/13/2011	High Falls-Hauled 100 tons sand from Greenville	8	17.5	17.5
4/13/2011	South Cove-Hauled match	1	1	1
		Total	24.5	24.5

Total Staff Hours

238

Percent of Hours worked on Special Projects

10%

ROADS AND BRIDGES DEPARTMENT

- Carter, Lidgewood & Wisteria under construction
- Pecan Grove under construction
- Cobb Bridge - Trying to Obtain R/W
- Retaining Wall Design for South Palmetto Avenue
- Paving Contract - Plumb Line Items to be Completed for 2010/2011
- Paving Contract List 2011/2012 - List Submitted
- Charlie Cobb Culvert Replacement
- Loney Road Culvert Replacement
- Dyer Bridge
- Title II Grant Money - Land Bridge

Road Improvement Request Summary

County Roads		State Roads		Private Roads	
Crowe Mtn Rd	KE-78	Fairview Church Rd	S-340	Savannah Dr	P-3050
Pecan Grove Rd	WA-77	W Bluebird Dr	S-679	Mears Dr	P-993
Abaco Ln	WA-341	Bethel Church Rd	S-198	Country Place Dr	P-3510
Bimini Dr	WA-342	Parker St	S-499		
Timberlake Dr	SE-147				
Cobb Bridge Rd	TU-37				
Tamassee Ln	CH-16				
Surrey Ln	SE-228				
Doyle Dr	SE-68				
Little River Ln	KE-38				
Geraldine Dr	KE-42				
Lake Becky Rd	CH-57				
Dyar Rd	SE-136				
Hickory Ln	SE-238				
Carradine Rd	SE-26				
Ridge Rd	WH-3				

Roads:

16 County Roads

4 State Roads


3 Private Roads

Citizen Response:


28-Online Submissions

3-March 26, 2011 Public Forum

3-March 29, 2011 Public Forum



Oconee County
Public Works



April 12, 2011

Dear Concerned Citizens:

Thank you for your recent participation to the online Road Improvement Project Survey and/or your participation in the Road Improvement Project Public Forums that were held in Council Chambers. The request you have made for a county road improvement is being evaluated by Oconee County Roads and Bridges personnel.

Oconee County Roads and Bridges Department personnel will be making recommendations regarding your request at the Transportation Committee meeting on Thursday, April 21, 2011 at 5:30 pm in County Council Chambers at Pine Street Administrative Offices.

Should Oconee County Roads and Bridges provide any additional assistance or guidance, please give us a call at 864-886-1072.

Sincerely,



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Dear Concerned Citizens:

Thank you for your recent participation in the online Road Improvement Project Request Survey. However, after researching your request, it has been determined that this is a state maintained roadway.

A letter to the South Carolina Department of Transportation with all the requests that have come to the Oconee County Roads and Bridges office by online requests has been sent for their consideration (attached).

Should you have further questions regarding the request you made, the number to the South Carolina Department of Transportation is 864-647-0798.

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South Carolina Department of Transportation
Attn: Mr. Mike Smith
150 Richland Road
Westminster, SC 29693

Dear Mr. Smith:

Recently the Oconee County Roads and Bridges Department conducted an online Road Improvement Project Survey for the county road system. As you would expect, several state maintained roads were listed as concerns. The road and concerns are listed for your consideration below:

- Fairview Church Rd (S-340) – Potholes, sides of the road are crumbling; snow plows have torn up patching
- W Bluebird Dr (S-679) – Pothole
- Bethel Church Rd (S-198) – 490 Country Place Dr, requesting a culvert under driveway; Postal delivery truck destroying edge of road in front of mailboxes at 450 and 490 Country Place Dr
- Parker St (S-499) – Big potholes.

The letter Oconee County Roads and Bridges is sending to the citizens that submitted requests for the above roads is attached.

Thank you for your consideration in these matters. Should Oconee County Roads and Bridges Department be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to give us a call at 864-886-1072.

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150 Richland Road
Westminster, SC 29683

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Dear Concerned Citizens:

Thank you for your recent participation to our online Road Improvement Project Request Survey. However, after researching your request, it has been determined that the road is privately owned and maintained.

In order for Oconee County to consider a private road into its maintenance system, the road must be brought up to county standards. These standards can be found by going to the following link:

<http://library.municode.com/index.aspx?clientId=13747&stateId=40&stateName=South%20Carolina>

Specifically see section 25-6. Also, please find the attached form to assist in collecting information needed for the transportation committee to consider acceptance of the road.

Should Oconee County Roads and Bridges provide additional assistance or guidance, please contact our office at 864-886-1072.

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Application for Transportation Committee to Consider Acceptance of Existing Private Road

Road Name & # _____

This checklist should be completed and returned to County Clerk. For additional information, call:
Oconee County Roads & Bridges Department (904-885-1072)

For greater details see: <http://www.oconee.org/Council/Agenda> under Oconee County Code of Ordinances Chapter 26.

Information Needed:

Unless complete:

_____ Copy of Subdivision Plat or Road Right-of-Way (Prepared by SO Registered Professional Land Surveyor) (Reference: 26.6.1)

_____ As Built Construction Drawing of Road (Including Utilities, Width, Slope, Cross-Page Grades, Elevation Cross Section, etc.) (Reference: 26.6.2)

_____ Deed to Right-of-Way for entire length of road, (Including old-deeds, Fee/lease.) (Reference: 26.6.3)

_____ Certification from SO Registered Professional Engineer that road meets minimum construction standards specified in Ordinance 2005-13 Article 5 must conform to any Federal, State, County or Municipal roadway. (Reference: 26.2.4 and 5)

Please Note:

It is the applicant's responsibility to supply supporting documentation for the road and the Oconee County's responsibility to research documents, survey or perform other activities to determine the type of roadway. This application must be complete in order to be considered for county maintenance. It is the Transportation Committee's decision whether or not to accept a road after all information is submitted.

Information Compiled By:

(Name)

Homeowner's Address (City)

(Address)

(Phone)

(Signature)

(Attach sheet if additional contacts are needed)

For Internal Use Only

Certification of Complete Application:

Desk to Council

(Signature)

(Date)

Application Review by County Engineer:

Accepted as Submitted

Staff Report of Findings:

(Signature)

(Date)

Transportation Committee:

(Review and Approval)

(Date)

Approved by Council Chairman:

(Date)

Leading from Application

(Initials: M-2000)

Road Improvement - Project Action Report

Date	Name	Telephone Number	Road Number	Road Name	Citizen Road Issue	Complete Right-of-Way
3/17/2011	Christine Owens	944-9937	KE-78	Crowe Mtn Rd	Wants road paved, always washboarding	No
3/17/2011	Gerald Levesque	252-648-8504	WA-77	Pecan Grove Rd	Wants road widened and paved	Yes
3/18/2011	Nichole Schrader	882-0817	WA-77	Pecan Grove Rd	Wants road paved	Yes
3/18/2011	Greg Amsden	882-1365	WA-341 & 342	Abaco Ln & Bimini Dr	Both streets have numerous cracks; wants crack sealing	Yes
3/20/2011	Raymond McAdams	905-0551	SE-147	Timberlake Dr	Wants road overlaid; potholes & cracking fixed	Yes
3/21/2011	Michael Wilbanks	247-5571	TU-37	Cobb Bridge Rd	Asking to increase weight limit for bridge, fire trucks can not cross	No
3/21/2011	Imagean Wigginton	944-1185	CH-16	Tammassee Ln	Wants road widened; potholes & cracking fixed	No
3/21/2011	Denny Carpenter	710-8280	SE-223	Surrey Ln	114-laid poor job of hydroseeding done by contractor, all rain has washed shoulder of road creating yard to wash	Yes
3/21/2011	Joan Pettigrew	650-0854	SE-68	Doyle Dr	Wants road overlaid and striped, significant cracking along shoulders rendering it unsafe for 2-way traffic	No
3/21/2011	John Dilonno	985-3594	KE-38	Little River Ln	Western section of road dangerous, steep dip, steep ditch, etc	No
3/23/2011	Stephen Johannes	944-2795	KE-42	Geraldine Dr	Wants road to be paved	No
3/24/2011	Barbara Taylor	888-4384	WA-77	Pecan Grove Rd	Told by builder and real estate agent that road was due to be paved	Yes
3/24/2011	John Seyler	638-1975	CH-57	Lake Becky Rd	Wants road to be overlaid, most importantly, from dam to end of road	No

Road Improvement Project Action Report

Date	Name	Telephone Number	Road Number	Road Name	Citizen Road Issue	Complete Right-of-Way
3/25/2011	James & Nancy Burnett	882-0322	WA-77	Pecan Grove Rd	Dangerous intersection - Potholes on Bountyland Rd exit, asked about getting this repaired	Yes
3/26/2011	Silissa Bischof	864-356-4599	SE-136	Dyar Rd	Road not wide enough to handle 2 cars passing over bridge, potholes forming, drainage issues, etc. from amount of traffic; lines need to be marked down center or make it a One-Way Road Only for Residential Traffic Only; Large trucks use road as a cut through	No
3/29/2011	Kenneth Noto	484-332-8384	WA-77	Pecan Grove Rd	Road currently unpaved; surface is rough & hard on cars; during nice weather, can't leave windows open due to tremendous amount of dust; loose stones damage paint on cars	Yes
3/29/2011	Mary Stuart & Wayne Heath	654-6148	SE-238	Hickory Ln	Potholes by 1st house about 1/4 mile down road, also few other places that need attention	No
3/29/2011	Jennie Levesque	886-8935	WA-77	Pecan Grove Rd	wants road to be paved, entrance/exit onto Bountyland Rd very dangerous	Yes
3/29/2011	Margaret Duncan	882-4910	SE-26	Carradine Rd	wants road widened; Road only wide enough for 1 car unless you drop off edge of road or either back up; dangerous for school bus, ambulance, fire truck, etc;	No
3/26/2011	Brian & John Papa	944-9839	WH-3	Ridge Rd	Wants road to be widened and paved; blind spots fixed, narrow from N Little River Rd to bridge, road gets potholes in it	No

Tentative Road Improvement List

February 17, 2011

CAMELOT DR	SE	515
QUEEN ANNES WAY	SE	100
W SPRINGWOOD DR	WA	135
E SPRINGWOOD DR	WA	138
MULHOLLAND DR	WA	137
GARDEN CIR	SE	133
CHEROKEE DR	SE	142
IROQUOIS DR	SE	138
HIAWASSEE DR	SE	372
E TAMASSEE	SE	134
NANTAHALA DR	SE	141
BEACON SHORES DR	SE	463
NAVIGATORS PT	SE	465
BRIDGEVIEW DR	SE	304
CATAWBA CIR	SE	143
MAHAFFEY DR	SE	144
HUNTERS TRL	TU	5
LAKE RIDGE CIR	TU	142
WARNER MILL RD	WA	58
CHATTAN CT	WA	110
EVERGREEN FOREST DR	SE	66
RUSTY CT	SE	67