

Rock Hill

Pennies 5 Commission



September 20, 2023

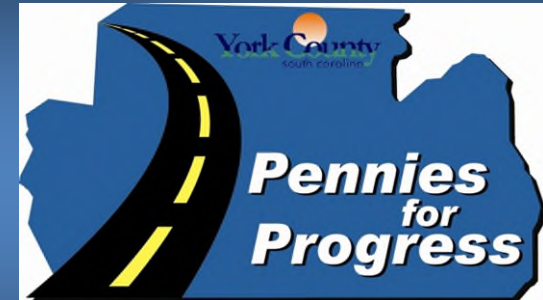


**NO PENNY
SALES TAX
INCREASE TO
REDUCE AREA
GRIDLOCK**

THE OTHER
PROTESTERS
ARE STUCK
IN TRAFFIC...



York County Pennies for Progress

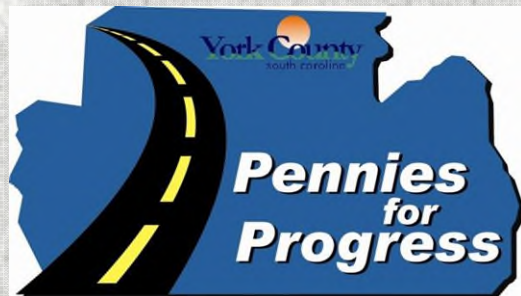


*What is Pennies
for Progress???*



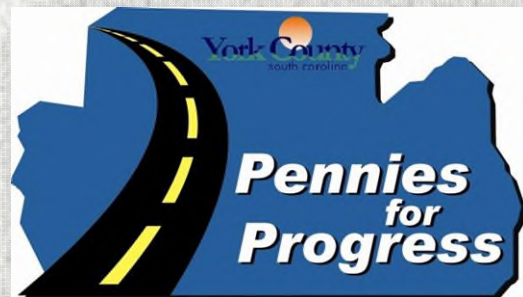
Local Sales and Use Taxes

- Authority to the Counties
 - Allows Counties to impose a 1% sales tax to go towards any capital projects
- Administered by SCDOR
 - Local tax is in addition to state tax. Taxes are collected by SCDOR and distributed to Counties
- Requires a referendum
 - Voters have to approve the 1% tax

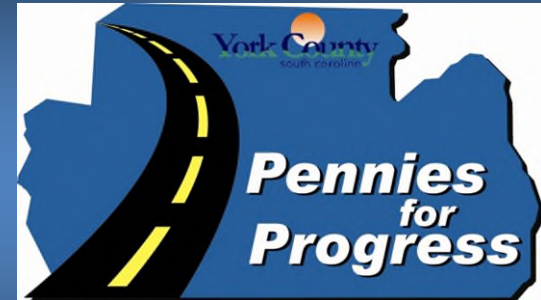


Capital Project Sales Tax Act

- Strict guidelines set for the program
 - Time limits
 - Projects must be listed in priority order
 - Money can only be spent on approved projects
 - Projects are chosen by a 6 member citizen Commission
 - The governing body only has full approval or full denial authority



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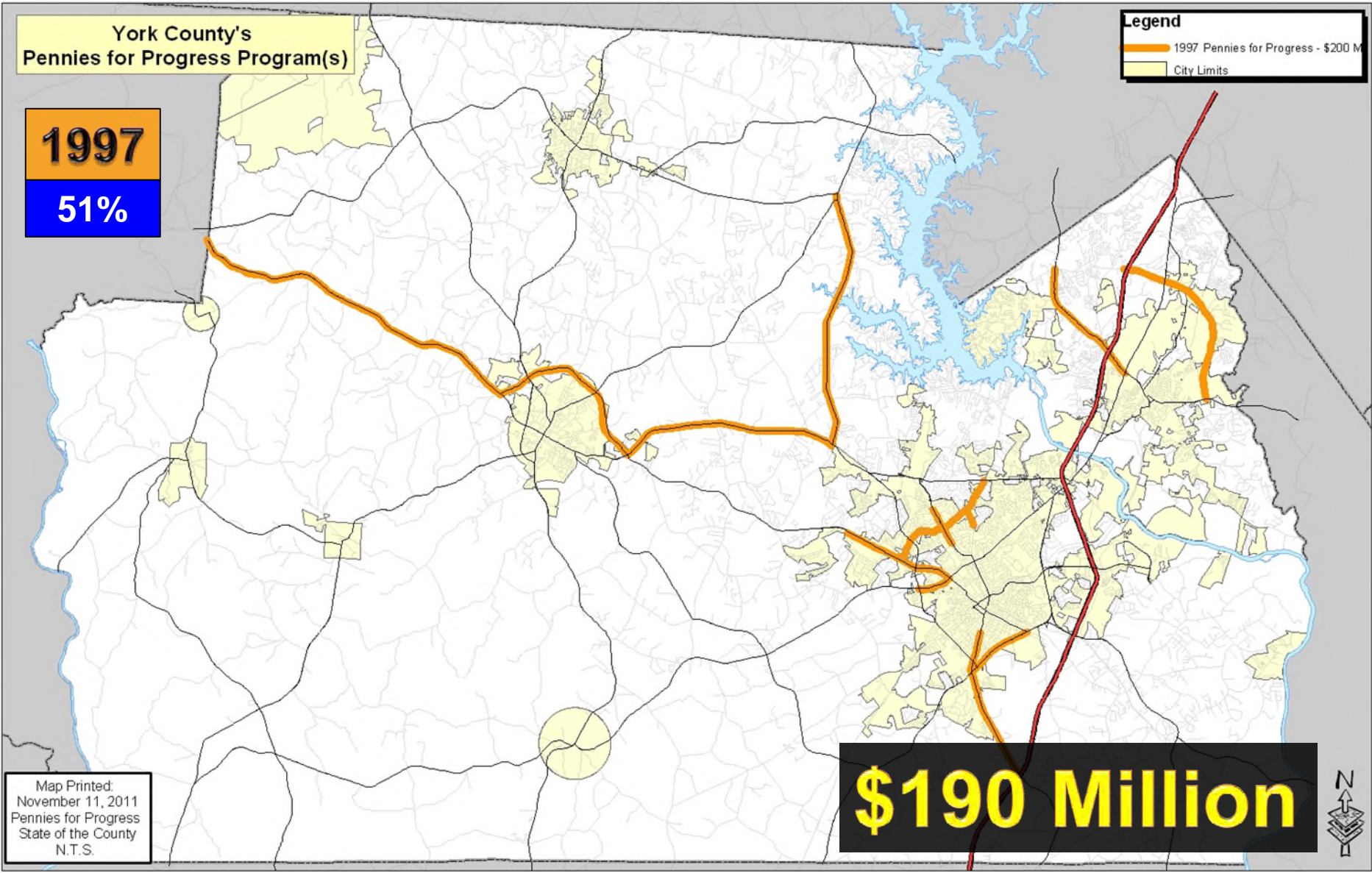
History of the Program



York County's
Pennies for Progress Program(s)

Legend
— 1997 Pennies for Progress - \$200 M
City Limits

1997
51%



\$190 Million

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York County's
Pennies for Progress Program(s)

SIB - State Infrastructure Bank

Legend

- 1997 Pennies for Progress - \$200 M
- I-77 SIB Project \$100 M
- City Limits

State Infrastructure Bank

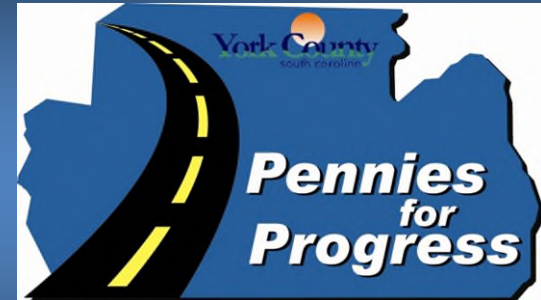
York County made an application to the SIB Board:

- Helped reduce the 1997 Pennies for Progress shortfall
- Widened 14 miles of Interstate 77 from 4-lanes to 8-lanes and reconfigured two major interchanges
- Helped to complete the multi-lane corridor connecting I-85 and I-77 across York County and into Cherokee County

\$178 Million



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Notable Projects



Hwy. 5 East



Hwy. 161



Hwy. 274



Herlong/India Hook



Hwy. 160



10/02/2008

I-77



York County's Pennies for Progress Program(s)

2003

73%

Legend

- I-77 SIB Project \$100 M
- 1997 Pennies for Progress - \$200 M
- 2003 Pennies for Progress - \$173 M
- City Limits

\$184 Million

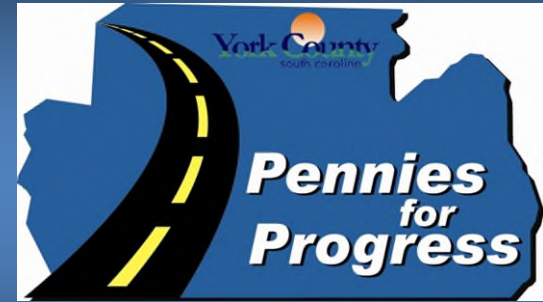
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Notable Projects



US 21 Bridge



Mount Gallant



McConnells Hwy.

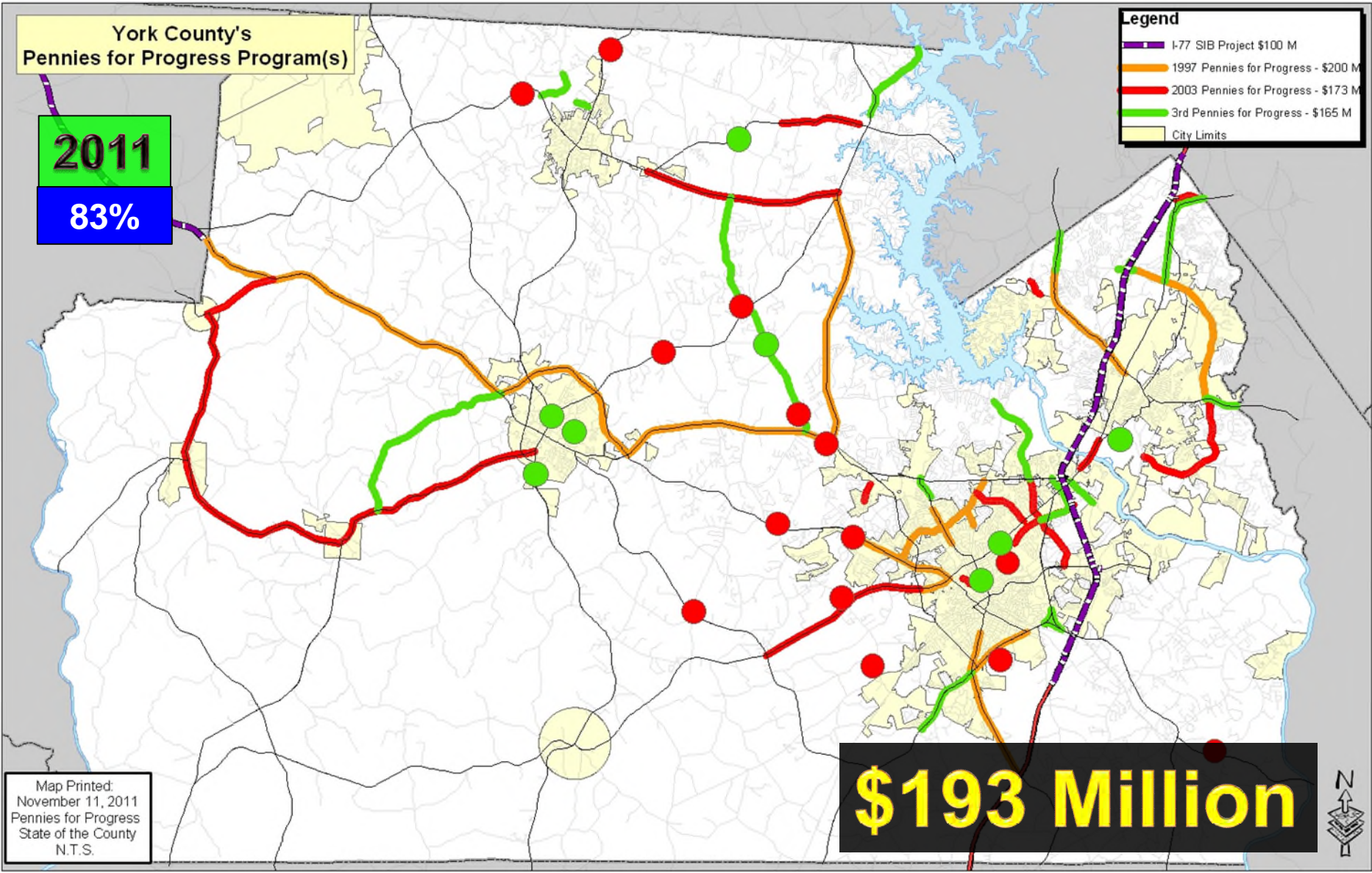


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2011

83%

- Legend**
- I-77 SIB Project \$100 M
 - 1997 Pennies for Progress - \$200 M
 - 2003 Pennies for Progress - \$173 M
 - 3rd Pennies for Progress - \$165 M
 - City Limits



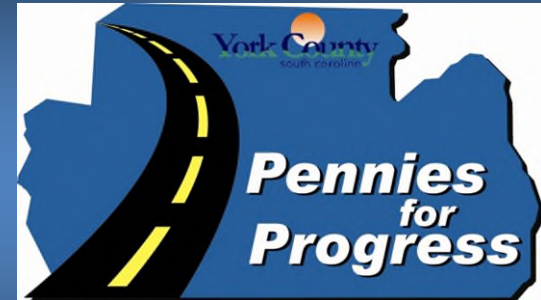
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\$193 Million

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York County Pennies for Progress



Notable Projects



Cel River

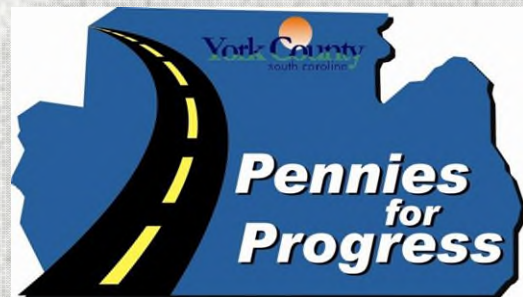


Constitution Round-a-bout



Other Pennies 3 Projects

- Riverview Road
 - Under construction
- Mount Gallant (Twin Lakes to Celanese)
 - Right of way acquisition
- Hwy. 72 (Hwy. 901 to Rambo Road)
 - Permitting



2017

78%

Pennies Projects (1-4)



Legend

Intersection

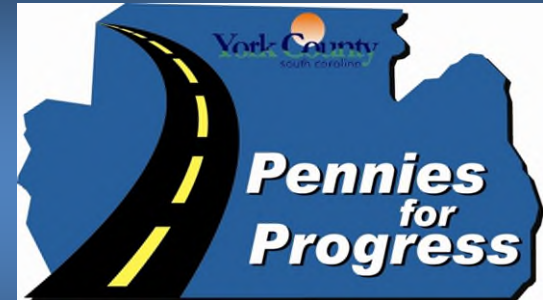
- Pennies-2
- Pennies-3
- Pennies-4

Widening / Resurfacing

- Pennies-1
- Pennies-2
- Pennies-3
- Pennies-4
- I-77 SIB Project

\$278 Million

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Notable Projects



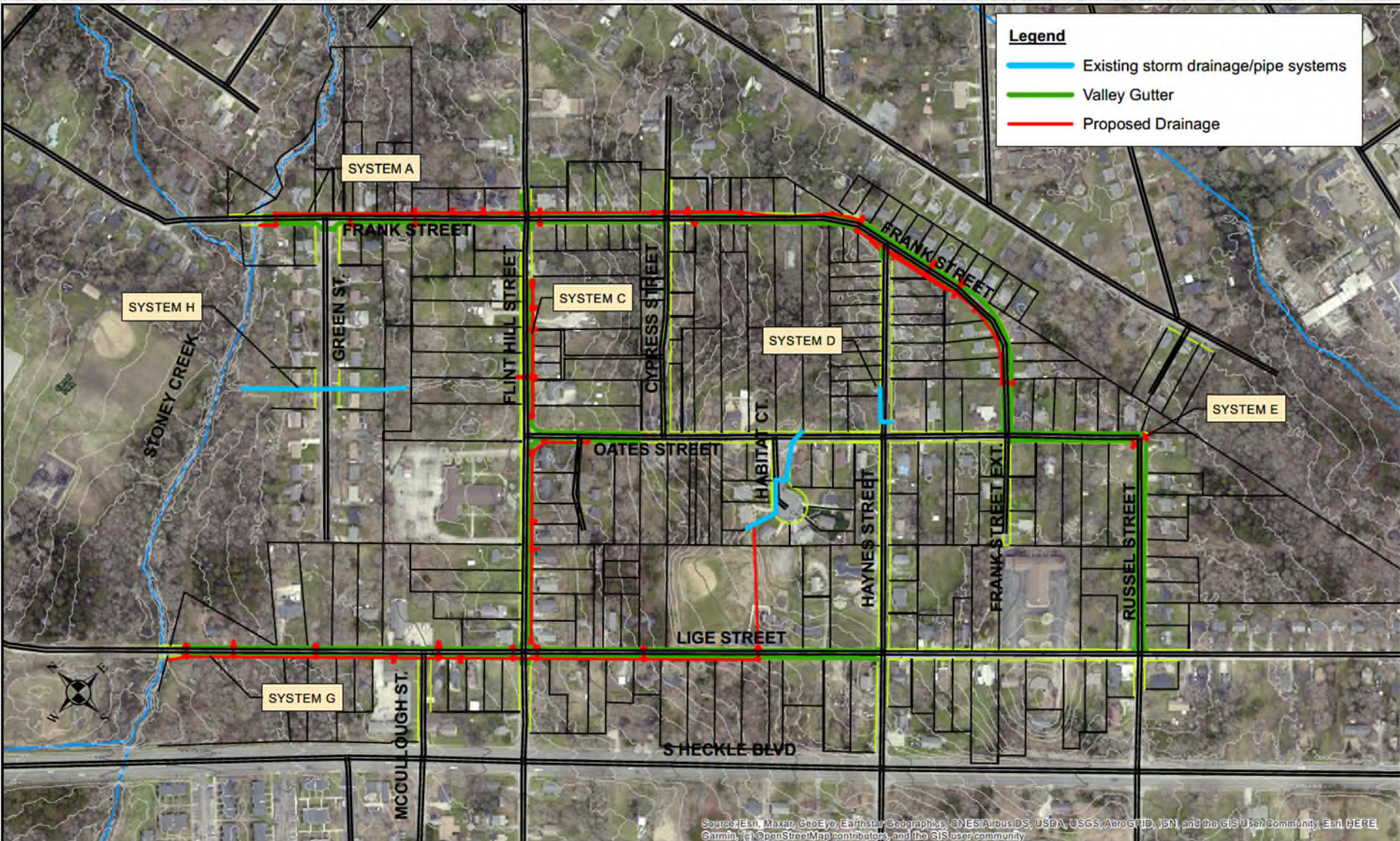
Cel River/Red River



Galleria Blvd.



Flint Hill Street Community Drainage



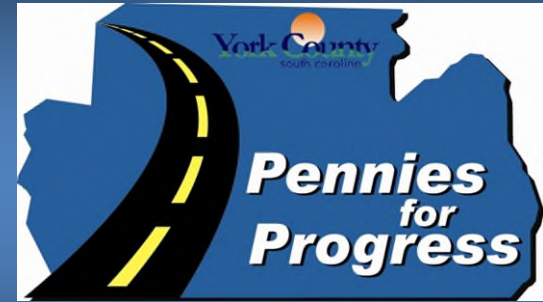
Cherry/Celanese Intersection



Neely Road



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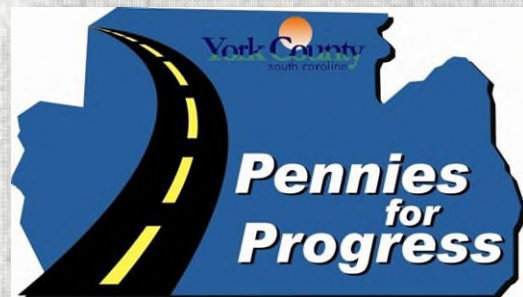


Pennies 5



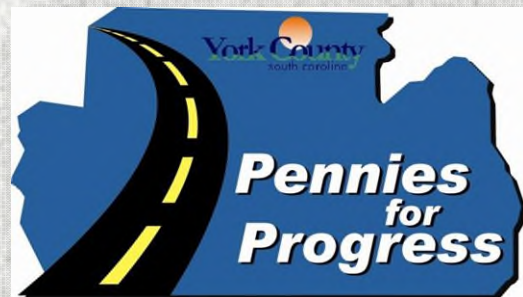
Pennies 5

- Pennies 4 tax will expire on April 30, 2025
- Pennies 5 will need to be voted on in November 2024 in order to continue the tax
- If approved, Pennies 5 tax would begin on May 1, 2025.



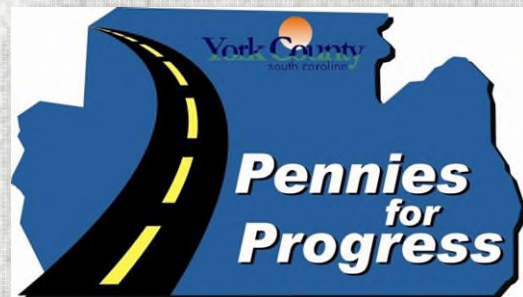
Pennies 5

- Per state law, a 6 member committee comprised of York County citizens selects the projects
- 3 members appointed by York County Council
- 1 member appointed by Rock Hill City Council
- 2 members appointed by the 9 municipalities
 - Rock Hill, Fort Mill, Tega Cay, Clover, York, Smyrna, Hickory Grove, Sharon, and McConnells



Pennies 5 - Timeline

- Commission will hold public meetings throughout 2023
- Complete cost estimate late 2023/early 2024
- Project list is finalized in Spring 2024
- Approve by County Council in Summer 2024
- Public Vote: November 2024



Pennies 1: \$190 Million

Additional SIB: \$132 Million

Pennies 2: \$184 Million

Pennies 3: \$193 Million

Pennies 4: \$278 Million

\$977 Million

**Pennies
Projects (1-4)**






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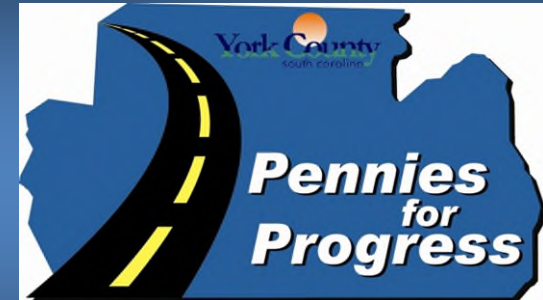
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York County Pennies for Progress



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