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PROJECT NAME: Long Range Transportation Study to Widen State Routes 167 and 52

APPLICANT/SPONSOR: Southeast Alabama Regional Planning & Development Commission

BUILD GRANT AWARD: \$450,000

TOTAL PROJECT COST: \$450,000

PROJECT LOCATION: Coffee, Geneva, and Dale Counties, Alabama

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

This planning grant will fund the technical and economic feasibility study of two projects on approximately 24 miles of SR 167 and SR 52. The first project would widen approximately 24 miles of SR 167 in Alabama from a two-lane undivided roadway to a four-lane divided roadway from the Alabama State Line to US 84. The second project would widen approximately 13 miles of SR 52, extending a segment from Geneva to Dothan that is currently being widened to SR 167.



PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS AND BENEFITS:

The study will assess how to enable the safe passing of heavy trucks navigating the numerous steep grades on SR167, which is a major evacuation route. By expanding capacity on the two routes, quality of life benefits from increased flow of traffic could be expected.



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