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Public Comment Opens on Critical Intersection Designs

MONROE, N.C. (March 9, 2021) – Union County is requesting public comments on proposed designs for five priority intersections throughout the County. The intersections were identified in 2019 as part of a <u>Critical Intersection Analysis</u> to help guide investments of limited County, municipal, and NCDOT resources.

The next step is selecting a preferred design and refining cost estimates to help municipalities, Union County, and the NCDOT determine the preferred solution to address safety and congestion issues at these five intersections:

- Waxhaw-Marvin and Bonds Grove Church Roads in Marvin
- NC 200 and Plyler Mill Road in unincorporated Union County
- NC 75 and Potter Road in Mineral Springs
- US 601 and Brief Road in Fairview
- Poplin and Unionville-Indian Trail Roads in Monroe

The Planning department will host a virtual community input meeting for each of the five intersections. The schedule for the virtual meetings is <u>online</u>. Residents may also review the proposed designs and provide feedback <u>online</u>. The County is receiving public input through April 2, 2021.

The Board of Commissioners and governing bodies in affected municipalities will be asked to endorse a design for each intersection in May 2021. Public feedback will help them make these important decisions.

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