

## Hampton Roads Crossing Study MIS/EIS Tidewater/Virginia Peninsula, Virginia

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### Description

FHI was part of a project team under contract to the Virginia Department of Transportation for the Hampton Roads Crossing Major Investment Study (MIS) and Environmental Impact Statement (EIS). FHI's initial role on the MIS was to evaluate and update the regional transportation model for the Tidewater and Virginia Peninsula area. As part of the modeling process, FHI was heavily involved in the administration and analysis of a region-wide household travel survey the results of which were used to define and model tour-based trip types. The new regional model was used to analyze the proposed alternatives for the study. FHI staff also provided substantial input to many sections of the MIS, including water quality, aquatic resources, visual quality, public parklands, threatened and endangered species, and farmlands, and contributed to the Natural Resources and Socioeconomic Technical Reports. During the subsequent EIS phase, FHI was responsible for coordination, review, and production of the comprehensive document. FHI coordinated preparation of both the Draft and Final EIS documents, orchestrating the required coordination with oversight agencies.

### Client

Virginia Department of Transportation

