

**MEMORANDUM**

**SUBJECT: GACIT Announces Additional Ten Year Plan Public Hearings**

**DATE:** October 6, 2017

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation (NHDOT) and the Governor's Advisory Commission on Intermodal Transportation (GACIT) have announced they will hold an additional four (4) public hearings on the NHDOT's recommended update of the State's Ten-Year Transportation Program (2019-2028), **including one in Nashua (District 5 - Councilor Wheeler) and one in Salem (District 3 – Councilor Prescott).**

These public hearings are an opportunity for citizens to comment on the draft plan, which is the result of several months of work by communities, the Nashua Regional Planning Commission (NRPC), and the NHDOT.

Below is a schedule for the remaining hearings being held by Councilor David Wheeler (District 5), representing the NRPC communities of Amherst, Brookline, Hollis, Hudson, Litchfield, Lyndeborough, Mason, Merrimack, Milford, Mont Vernon, Nashua and Wilton and Councilor Russell Prescott (District 3), representing Pelham. Highlighted are the new locations that have been recently added to the schedule.

<b>District 5 - Councilor David Wheeler</b>	
<b>PETERBOROUGH</b> Wednesday, October 18 <sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM	Town Hall 1 Grove Street <i>Co-hosted with District 2 Councilor Andru Volinsky</i>
<b>NASHUA</b> Thursday, October 19 <sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM	Nashua Community College 505 Amherst Street Room 150
<b>District 3 - Councilor Russell Prescott</b>	
<b>NEWMARKET</b> Thursday, October 12 <sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM	Newmarket Town Hall 186 Main Street
<b>HAMPTON</b> Monday, October 16 <sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM	Seashell Complex Ocean Front Pavillion Room 170 Ocean Boulevard
<b>PORTSMOUTH</b> Tuesday, October 17 <sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM	Portsmouth Public Library, Levenson Community Meeting Room 175 Parrott Avenue
<b>SALEM</b> Wednesday, October 25 <sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM	Salem Town Hall Knightly Room 33 Geremonty Drive

NRPC will be participating in the public hearing held in Nashua and Peterborough. You are strongly encouraged to attend your Councilor's hearings to show support for the regional projects.

Any individuals needing assistance or auxiliary communication equipment due to sensory impairment or other disability, should contact Sharon Allaire, (603) 271-3344, NHDOT, P.O. Box 483, Concord, N.H. 03302-0483 - TDD access: Relay N.H. 1-800-735-2964. Those not able to attend the meetings can submit written testimony within 10 days of the completion of the Public Hearings, but no later than November 6, 2017. Written comments should be addressed to:

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Copies of any documents related to the Ten-Year Transportation Improvement Plan (2019-2028) will be available for review on the NHDOT website prior to the first Public Hearing: <http://www.nh.gov/dot/org/projectdevelopment/planning/typ/index.htm> or by contacting the Bureau of Planning & Community Assistance at the Department of Transportation (603-271-3344).