



Cribari Memorial Bridge Project Advisory Committee (PAC) Meeting #4

CTDOT State Project # 158-214

January 30, 2019



CRIBARI MEMORIAL BRIDGE Meeting Agenda



- Welcome & Introductions
- Ground Rules & PAC Role Refresher
- PAC Meeting Purpose
- NEW Binder Contents
- What We've Heard
- Conservation & Off-Alignment Alternatives
 - Discussion & PAC Workshop
- Next PAC Meeting





CRIBARI MEMORIAL BRIDGE Ground Rules Refresher



Meetings will

- Start and end on time
- Focus on input from PAC members
- Showcase diverse perspectives



PAC members will

- Be courteous and respect all opinions. Rude behavior will not be tolerated
- Have <u>one</u> speaker at a time
- Provide honest input
- Respect recommendations discussed at previous meetings
- Review materials provided in advance

Purpose: Information Exchange



CRIBARI MEMORIAL BRIDGE PAC Meeting Purpose



What Is Our Purpose Tonight?

To solicit PAC input for Conservation and Off-alignment alternatives



CRIBARI MEMORIAL BRIDGE New Binder Contents



NEW Binder materials

- Comparison matrix
- Conservation & Offalignment alternatives
- Meeting #3 summary
- Meeting #4 presentation





Project Advisory Committee

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CRIBARI MEMORIAL BRIDGE What We've Heard



What You Have Told Us

Feedback on Rehabilitation and On-alignment Replacement Concepts

- Consider a conservation alternative
- Provide a simple method of comparing options
- Consider pedestrian mobility
- Consider travel speed
- Reduce impacts to parking in the project area
- Reduce the height and width of alternatives



CRIBARI MEMORIAL BRIDGE Alternatives Comparison Chart

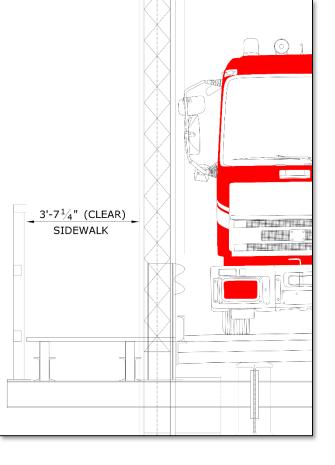


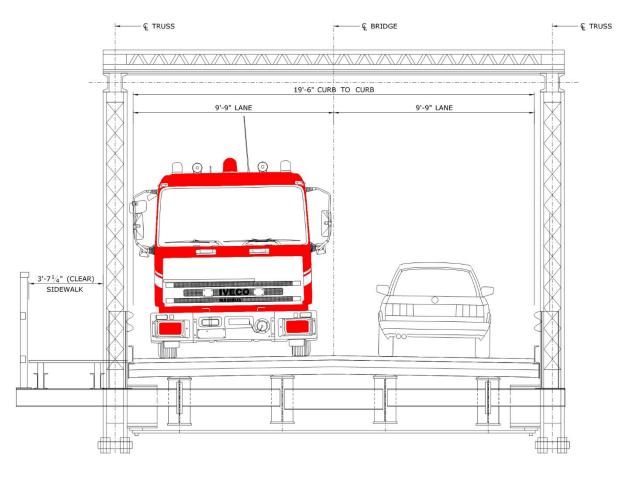
CRIBARI BRIDGE RTE 136 CVER SALAGIUR RIVER WESTFORT	<u>No Build</u>	Conservation	<u>Rehabilitation</u>	Replacement (On-Alignment)	Replacement (Off-Alignment)	
Work Involved	Minor repairs performed, as required, by DOT Maintenance forces	Restore bridge to its 1993 condition Repair of damaged elements Structural repair of Piers 2 and 3	Repair/widening of trusses Structural repair of Piers 2 and 3 Crash-tested guide rail Water-resistant mechanical equipment Roadway barrier for bridge openings	Replacement of the existing bridge with a new structure on a similar alignment	Replacement of the existing bridge with a new structure on an alignment located north from the existing	
Purpose and Need						
Address Structural Deficiencies	Repairs made; however, limited by capabilities of DOT Maintenance	Load restrictions no longer required	Load restrictions no longer required Widened trusses reduce chance of impact damage	New structure supporting current load standards	New structure supporting current load standards	
Address Functional Deficiencies		Fixes height restriction caused by electric box	Vertical height raised to 14'-3"	Vertical height raised to 16'-3" (min.) Lane width increased	Vertical height raised to 16'-3" (min.) Lane width increased	
Increased vehicular safety			New barrier system for bridge openings Crash-tested railing	Wider travel lanes and shoulders New barrier system for bridge openings Crash-tested railing	Wider travel lanes and shoulders New barrier system for bridge openings Crash-tested railing	
Increased bicycle/ pedestrian safety			Potential widening of sidewalk *	Wider sidewalks Sidewalks along both sides of bridge * Wider shoulder widths	Wider sidewalks Sidewalks along both sides of bridge * Wider shoulder widths	
Improved marine travel				Increased marine vertical clearance Faster bridge openings	Increased marine vertical clearance Faster bridge openings	
Considers historic character	Trusses remain as they are with periodic repair	Trusses remain as they are with periodic repair	Trusses are maintained but widened			
Resilient to changing climate			Water-resistant mechanical equipment	Water-resistant mechanical equipment Equipment raised from existing location	Water-resistant mechanical equipment Equipment raised from existing location	
Design Considerations						
Roadway Vertical Clearance	12'-10" (posted for 12'-7")	Increase from existing Bridge remains posted	14'-3"	16'-3" (min.) **	16'-3" (min.) **	
Marine Vertical Clearance	Approx. 7'-0"	Approx. 7'-0"	Approx. 7'-0"	> existing **	> existing **	
Lane Width	9'-9"	9′-9″	9′-9″	10' to 12' **	10' to 12' **	
Bike Path/Shoulder Width	0′	0'	0'	4' to 5' **	4' to 5' **	
Intersection Improvements	No change from existing	Lengthening of right turn lane leading to Riverside Ave.	Lengthening of right turn lane leading to Riverside Ave.	Lengthening of right turn lane leading to Riverside Ave.	Lengthening of right turn lane leading to Riverside Ave.	
Sidewalks	4'-6" sidewalk located along north side	4'-6" sidewalk located along north side	 4'-6" sidewalk located along north side Potential widening of sidewalk* 	 1-2 sidewalks along bridge North and/or South side of bridge* 5'-6' wide sidewalks ** 	 1-2 sidewalks along bridge North and/or South side of bridge* 5'-6' wide sidewalks ** 	
Bridge Openings	No change from existing	No change from existing	No change from existing	Reduced/faster bridge openings	Reduced/faster bridge openings	
Rights-of-Way	No impacts	Temporary easements for temporary bridge**	Temporary easements for temporary bridge**	Temporary easements for temporary bridge**	Permanent acquisitions and temporary easements anticipated **	
Wetlands/Water Quality	Repairs to piers Impacts as needed for maintenance	Repairs to piers Installation/removal of temporary bridge**	Repairs to piers Installation/removal of temporary bridge	Replacement of existing bridge Installation/removal of temporary bridge	 Installation of new bridge Removal of existing bridge 	
Construction Duration Anticipated Structure Service Life	As needed for maintenance 20-25 years	2-3 years 25-40 years	2-3 years 25-40 years	3 years 75-100 years	3 years 75-100 years	

^{*}under consideration based on PAC discussion

^{**}exact values would be vetted out at design level if chosen







Draft Concept For PAC Discussion

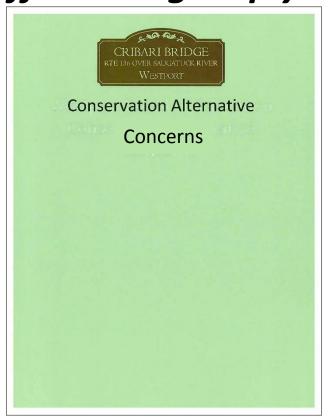
APPROACH SPAN SECTION CONSERVATION BRIDGE REHABILITATION CONCEPT

SCALE: $\frac{1}{2}$ " = 1'-0"





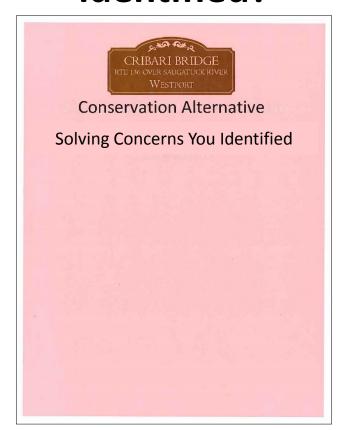
Given the information you have about the <u>Conservation</u> <u>Alternative</u>, what are your concerns? *How will this* alternative affect the group you represent?

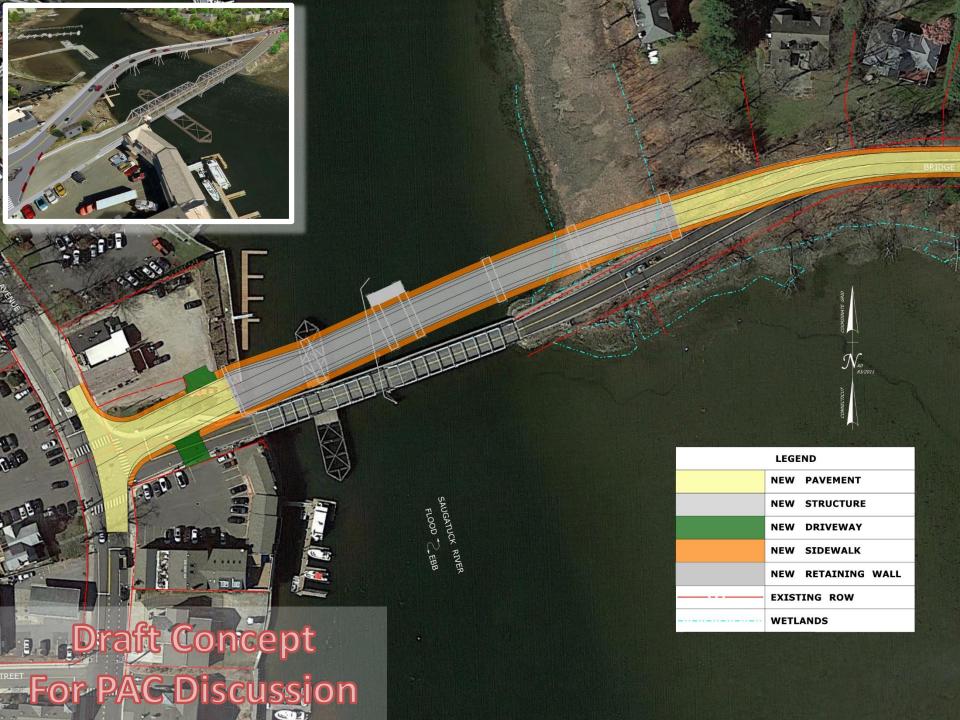




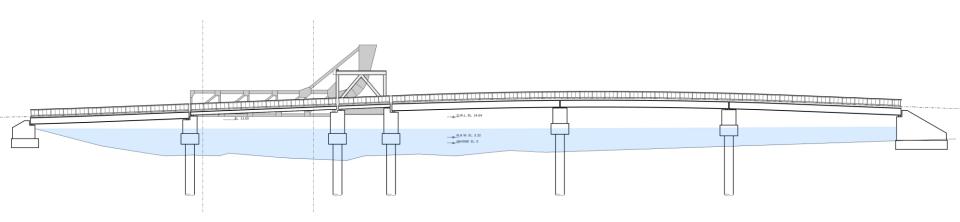


If the <u>Conservation Alternative</u> were to proceed, what would you do to solve the concerns you identified?

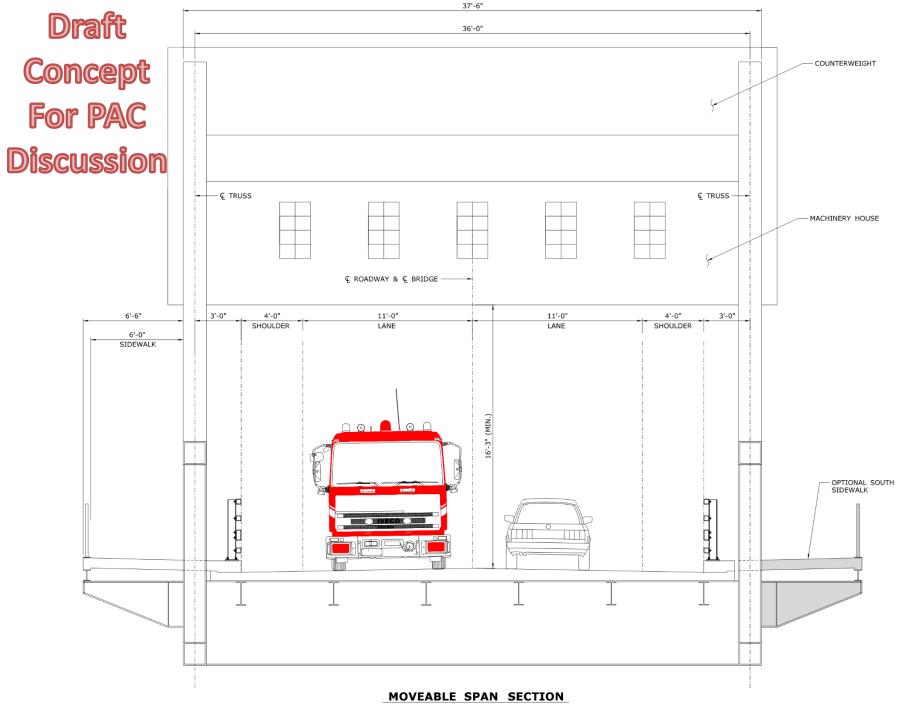




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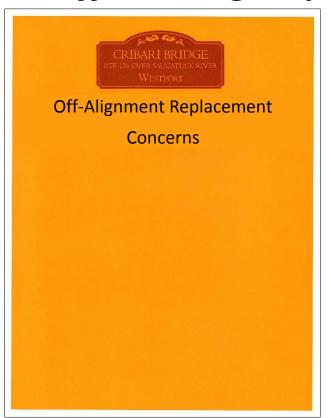


OFF-ALIGNMENT BRIDGE REPLACEMENT CONCEPT





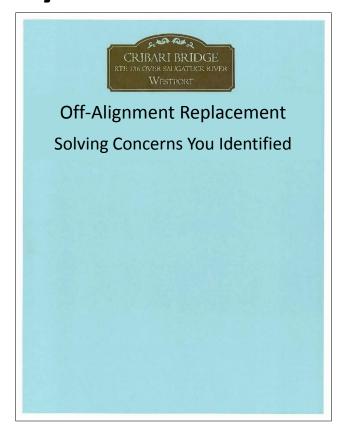
Given the information you have about the <u>Off-alignment</u> <u>Replacement Alternative</u>, what are your concerns? *How will this alternative affect the group you represent?*

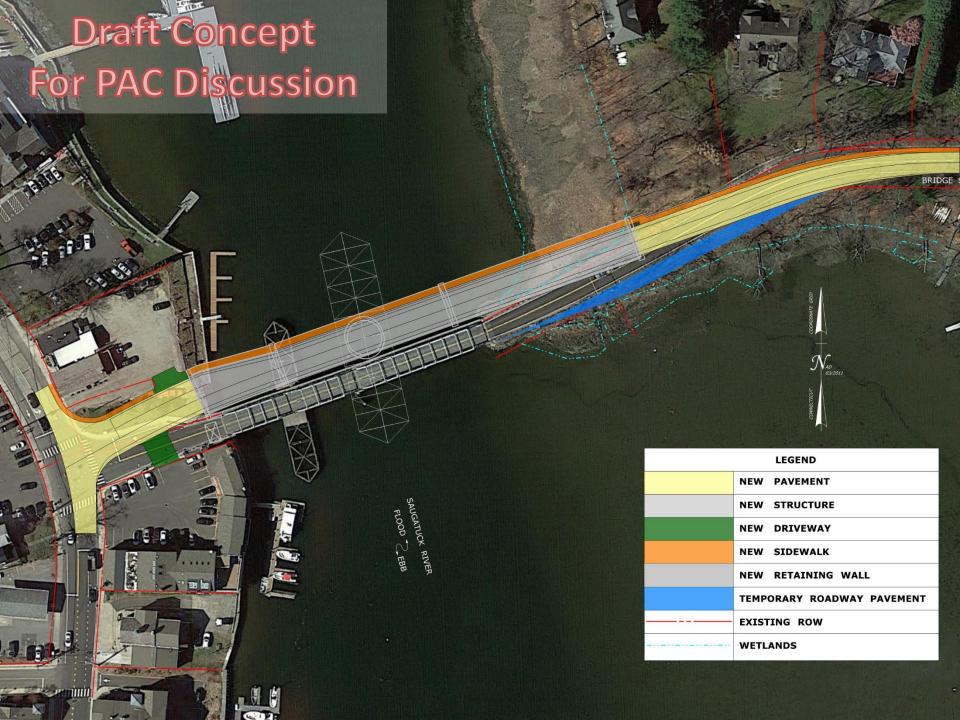






If the Off-alignment Replacement Alternative were to proceed, what would you do to solve the concerns you identified?



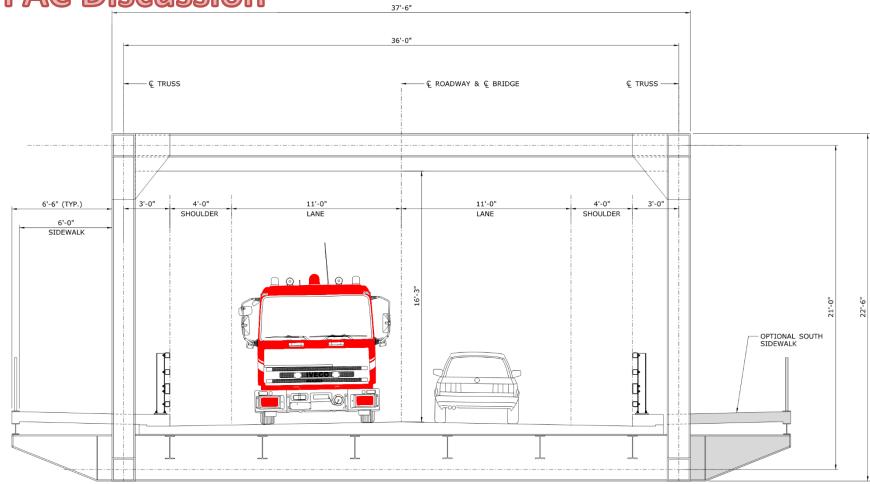






Draft Concept

For PAC Discussion







Given the information you have about the <u>Parallel Off-alignment Replacement Alternative</u>, what are your concerns? How will this alternative affect the group you represent?







If the <u>Parallel Off-alignment Replacement Alternative</u> were to proceed, what would you do to solve the concerns you identified?



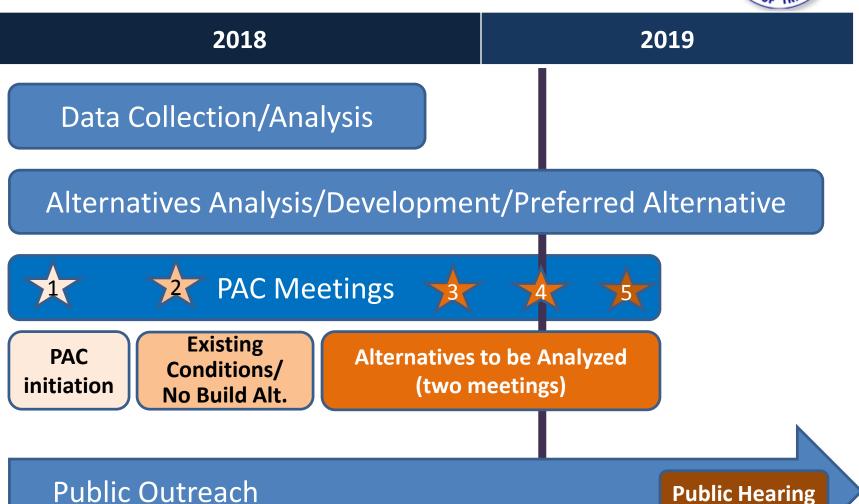
Parallel Off-Alignment Replacement Alternative

Solving Concerns You Identified



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Thank you for your participation