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## Groups want DOT commission to reaffirm I-73 support

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The S.C. Department of Transportation commission agreed to issue a resolution today saying that Interstate 73 remains a top priority.

A regional legislative and business alliance had sought the resolution, citing recent turmoil in the DOT. The North Eastern Strategic Alliance asked for the reaffirmation of support, which also was sought by the Washington congressional as they seek federal funds for the project.

Chairman Tee Hooper declined to lend his immediate support to the resolution, saying he wants to reevaluate I-73 in light of other statewide priorities. The other four commission members agreed to sign it this afternoon at their commission meeting.

- Read more in The Sun News on Friday.