

Public Workshop – February 27, 2023

Welcome to the Public Workshop for the

- Little Heaven Transportation Improvement District (TID)
- South Frederica Transportation Improvement District (TID)

These TIDs are in response to the Kent County Master Plan initiative and are a tool to implement the necessary road improvements.

As part of this study, DelDOT would like to hear from you!







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Delaware Traffic Fatalities

| as of 1/1/2023 | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|------|--------------|---------------|--------|--------------------|---------------|--------|--|--|--|
| | 2022 | <u>2021</u> | | | <u>2020</u> | | | | | |
| | 2022 | Year-to-Date | | Totals | otals Year-to-Date | | Totals | | | |
| Fatalities | 165 | 139 | 1 9% | 139 | 117 | 1 41% | 117 | | | |
| Delaware Residents | 120 | 114 | 1 5% | 119 | 93 | 1 29% | 96 | | | |
| Person Types | | | | | | | | | | |
| Vehicle Occupant | 103 | 83 | 1 24% | 83 | 75 | 1 37% | 75 | | | |
| Pedestrian | 33 | 30 | 10% | 30 | 25 | 1 32% | 25 | | | |
| Bicyclist | 7 | 2 | 1 250% | 2 | 3 | 133% | 3 | | | |
| Motorcyclist | 22 | 24 | ₹ -8% | 24 | 14 | 1 57% | 14 | | | |
| Crash Types | | | | | | | | | | |
| Curve Related | 19 | 23 | ■ -17% | 23 | 19 | 0% | 19 | | | |
| Roadway Departure | 57 | 59 | -3% | 59 | 47 | 1 21% | 47 | | | |
| Intersection Related | 48 | 53 | ♣ -9% | 53 | 32 | 1 50% | 32 | | | |
| Median Crossover | 8 | 7 | 1 14% | 7 | 3 | 1 67% | 3 | | | |
| Wrong Way | 7 | 0 | ♠ N/A | 0 | 1 | ★ 600% | 1 | | | |
| Work Zone | 4 | 8 | ♣ -50% | 8 | 3 | 1 33% | 3 | | | |













<u>Project History – 2019/2020</u>

- Little Heaven & South Frederica Master Plan Development 2019/2020
- Traffic analysis conducted 2020
 - Existing Traffic Counts and Analysis Base Year 2019
 - Proposed Little Heaven Design Year 2030
 - Proposed South Frederica Design Year 2045
 - Roadway Network Developed 2020
- Master Plans adopted December 2020
- Formal Transportation Improvement District (TID) Agreement with DelDOT in place April 2021

Current Status

- Define Future Roadway System Improvements
- Establish Construction Costs for each segment
- Determine overall cost sharing and TID fee structure







What is a Transportation Improvement District? (TID)

- A geographic area defined for purpose of securing required improvements to transportation facilities in that area
- A place where land use and transportation is planned in detail in advance, such that development consistent with that planning can pay a readily determined fee and forego the Traffic Impact Study process
- Purpose is to better provide the transportation improvements needed to support land development consistent with local Comprehensive Plans







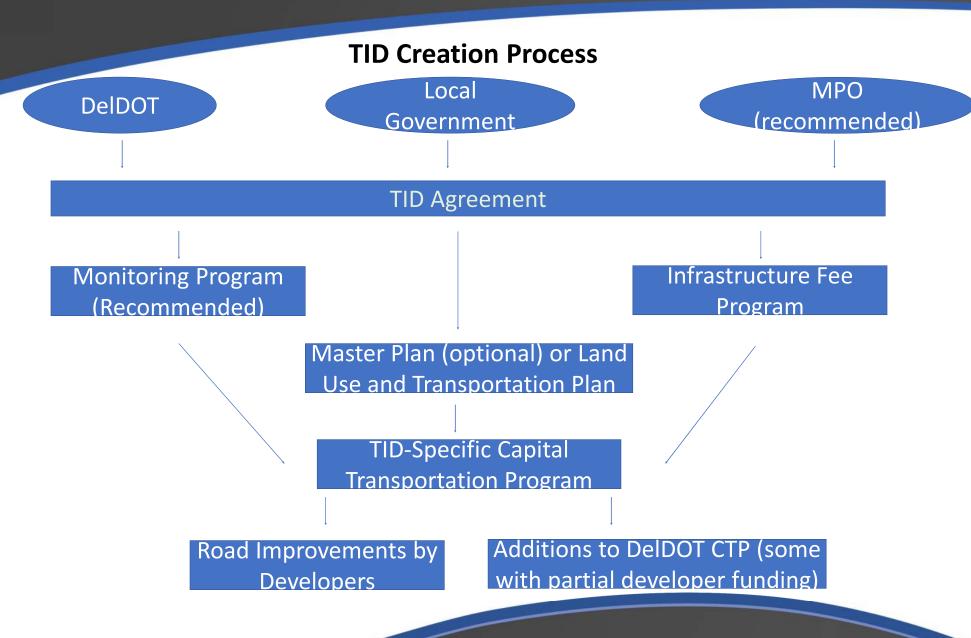
Why Create a TID?

- Comprehensive infrastructure planning
- TID projects advance in DelDOT's CTP
- TID fees stay local
- Equitable treatment of competing Developers
- Known costs for Developers
- Expedited development reviews







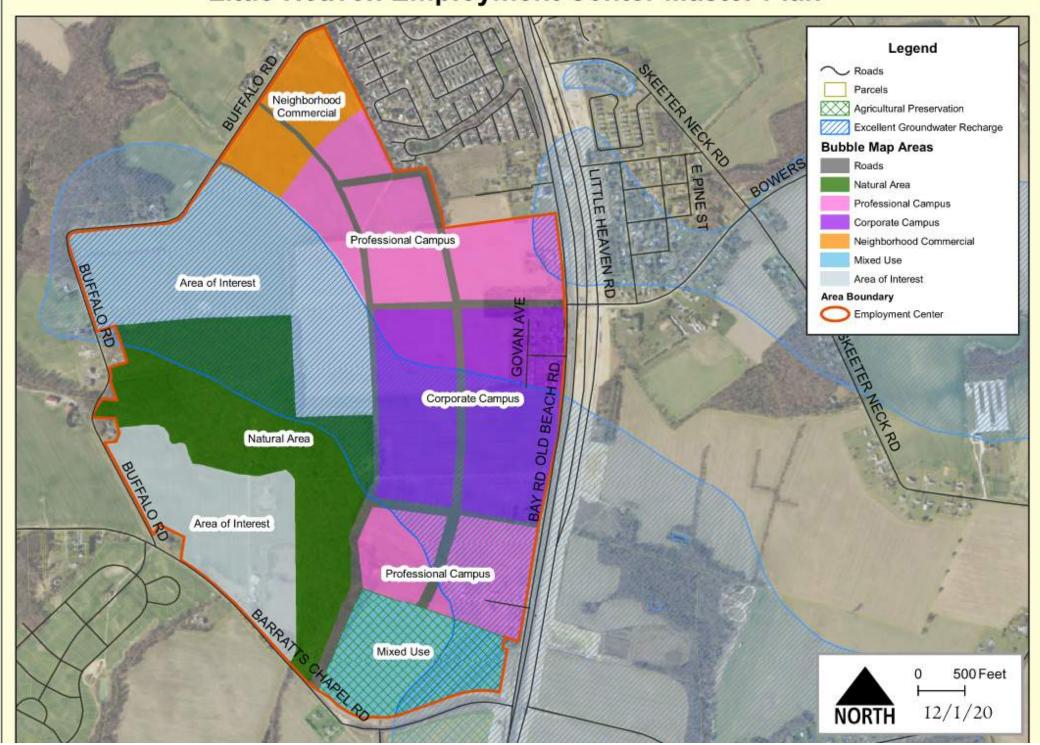








Little Heaven Employment Center Master Plan



Master Plan Traffic Analysis

- Reviewed anticipated traffic generated by proposed land use shown in Master Plans
- Analyzed existing transportation system capacity including existing:
 - Intersections
 - Ramps
 - SR 1
 - Underpass at Bowers Beach Road
 - Bridge over SR 1 at South Frederica
- Developed Recommendations
 - Improvements to existing roadway network
 - Developed new local roadway network (typical Developer roadway implementation)
 - Recommended TID for both Little Heaven and South Frederica to implement the Master Plans







Cost Estimates

| Little Heaven TID | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Cost Estimates | | | | | | | | |
| DelDOT Roadway Improvements | | | | | | | | |
| Road | From | То | Cost | | | | | |
| Old Beach Road | Barratts Chapel Road | Buffalo Road | \$4,200,000 | | | | | |
| Little Heaven Road | Bowers Beach Road | Mulberrie Point Road | \$1,700,000 | | | | | |
| Buffalo Road | Barratts Chapel Road | Old Beach Road | \$7,400,000 | | | | | |
| arratts Chapel Road Buffalo Road | | Old Beach Road | \$7,200,000 | | | | | |
| UnderPass Road | Old Beach Road | Tub Mill Pond Road | \$250,000 | | | | | |
| Total | | | \$20,750,00 | | | | | |

| Developer | Developer Internal Grid Road and Service Road Improvements | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---|--------------------------------|--------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | | | | | |
| Road | From | om To | | | | | | |
| Interior Road 1 | Old Beach Road Interior Road 4 | | \$3,400,000 | | | | | |
| Interior Road 2 | Old Beach Road | Old Beach Road Interior Road 4 | | | | | | |
| Interior Road 3 | Barratts Chapel Road | Interior Road 4 | \$6,900,000 | | | | | |
| Interior Road 4 | Barratts Chapel Road | Buffalo Road | \$7,500,000 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| Total | | | \$20,400,000 | | | | | |







Next steps:

- 1. Refine concepts based on public input
- 2. Develop cost share percentages
- 3. Establish TID fees
- 4. Enter into agreements with individual Developers

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