



**THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



*Victoria F. Sheehan*  
Commissioner

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Assistant Commissioner

His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu  
and the Honorable Council  
State House  
Concord, N.H. 03301

Bureau of Right-of-Way  
March 26, 2021

Re: **PETITION – Plaistow-Kingston, X-A000(378), 10044E**

The Department of Transportation requests placement of this item on the Consent Calendar.

Pursuant to RSA 230:45, revise the Special Committee for the hearing on a proposal to reconstruct and widen NH Route 125 to a three lane section to improve safety and access control along the corridor. The proposal includes realignments of Kingston Road, Happy Hollow Road and Colonial Road.

On September 23, 2020, the Governor and Executive Council authorized the Bureau of Right-of-Way's petition for a hearing, and the appointment of a special committee. The membership of the suggested committee has since changed to include Councilor Janet L. Stevens, in place of Councilor Theodore Gatsas, who has resigned from the committee.

Since the Petition is for the limitation or control of access, this new Special Committee should be appointed by the Governor with the advice of the Executive Council to hold the hearing. The Special Committee shall determine whether there is occasion for the proposed reconstruction and widening, as presented at the hearing.

**Suggested Special Committee:**

Councilor Janet Stevens, Rye, Chairperson  
Russell E. Prescott, Kingston, Committee Member  
Glenn Coppelman, Kingston, Committee Member

**Suggested Budget**

Number of days eligible for per diem reimbursement:	6 @ \$50.00 = \$300.00
Miles eligible for reimbursement:	96 @ \$0.56 = \$53.76
	Grand Total: = \$353.76

Respectfully,

Victoria F. Sheehan  
Commissioner

VFS/PFC  
Attachment

**- P E T I T I O N -**

To His Excellency, the Governor, and the Honorable Executive Council:

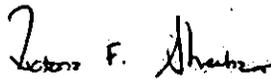
I, Victoria F. Sheehan, Commissioner of the New Hampshire Department of Transportation, in accordance with RSA 230:45, propose reconstruction and widening of US Route 125 to a three-lane section to improve safety and access control along the NH Route 125 corridor in Plaistow-Kingston.

**Plaistow-Kingston X-A000/378, 10044E**

This project will reconstruct and widen of US Route 125 to a three-lane section to improve safety and access control along the corridor. The project starts about 400 feet north of the NH 125/Old County Road intersection in Plaistow, and proceeds north for 1.8 miles, to the signalized intersection of NH 125/Hunt Road/Newton Junction in Kingston. This project also entails realignment of Kingston Road, Happy Hollow Road and Colonial Road.

This project will impact wetlands and surface waters, and may have an effect on historic resources.

Therefore, I, Victoria F. Sheehan, Commissioner of the New Hampshire Department of Transportation, in accordance with RSA 230:45, propose reconstruction and widening of US Route 125 to a three-lane section to improve safety and access control along the corridor.

  
Victoria F. Sheehan  
Commissioner

Dated at Concord, NH  
March 26, 2021