NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

DUMMER-CAMBRIDGE-ERROL, X-A004(699), 16304B

Pursuant to NH RSA 230:14 and Public Law 100-17 (Surface Transportation and Uniform Relocation Assistance Act of 1987), a public hearing has been set to discuss the proposal that will impact a parcel of land that is owned by the Town of Errol to establish a new right-of-way for NH 16 and reestablish a scenic easement along the new highway alignment. The project is located in Cambridge, NH. The hearing will be held at:

DUMMER TOWN HALL 75 HILL ROAD DUMMER, NH on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 2020, at 5:30 P.M.

The venue will be open at 5:00 pm for the inspection of plans by any interested persons. Masks are encouraged and will be available at the door.

On May 20, 2020, the Governor and Executive Council approved the petition of the NH Department of Transportation to convene a public hearing to determine whether there is the occasion for the laying out of this project and acquiring necessary rights-of-way. A Special Committee was appointed to conduct the hearing and its members are Executive Councilor Michael Cryans, Paul Ingersoll, and Paul Robitaille.

This Notice of Public Hearing contains the date, time and location of the hearing to the petitioners, the owners of land over which the road may pass, and all others interested. No less than fourteen days prior to the hearing, this notice will be posted in at least two public places in the Towns of Dummer, Cambridge and Errol and a copy will be left with the Town Clerks of Dummer and Errol. Interested landowners, local officials and highway users are invited to attend the hearing and will have the opportunity to express their comments relative to the project. The hearing will be recorded.

Relocation assistance will be furnished to each owner or tenant whose improvements or property will be acquired for this project, based on their eligibility.

This project will not impact historic properties. Maps, plans, the environmental studies and other pertinent information developed by the Department, along with written reports received as a result of the coordination with other agencies, are available at the Department of Transportation at the John O. Morton Building, 7 Hazen Drive, Concord, New Hampshire for inspection and copying. Please call Jennifer Reczek, Project Manager, at (603) 271-3401 in advance for an appointment.

Written statements and other exhibits may be submitted to the Chairman of the Commission, c/o Peter E. Stamnas, Director of Project Development, NH Department of Transportation, PO Box 483, Concord, NH 03302-0483 up to the date of the hearing for inclusion in the official record.

Any individuals needing assistance or auxiliary communication equipment due to sensory impairment or other disability, should contact Stephen G. LaBonte, Administrator of the Bureau of Right-of-Way, NHDOT, PO Box 483, Concord, NH 03302-0483 - TDD access: Relay NH 1-800-735-2964. Notification of the need for assistance must be made at the earliest convenience. This project will be administered according to the requirements of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and related statutes to ensure nondiscrimination.

/s/ Stephen G. LaBonte Stephen G. LaBonte, Administrator Bureau of Right-of-Way N.H. Department of Transportation