

**FARMLAND CONVERSION IMPACT RATING
FOR CORRIDOR TYPE PROJECTS**

PART I (To be completed by Federal Agency)		3. Date of Land Evaluation Request 9/4/09	4. Sheet 1 of _____
1. Name of Project Mark Clark Extension EIS		5. Federal Agency Involved Federal Highway Administration	
2. Type of Project Highway Project		6. County and State Charleston County, South Carolina	
PART II (To be completed by NRCS)		1. Date Request Received by NRCS 9/8/09	2. Person Completing Form R DAVIS
3. Does the corridor contain prime, unique statewide or local important farmland? (If no, the FPPA does not apply - Do not complete additional parts of this form). YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>		4. Acres Irrigated Average Farm Size 108,508 222 ac	
5. Major Crop(s) Soybeans, corn, small grains, truck crops	6. Farmable Land in Government Jurisdiction Acres: 366,830/63.3%	7. Amount of Farmland As Defined in FPPA Acres: 366,830/63.3%	
8. Name Of Land Evaluation System Used LESA	9. Name of Local Site Assessment System N/A	10. Date Land Evaluation Returned by NRCS 10/16/09	

PART III (To be completed by Federal Agency)	Alternative Corridor For Segment			
	Corridor A 1	Corridor B 8	Corridor C 10	Corridor D 11
A. Total Acres To Be Converted Directly	375	378	340	420
B. Total Acres To Be Converted Indirectly, Or To Receive Services	0	0	0	0
C. Total Acres In Corridor	375	378	340	420

PART IV (To be completed by NRCS) Land Evaluation Information				
A. Total Acres Prime And Unique Farmland	27	31	19	25.5
B. Total Acres Statewide And Local Important Farmland	192	149	141	170
C. Percentage Of Farmland in County Or Local Govt. Unit To Be Converted	0	0	0	0
D. Percentage Of Farmland in Govt. Jurisdiction With Same Or Higher Relative Value	26.1	12.3	26.1	26.1

PART V (To be completed by NRCS) Land Evaluation Information Criterion Relative value of Farmland to Be Serviced or Converted (Scale of 0 - 100 Points)	86	89	85.5	87
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PART VI (To be completed by Federal Agency) Corridor Assessment Criteria (These criteria are explained in 7 CFR 658.5(c))	Maximum Points				
1. Area in Nonurban Use	15	5	5	5	5
2. Perimeter in Nonurban Use	10	1	2	1	2
3. Percent Of Corridor Being Farmed	20	0	0	0	0
4. Protection Provided By State And Local Government	20	0	0	0	0
5. Size of Present Farm Unit Compared To Average	10	10	10	10	10
6. Creation Of Nonfarmable Farmland	25	0	0	0	0
7. Availability Of Farm Support Services	5	3	3	3	3
8. On-Farm Investments	20	5	5	5	5
9. Effects Of Conversion On Farm Support Services	25	0	0	0	0
10. Compatibility With Existing Agricultural Use	10	8	8	8	8
TOTAL CORRIDOR ASSESSMENT POINTS	160	32	33	32	33

PART VII (To be completed by Federal Agency)					
Relative Value Of Farmland (From Part V)	100	86	89	85.5	87
Total Corridor Assessment (From Part VI above or a local site assessment)	160	32	33	32	33
TOTAL POINTS (Total of above 2 lines)	260	118	122	117.5	120

1. Corridor Selected:	2. Total Acres of Farmlands to be Converted by Project:	3. Date Of Selection:	4. Was A Local Site Assessment Used? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
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5. Reason For Selection:

Signature of Person Completing this Part: _____ DATE _____

NOTE: Complete a form for each segment with more than one Alternate Corridor

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	Corridor A _{11A}	Corridor B ₃₆	Corridor C _G	Corridor D
A. Total Acres To Be Converted Directly	375	250	266	
B. Total Acres To Be Converted Indirectly, Or To Receive Services	0	0		
C. Total Acres In Corridor	375	250	266	0
PART IV (To be completed by NRCS) Land Evaluation Information				
A. Total Acres Prime And Unique Farmland	19.5	20		
B. Total Acres Statewide And Local Important Farmland	141.5	118		
C. Percentage Of Farmland In County Or Local Govt. Unit To Be Converted	0	0		
D. Percentage Of Farmland in Govt. Jurisdiction With Same Or Higher Relative Value	26.1	26.1		
PART V (To be completed by NRCS) Land Evaluation Information Criterion Relative value of Farmland to Be Serviced or Converted (Scale of 0 - 100 Points)	78	84.5	84.5	

PART VI (To be completed by Federal Agency) Corridor Assessment Criteria (These criteria are explained in 7 CFR 658.5(c))	Maximum Points				
1. Area in Nonurban Use	15	5	5	5	
2. Perimeter in Nonurban Use	10	2	2	2	
3. Percent Of Corridor Being Farmed	20	0	0	0	
4. Protection Provided By State And Local Government	20	0	0	0	
5. Size of Present Farm Unit Compared To Average	10	10	10	10	
6. Creation Of Nonfarmable Farmland	25	0	0	0	
7. Availability Of Farm Support Services	5	3	3	3	
8. On-Farm Investments	20	5	5	5	
9. Effects Of Conversion On Farm Support Services	25	0	0	0	
10. Compatibility With Existing Agricultural Use	10	8	8	8	
TOTAL CORRIDOR ASSESSMENT POINTS	160	33	33	33	0

PART VII (To be completed by Federal Agency)					
Relative Value Of Farmland (From Part V)	100	78	84.5	84.5	
Total Corridor Assessment (From Part VI above or a local site assessment)	160	33	33	33	0
TOTAL POINTS (Total of above 2 lines)	260	111	117.5	117.5	0

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