

## Mt. Vernon Trail at East Abingdon Drive Project VDOT UPC #100422 DPI PROJECT #1503003 Willingness to Host a Public Hearing

The City of Alexandria seeks input from community stakeholders regarding the Mount Vernon Trail at East Abingdon Drive Project.

The City plans to widen the existing trail adjacent to East Abingdon Drive north of Slaters Lane to create more space for people walking and biking along East Abingdon Drive and reduce potential conflicts between trail users.

The trail widening begins at the intersection of Slaters Lane and East Abingdon Drive and runs north along East Abingdon Drive for about 200 feet, which is adjacent to 615 and 625 Slaters Lane. The trail will be widened from approximately 4.5 feet to 10 feet, which is consistent with the rest of the City's trail network and will allow trail users to pass side-by-side more comfortably. The width of the trail at the bus stop will be approximately 13 feet.

The draft design plans are available for review on the project website: <a href="https://alexandriava.gov/go/4189">https://alexandriava.gov/go/4189</a>. This information is also available for review in-person at City Hall, 301 King Street, Suite 3600, Alexandria, VA. In response to COVID-19, all visitors must have an appointment scheduled with a City staff member to access to City Hall offices. To arrange for a time to review the project documents and plans, please call 703.746.4408 or email alexandria.carroll@alexandriava.gov.

Comments and questions may be submitted by email to <u>alexandria.carroll@alexandriava.gov</u> or over the phone by calling 703.746.4408, no later than February 17.

This project is funded by a grant from the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT). Pursuant to the grant requirements, the City is willing to hold a public hearing if requested. To request a public hearing, send a written request postmarked by February 17, 2023, to:

Alexandria Carroll
City of Alexandria
Department of Project Implementation
301 King Street, Suite 3200
Alexandria, VA 22314

If a request for a public hearing is received, the City will post an announcement (including the date, time and location of the hearing) at a later date. Please note, a public hearing is not required to submit comments or questions.

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accordance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. To request more information or special assistance for persons with disabilities or limited English proficiency, contact the City of Alexandria Office of Human Rights at 703.746.3140, 311 or TTY/TDD 311.