

**I-77 South Express Lanes**  
**Working Group Meeting #1 Summary**  
November 19, 2024

Members of the I-77 South Express Lanes Working Group met Tuesday, November 19 to begin discussing the region's objectives and priorities for the I-77 South Express Lanes project. The meeting began with an overview of the working group's approach and goals, emphasizing collaboration and alignment on project milestones. A brief overview and history of the I-77 South Express Lanes project was provided along with an example timeline showing milestones for a P3 procurement. The working group then identified and discussed various objectives and priorities for the Project. The process for identifying key contract terms for the Project was also discussed emphasizing the iterative process that will take place between the working group, NCDOT and the P3 market, to ensure a balance between the working group's priorities and the operational and financial viability of the Project.