

→ **Additional Opportunities for Public Review and Comment:**

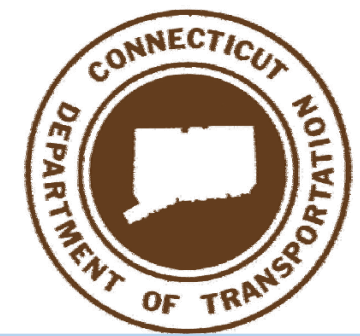
Capitol Region COG	
Hartford, CT	860 522-2217
Central Connecticut RPA	
Bristol, CT	860 589-7820
Conn. River Estuary RPA	
Old Saybrook, CT	860 388-3497
COG of the Central Naugatuck Valley	
Waterbury, CT	203 757-0535
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Bridgeport, CT	203 366-5405
Housatonic Valley CEO	
Brookfield, CT	203 775-6256
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Middletown, CT	860 347-7214
South Central Regional COG	
North Haven, CT	203 234-7555
South Western RPA	
Stamford, CT	203 316-5190
Southeastern Connecticut COG	
Norwich, CT	860 889-2324
Valley COG	
Derby, CT	203 735-8688
Litchfield Hills CEO	
Goshen, CT	860 491-9884
Northeastern Connecticut COG	
Dayville, CT	860 774-1253
Northwestern Connecticut COG	
Warren, CT	860 868-7341
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→ **Public Informational Meeting**

2012

Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP)



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In accordance with the provisions of Title 23, section 135 of the United States code; as amended by the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU) enacted on August 10, 2005; the Connecticut Department of Transportation (CTDOT) has developed a draft STIP covering all areas of the state. The STIP lists all federally funded transportation improvements, by federal funding category and by region, which are scheduled to occur over the next four years. These projects are listed by Federal funding categories and by Region. It includes capital and operational improvements to the various modes, which make up the transportation system, including highway, bus, rail and bicycle facilities. The STIP is used to implement the goals and objectives identified in the Long-Range Regional and State Transportation Plans. The portion of the STIP for the urban regions of the State is based on the Transportation Improvement Programs adopted by the Metropolitan Planning Organizations.

For the rural regions of the State, the STIP is developed in cooperation with the Rural Regional Planning Organizations.

→ Public Informational Meetings

On Monday, December 12, 2011 two Informational Meetings will be held at the Connecticut Department of Transportation, 2800 Berlin Turnpike, Newington, Connecticut. The first meeting will begin promptly at 1:00 p.m. and the second meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m. These meetings will provide a forum for a full and open discussion of the draft STIP. At these meetings, the public will have an opportunity to review, comment and discuss on any aspect of the draft STIP. This forum will also provide the project sponsors with information from the public regarding their desires and concerns. Department of Transportation Staff will be available one-half hour prior to each meeting to informally discuss the draft STIP. They will answer specific questions about any of the proposed projects. Please use this meeting as an opportunity to ask questions and provide input to these very important transportation planning efforts. Additional locations for public review of the draft STIP are listed on the reverse side of the brochure.

→ Review Procedure

The Draft 2012 STIP is available for review at specific locations for a forty five day public comment period between November 30, 2011 and January 14, 2012. These documents are available for review at the CTDOT Administration Building in Newington and at each of the fifteen Regional Planning Organizations. It is suggested that an appointment be scheduled in order to adequately accommodate all interested parties. To schedule an appointment at CTDOT, please call Rose Etuka at (860) 594-2040. To schedule an appointment at one of the Regional Planning Organizations, please call them directly. (See back of the page for contact information of the Regions).

The Draft 2012 STIP is also available online at this address:

<http://www.ct.gov/dot/STIP>

→ Comments.....

Written comments must be received on or before January 14, 2012. Comments should be addressed to:

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Please include your name, address and if applicable, the name of the company or organization you represent with your request.