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Route 20 Pedestrian Accommodation Improvements (PIN 1808.01)

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Hi Don. Very nice talking with you (at 489-3909). As discussed, while we're now actively working on preliminary design of a project to make pedestrian accommodation improvements along Route 20 between SUNY Albany (eastern limit) and NYS Route 155 (western limit) it's too early to be able to provide you with any solid details at your meeting to be held next Thursday evening. Let's plan on coming out to present our preliminary ideas (not detailed plans) to you at your meeting to be held on Thursday May 23, 2013 at 7 PM at the Holiday Inn.

Also as discussed, due to both funding reasons and the time frames necessary to acquire ROW this project will likely be broken into two phases for construction. At this time we envision Phase 1 to go out to bid one year from now, in March 2014, with construction taking place during the 2014 season. We do not know at this time what work will be included in this first phase, nor where within the project limits. I expect we will know that before your May meeting. The goal of Phase 1 and Phase 2 combined is to create/upgrade continuous pedestrian pathways along both sides of Route 20 within the full length of the project limits.

Finally, please contact me first in the future with any questions about the status of this project. My complete contact information is listed below. Former Project Managers Lorenzo Distefano and Guy Tedesco are no longer involved. Steve Taylor, whom you've spoken with at least once, is our current Project Manager. Frank Bonafide, who works in our Planning Group, is still involved of course but will not be able to answer detailed questions about the status of our design work.

Take care,

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