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A BRIEFING TO THE PORT OF WILMINGTON EXPANSION TASK FORCE

State Representative Charles Potter, Jr./Co-Chair State Senator Margaret Rose Henry/Co-Chair

The RiverEdge Container Terminal Project

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Recently, the Diamond State Port Corporation (DSPC) released findings for its Strategic Master Plan.

- Paul F. Richardson Associates, Inc. (PFRA) assisted in developing the plan.
- The document confirmed that the current port configuration has capacity constraint.
- Among other things, the report clearly demonstrated the need for the DSPC to consider alternative new sites "along the Delaware River".



- Importantly, the analysis also identified that there is "optionality" for the Stakeholders.
 - Options which are not mutually exclusive.



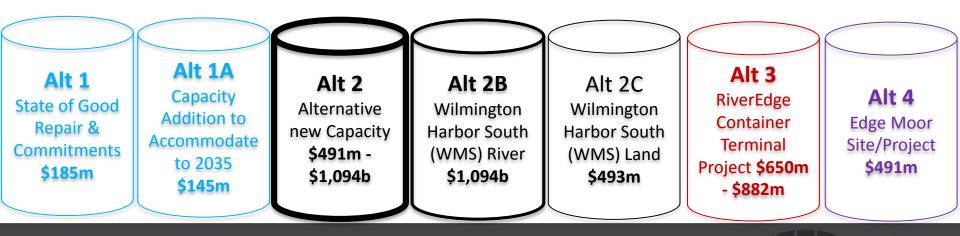
The DSPC Strategic Master Plan included analysis on the following sites.







 The DSPC Strategic Master Plan created the following scenarios or "options" to help guide the Stakeholders in their decision process.



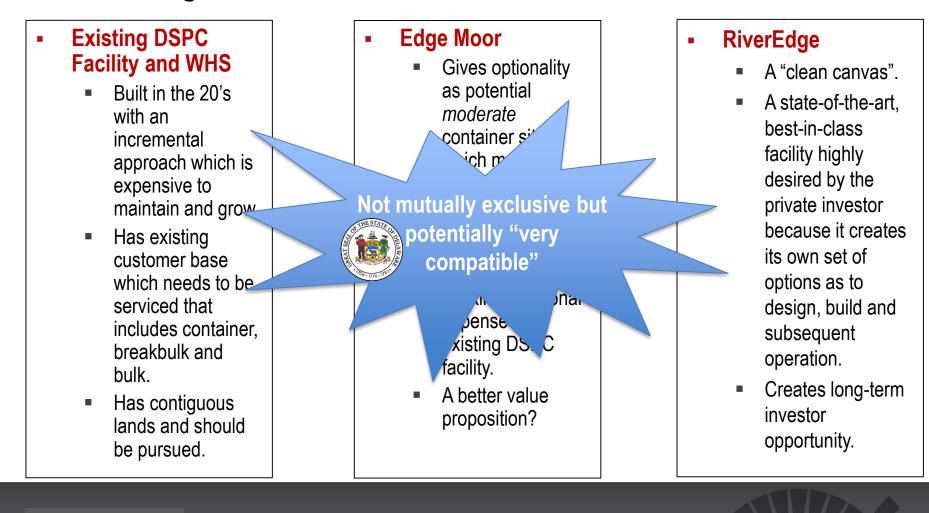




- The DSPC Strategic Master Plan also acknowledged two (2) very critical items:
 - The need to "move ahead" on finding an alternative site(s) for Dredge Management Material Plan (DMMP) that now takes place at WHS.
 - All of the options require this action to varying degrees.
 - The State of Delaware and the Stakeholders are likely to have to partner with private investment to expand with any one (or more) of the alternatives or "options".



 How are these options beginning to "fall out" after the DSPC Strategic Master Plan effort?







Another finding from the **DŠPC Strategic** Master Plan is that the GM **Boxwood site** can play a very tactical role in both railroad and warehousing capability to all future options.



The road ahead to RiverEdge.

RIVEREDGE PROPONENTS

Start RiverEdge Assessment

Engage Investors/Stakeholders

Provide Professional Findings

Maintain Investors/Stakeholders Discussions

Provide further due diligence and assessments For RiverEdge Container Terminal Project



STATE OF DELAWARE

Start DSPC Strategic Master Plan

DSPC Strategic Master Plan Findings

Engage in Discussions with Investors/Stakeholders for all project options

Review strategic options relative to DSPC Strategic Master Plan and Investors/Stakeholders

Start formal Stakeholder Alignment and begin relevant permitting process on WHS

Create platform within State of Delaware which embraces Public/Private Partnership

Engage in "Negotiations" regarding Transaction

to Investors/Stakeholders

Provide further due diligence and assessments For RiverEdge Container Terminal Project to Investors/Stakeholders



 An assessment as to "Full Stakeholder" alignment becomes the primary issue for the private investor, with the required regulatory and permitting process "front and center".
A "Speed-to-Market" determination is essential.





• And now, the "clock has started ticking"....again!

Start WHS and DMMP initiatives.

- This planning and permitting process could easily run between \$2m-\$10m.
- This is a critical path item.
- The State of Delaware engages in discussions with Investors/Stakeholders regarding next steps to the RiverEdge Container Terminal Project.

Begin Alignment of Stakeholders,

- Determine Competitive Landscape,
- Determine role of existing DSPC facility, Edge Moor and,
 - Other public obligations associated with such a P3,
- Engage other private stakeholder relationships which are integral to enterprise success.
- The investor market has to have a clear vision as to:
 - Further "next steps" given past efforts,
 - The "speed-to-market" component and how it relates to competitive projects that are underway on the Delaware Bay.



CREATING FAMILY SUSTAINING EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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<u>Direct</u>	Indirect	Induced	Total	State	State	State	Local	Federal
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			\$66.9b	\$32.4b	\$18.5b	\$1.4b	\$1.1b	\$4.5b
			\$45.0b					
				\$500m				
14,630	10,940	14,480			\$3.0b	\$304m		
2,203	444	1,673				\$31.0m		
				\$12.b	\$4.1b			
170,770			\$37.1b		\$11.6b	\$1.6b		\$3.6b
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