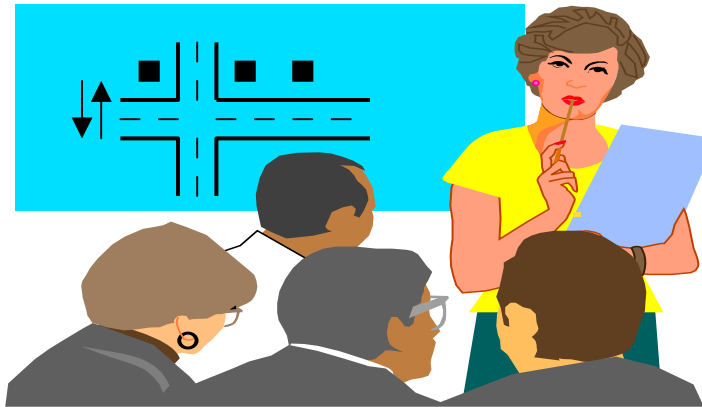


Notice of Public Informational Meeting

Hanover Street Multi-modal Improvements



**Thursday, February 24, 2005
@ 7:00 p.m.
Portsmouth City Hall
Council Chambers**

The purpose of the meeting is to present preliminary design plans for multi-modal transportation improvements on Hanover Street between Market Street and Fleet Street and to receive public input.

The project includes the construction of a bus pullout area with related amenities including bus shelter, benches, information kiosks, bike racks and better directional signage. Major pedestrian improvements are also envisioned including new ADA accessible brick sidewalks, lighting and improved crosswalks. Finally, the project will include significant landscaping and streetscape improvements to enhance the appearance of the public parking facility and area. The street will be resurfaced within the project limits at the conclusion of the project.

Approximately 80% of the estimated project cost of \$700,000 will be paid for through a combined contribution from the Hilton Gardens Inn and COAST. Construction is scheduled for the spring 2006.

***For more information, please contact John Burke, City of Portsmouth
Parking and Transportation Division at 766-1415.***