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PUBLIC INVITED TO ATTEND I-95 EXPRESS TOLL LANESSM OPEN HOUSE THURSDAY, DEC. 14

BALTIMORE, MD – The Maryland Transportation Authority (MdTA) will hold its third quarterly Open House at the I-95 Express Toll Lanes (ETLsSM) Project Office in White Marsh on **Thursday, Dec. 14**, from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

The public is encouraged to stop in to discuss the project with members of the ETLsSM design and construction team, pick up project brochures and enjoy light refreshments.

The ETLs project spans the I-95 corridor from just north of the I-95/I-895 split in northeast Baltimore to north of MD 43 in White Marsh. The project will ease congestion and increase safety by making improvements to the mainline roadway, reconstructing bridges and interchanges and adding two new Express Toll Lanes in each direction to this 10-mile stretch of the John F. Kennedy Memorial Highway. Once completed, the project will result in a total of two new ETLs and four general-purpose lanes in each direction.

Work currently underway includes construction on the mainline of northbound I-895 and I-95 from south of the I-895/Moravia Road interchange to north of the I-95/I-895 interchange and reconstruction of the Rossville Boulevard, Joppa Road and Cowenton Avenue bridges over I-95.

The I-95 ETLs Project Office continues to be a valuable resource for community organizations and individual stakeholders to access project information or meet with a project team member. The office houses Authority staff and the GEC (General Engineering Consultant) Partners, including STV, Inc.; Wilbur Smith Associates, Inc.; and Parsons Brinckerhoff Quade & Douglas, Inc.

The Project Office is located at 8019 Corporate Drive, Suite F, in White Marsh. Citizens planning to attend the Open House can call 410-931-0808 or 1-888-I95-ETLS (1-888-495-3857) for more information or directions. Visit www.I-95ExpressTollLanes.com to learn more about the I-95 ETLs project.

The Maryland Transportation Authority is an independent State agency that finances, owns and operates the State's seven toll facilities. The Authority's six Members, appointed by the Governor with consent of the State Senate, serve as the agency's policy-setting and governing body. Maryland Secretary of Transportation Robert L. Flanagan serves as Authority Chairman.

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