Department of Transportation & Public Facilities, Northern Region

Public Open House
Dalton Highway MP 0-9 Reconstruction
Project No.: 0652(016)/60911

ADOT&PF, in cooperation with the Federal Highway Administration is proposing to reconstruct the Dalton Highway from MP 0-9. The project proposes re-routing the highway to follow the Elliott Highway for its first mile and then follow the valley bottom, rejoining the existing Dalton Highway alignment near MP 6.5. The sharp curves and steep grades in this corridor are especially problematic for trucks, which constitute over 60% of all traffic on this route. Realignment is desired to take advantage of less severe terrain in order to provide more safe and efficient travel for industrial and tourist traffic traveling between Interior Alaska and the North Slope.

Tuesday, June 9, 2015
5 p.m. – 7 p.m.
ADOT&PF Main Conference Room
2301 Peger Road, Fairbanks
Presentation at 5:30p.m.

Concept figures and more information can be found at http://dot.alaska.gov/nreg/dalton

ADOT&PF requests general public comments on the proposed project as well as information on resources in the project area that may be affected including historic properties, archaeological sites, wetlands, and floodplains. The project is anticipated to impact approximately 40 acres of wetlands surrounding the roadway.

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To submit comments outside the meeting, contact Sarah Schacher, P.E., Engineering Manager, at (907) 451-5361 or e-mail sarah.schacher@alaska.gov. You may also fax your comments to (907) 451-5126. To correspond by text telephone (TDD), call (907) 451-2363. Please submit comments by June 21, 2015. If you require special accommodations to participate in the meeting, please call ahead so arrangements can be made to assist you.

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