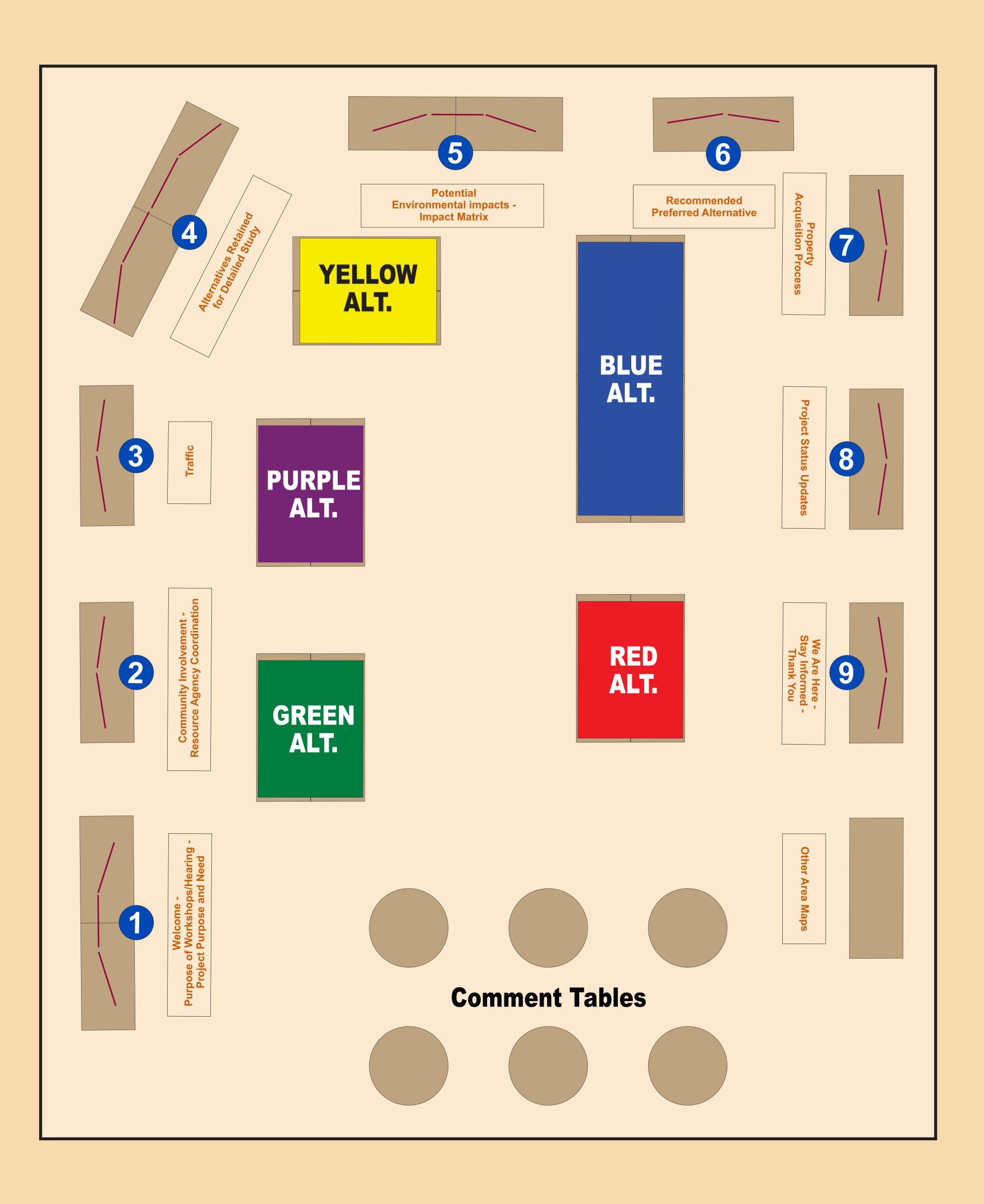
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On behalf of the Delaware Department of Transportation (DelDOT) and the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), we welcome you to these Public Workshops/Public Hearings for the Millsboro-South Area of the **US 113 North/South Study.**

A concerted coordination effort with various state and federal regulatory agencies has occurred since our last series of workshops. This effort has focused on developing a Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) that identifies a Recommended Preferred Alternative. We invite your comments on the Recommended Preferred Alternative and the DEIS document.

Thank you for sharing your valuable time and insights.

Shailen P. Bhatt Secretary **Delaware Department of Transportation**



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Workshops/Hearings Purpose **Present and Listen**

Public Workshops

Informational Public Workshops will be held from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm to update the public on project progress that has occurred since the May 2010 workshops.

The Public Workshops will provide the public an opportunity to review and comment on:

- **Recommended Preferred Blue Alternative.**
- Area of the US 113 North/South Study.

The DEIS includes the Socio-Economic, Natural and Cultural Environmental Effects for all Build Alternatives and the No-Build Alternative.

The project team will be available at the workshops to answer questions.

Public Hearings

The Public Hearings will provide the public an opportunity to provide testimony on the DEIS for the Millsboro-South Area of the US 113 North/South Project.

Private testimony on the project may be given directly to a stenographer from 4:00 pm to conclusion.

From 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm (or later, as needed), traditional style Public Hearings will be held to enable individuals to provide testimony in a public setting.

A sign-up sheet will be available at the Workshops/Hearings from 4:00 pm to 7:45 pm for those who wish to speak. Individuals and representatives of organizations who wish to testify will be called in the order they registered.

The Alternatives Retained for Detailed Study including DelDOT's

The DEIS developed by DeIDOT and FHWA for the Millsboro-South

Project Purpose – Millsboro - South Area

The Purpose of the Millsboro-South Area of the US 113 North/South Study is to identify, select and protect a corridor for a limited access highway that addresses Sussex County's future transportation needs.

Project Need – Millsboro - South Area

The following needs have been identified for the Millsboro – South Area of the US 113 North/South Study:

- traffic in the corridor.
- Millsboro-SouthArea.
- of Delaware and Maryland.

Project Purpose and Need

To preserve mobility for local residents and businesses.

To address existing safety issues in the corridor.

To develop transportation improvements that reduce congestion and accommodate anticipated growth in local, seasonal and through

To accommodate planned and future economic growth in the

To provide a new emergency evacuation route from the coastal areas