

**Community Meeting**  
**11/01/22**  
**Jerusalem Baptist Church**  
**5:30 pm - 6:30 pm**

After our host, Pastor Cunningham, opened up the meeting in prayer, the GO project leadership team provided a recap of updates for the community, including the introduction of a fourth road alternative. Technical studies for the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) Process are underway and include Traffic analysis, Air & Noise, Ecology, Archeology/Historical, etc. NEPA ensures that agencies consider the environmental impacts of their actions and decisions. As part of NEPA, they are currently investigating possible impacts to a US Army Corps of Engineers mitigation site that runs through Alternatives 1 and 2.

A Q&A session that followed the presentation addressed several overall questions of community members.

- Community members were assured that the city selected this project for investment and greater access to Pidgeon Industrial Park.
- Questions about toxins and the impact value of the houses within the area were raised by community members. Further details and updates would be discussed during the January Advisory Committee meeting.
- All attendees agreed to share information, suggestions, or concerns with their city representatives.
- How will an alternative ultimately be decided? The design team will consider all the information obtained from environmental studies, costs, potential economic benefits for the community, public meetings, and community involvement to recommend the best and most effective alternative. It would then be submitted to the Mayor for approval. If approved, it would be forwarded to TDOT/State.