Quarterly Transportation Report
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Transportation Highlights

- Bike to Work Day
- Virginia Railway Express (VRE)
- Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission (PRTC)
- Antietam Road Sidewalk
Bike to Work Day was held on Friday, May 19, 2017. Approximately 200 Prince William County residents and County staff participated in this great event. There were 8 official bicycle pit stops in the County to include George Mason University, Kelly Leadership Center, Manassas VRE Station, Chinn Center, Rippon Landing VRE Station, Woodbridge VRE Station, Dumfries Town Hall, and Haymarket Bicycles.
The VRE Gainesville/Haymarket Extension (GHX) Study will begin examining details of expanding the existing Broad Run Station. The expansion includes adding longer trains and additional revenue trains, additional track and station access, and increase parking spaces. This expansion will assist with Transportation’s strategic outcome of increasing the number of County commuter trips on VRE from 1.54 million commuter trips.
- PRTC hires new Executive Director, Dr. Robert Schneider.

- PRTC began Western service from Gainesville to the Pentagon 6 months ago. Currently it is averaging 200 trips per day.
  - Service is being paid for by the I-66 inside the beltway project.
  - Construction of the PRTC Western Maintenance facility expected by 2020.
Antietam Road Sidewalk

Updates:
- Construction activities began January 25, 2017, and concluded 2 months ahead of schedule.
- The sidewalk is open to the public.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- Currently working on punch list items in preparation for VDOT acceptance.
Antietam Road Sidewalk

Antietam Road Sidewalk Video:
Current Projects
Route 28 Phase II (Fitzwater Drive to Vint Hill Road)

Updates:
- Right of way acquisition and utility relocations are complete.
- Bids for the construction contract were opened on May 9, 2017, and General Excavation, Incorporated was the successful bidder.
- Contract award will be submitted to the BOCS for approval on June 20, 2017.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- Notice to Proceed planned for July 2017 with a project completion date in November 2019.
Vint Hill Road Extension (Schaeffer Lane to Gary Glen Drive)

Updates:
- Citizen’s Information Meeting was held on May 17, 2017.
- Gasoline pipeline encasements will be extended by Williams and Colonial Pipelines.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- Anticipated design completion in September 2017.
- Construction is scheduled for completion by late Summer 2019.
Updates:
- This Project will utilize the unsolicited design-build process.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- Qualifications advertisement was issued on May 19, 2017.
Discovery Boulevard Extension

Updates:
- Design authorization was issued in January 2017.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- Tentative construction contract award date is Spring 2018.
Burwell Road (Rural Rustic)

**Updates:**
- Field survey was completed.
- The preliminary design phase began in April 2017 and is currently ongoing.

**Issues:**
- None.

**Timeline:**
- Project construction to be advertised in January 2018.
Innovation Pedestrian Improvements (Discovery/Innovation/University)

Updates:
- Survey notification letters were mailed to the adjacent property owners along Discovery Blvd., Innovation Dr. and University Blvd. in April 2017.
- Status Review meetings have started between the consultant and PWC.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- The design phase is scheduled to be completed in December 2017.
Dumfries Road Southbound Dual Lefts at Hoadly Road

Updates:
- Design comments received from the review agencies (VDOT, Environmental Services, and Development Services) are being addressed by the consultant, and design plans are expected to be resubmitted to the review agencies for review/approval late June 2017.

Issues:
- A meeting was held with VDOT, DOT, and the consultant to resolve Movement of Traffic (MOT) issues.

Timeline:
- Construction is scheduled to begin Fall 2017, with a completion date of Spring 2018.
Dumfries Road Sidewalk Project (Counselor Road to Tayloe Drive)

Updates:
- A design task order has been created.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- Design phase began in June 2017 with a planned target completion date of December 2017.
- Construction is scheduled to begin March 2018 and end September 2018.
Minnieville Road (Spriggs-Route 234)

Updates:
- Verizon, NOVEC and Comcast relocations are ongoing.
- Earthwork, storm pipe installation and relocation of the water and sewer lines ongoing.
- Design ongoing to improve the westbound Spriggs Road intersection with Minnieville Road to include 2 left turn lanes, 2 through lanes and 1 right turn lane.

Issues:
- Prior dump site is requiring extensive earth removal and disposal.

Timeline:
- Construction completion is scheduled for October 2018.
Smoketown Road/ Opitz Boulevard Pedestrian Improvements

Updates:
- Final design plan comments are being addressed.
- A task order for relocation and design cost is being processed for a pull box that is required for the relocation of a Verizon utility box.

Issues:
- Coordinating with the private property owners concerning the proposed sidewalk work.

Timeline:
- Final design plans were submitted on May 23, 2017.
- Construction is scheduled to begin Fall of 2017.
Old Bridge Road Sidewalk

Updates:
- Design plans were submitted to VDOT and PWC Development Services for final review/approval in March 2017. Plans are expected to be approved by VDOT in early June 2017.
- Construction bid document is being prepared by the consultant.
- A Right of Entry agreement was attained from Lake Ridge Parks and Recreation Association, Inc. in April 2017.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- Anticipated design completion in Spring 2017.
- Construction Advertisement scheduled for July 2017; approximately 6 months will be needed to complete construction.
Updates:
- The Naval Facilities Engineering Command (NAVFAC) issued a Request for Proposal in February 2017 but the project has not been awarded.

Issues:
- The County project is on hold pending award of the Marine Corps Project P588.
- As the County continues to wait for the Marine Corps project, construction cost continue to rise.
Updates:
- A Utility Coordination meeting was held May 9, 2017 to begin scheduling utility relocations.

Issues:
- Geotechnical report identified a type of soil that requires the redesign of retaining walls.

Timeline:
- Construction is scheduled to begin in October 2017.
Dumfries Road Shared Use Path (Four Seasons Drive to Talon Drive)

Updates:
- Design plans were approved on April 11, 2017.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- Construction will begin in Summer 2017, and expected to end in Fall 2017.
Blackburn Road Pedestrian Improvements

Updates:
- Design notice to proceed was issued on December 19, 2016.
- Preliminary design was submitted to review agencies in late May 2017.

Issues:
- Construction options for environmental sensitive areas.

Timeline:
- Construction advertisement is planned for November 2017.
Powell’s Creek Pedestrian Footbridge

Updates:
- Construction activities began on December 14, 2016.
- Utility work is ongoing.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- Construction is scheduled to be completed by September 2017.
Route 1 – Featherstone to Mary’s Way

Updates:
- Design and total acquisition Right-of-Way authorization was approved by VDOT in May 2017.
- Utility relocation plans and estimates were submitted on June 1, 2017.

Issues:
- Construction costs are increasing.

Timeline:
- Utility relocations (including duct banks) are scheduled to begin in January 2018.
- Total take offers released in the beginning of April 2017.
- Estimated construction completion date is April 2021.
Southampton Street Sidewalk (Montgomery Avenue to Pine Lane)

**Updates:**
- Design is ongoing.

**Issues:**
- None.

**Timeline:**
- Final design is scheduled for completion in September 2017.
- Construction is scheduled to begin in Spring 2018.
Opitz Boulevard Sidewalk Project (Potomac Library to Potomac Center Boulevard)

Updates:
- This project constructs a 5 feet wide sidewalk connection that runs on the south side of Opitz Avenue between the I-95 overpass and Jefferson Davis Highway.
- A design task order is being created.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- Design is scheduled to begin June 2017 and end December 2017.
- Construction is scheduled to begin in May 2018 and end in September 2018.

Woodbridge Magisterial District
Horner Road Sidewalk Project (Forest Glen Road to Kilby Elementary School)

Updates:
- This project involves connecting a missing sidewalk section along Horner Road near the entrance of the Dean Kilby Elementary school.

Issues:
- None.

Timeline:
- Design began in May 2017 and will end October 2017.
- Construction is scheduled to begin in December 2017 and end in May 2018.