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East Genesee St. Sidewalk Study Public Meeting

Syracuse, N.Y. — A public meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 9, 2011 at 6:00 p.m. in the Nottingham High School Cafeteria, 3100 E. Genesee St., Syracuse, NY.

At the request of the City of Syracuse, the Syracuse Metropolitan Transportation Council (SMTC) examined the feasibility of completing the sidewalk network along East Genesee Street between East Avenue/Brookford Road and the eastern City line, and assessed the existing sidewalk on Meadowbrook Drive between Hurlburt and Kimber Roads. The project also established a planning level cost estimate of recommended sidewalk facilities. Those in attendance at the August 9 public meeting will hear about the alternatives for improved pedestrian accommodations and the rough cost estimates for such facilities.

For additional information about the project or the public meeting, or to ensure accommodation for special needs, please contact the SMTC at (315)422-5716.

What is the SMTC?

The Syracuse Metropolitan Transportation Council was formed in 1966 as a result of the Federal Aid Highway Act of 1962 and Urban Mass Transportation Act of 1964. Serving as the metropolitan planning organization (MPO) for the Syracuse Metropolitan area, the SMTC provides the forum for cooperative decision making in developing transportation plans and programs for Onondaga County and small portions of Madison and Oswego Counties. The SMTC is comprised of elected and appointed officials, representing local, state and federal governments or agencies having interest in or responsibility for transportation planning and programming.

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