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Interstate shoulder clearing continues



This section of I-95 near the Pee Dee River has been cleared as part of SCDOT's Rural Road Safety program.

s part of the continuous improvement of motorist safety along the interstate highway system, contractors have been clearing the shoulder and median of brush and trees along I-95 between the North Carolina/South Carolina state line and the Pee Dee

River and along I-20 in Darlington County.

To date, contractors have cleared more than 180 acres of brush, debris and fully grown trees from the shoulders and medians of the interstate highways.

The clearing of these areas al-

lows a greater runoff area for vehicles that leave the travel lane, reducing the potential for significant impact, and increased sight lines when entering the interstates.

All of the vegetation is ground into mulch and left to return to nature.



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The shoulders were also cleared as part of the project. This is one section of the northbound shoulder of I-95.





