

Route for I-73 to be unveiled

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FLORENCE, SC (AP) - State highway planners this week will unveil their choice for the route of the new Interstate 73 between I-95 and North Carolina.

The new highway will provide the first interstate access to Myrtle Beach and will run about 90 miles across South Carolina. It will cost an estimated two billion dollars to build that portion of the highway.

Last year, officials announced their choice for the route of I-73 from Myrtle Beach west to I-95.

The route for the northern section in South Carolina will be unveiled at a meeting of the Transportation Commission in Bennettsville on Thursday.

The highway is to run from Myrtle Beach to Michigan.

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