



# County of Henrico

Department of Public Works

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## Public Information Meeting Lakeside Area Mobility and Safety Improvements

Thursday, January 26, 2023

5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

### Belmont Recreation Center

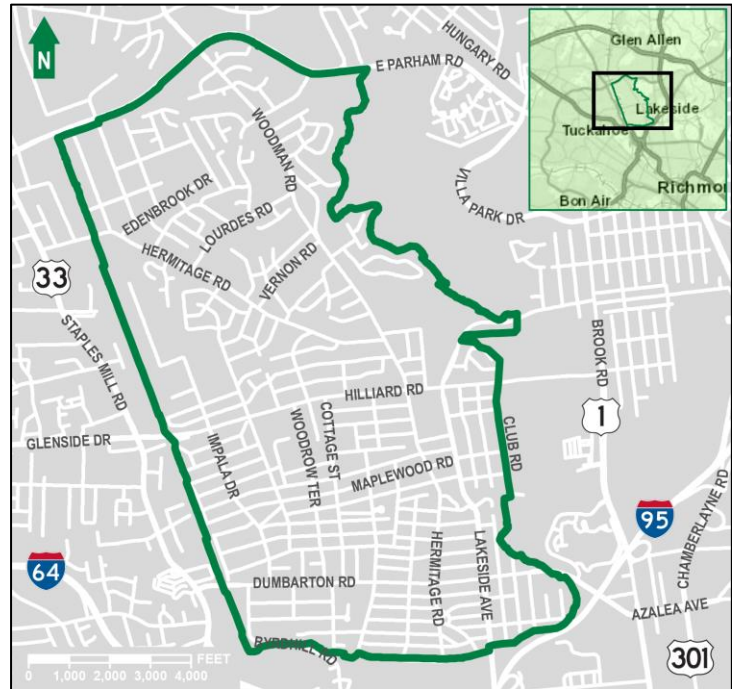
1600 Hilliard Road, Henrico, VA 23228

The County of Henrico Department of Public Works welcomes you to the public information meeting for the Lakeside Area Mobility and Safety Improvements. The purpose of the meeting is to provide an opportunity for the public to provide comments on the potential study improvements under consideration. The County wants all members of the community to have the opportunity to participate in public involvement on projects affecting them. County representatives are present to discuss the project and answer your questions.

### Study Description

The purpose of this study is to identify and evaluate cost-effective short-term and mid-term solutions to improve safety for pedestrians, bicyclists, and motorists in and around the Lakeside area in response to community concerns regarding speeding and safety along neighborhood streets. The County is prioritizing the implementation of short-term improvements that can be implemented quickly to address identified safety issues.

### Study Area



### Potential Study Improvements Under Consideration

The following is a summary of improvements under consideration that will be evaluated in more detail as the study progresses:

#### Short-Term Improvements:

- Replace yield signs with stop signs
- Install all-way stop control at Hermitage Road and Maplewood Road intersection
- Traffic calming (install speed humps or cushions) on Impala Drive, Galaxie Road, Woodrow Terrace, Cedar Croft Street, Hermitage Road, Club Drive, Linbrook Drive, Lourdes Road, Cottage Street, and Vernon Road
- Prohibit on-street parking on Galaxie Road at Putney Road to improve intersection sight distance
- Add additional signing to deter wrong way traffic on New Berne Road, Lennox Road, Barclay Road, Winnwood Road, and Wedgewood Avenue

#### Mid-Term Improvements:

- Install signalized pedestrian crossings in collaboration with VDOT along Hilliard Road and Lakeside Avenue
- Priority sidewalk segments along Hermitage Road and Woodman Road
- Install pedestrian crosswalks and curb ramps near Lakeside Elementary School
- Drainage improvements around Lakeside Elementary School on Cottage Street and on Williams Street

#### Speed Cushions Examples



## Recently Completed Improvements

The County has been actively evaluating and implementing safety improvements in the study area:

### Speed Limit Reductions

- Dumbarton Road reduced to 35 mph
- Woodman Road reduced to 35 mph
- Lourdes Road reduced to 25 mph
- Impala Road reduced to 25 mph
- Lydell Drive reduced to 25 mph

### Stop Sign Reconfigurations

- (Changing the road that has a Stop sign)
- Woodrow Terrace at Irisdale Avenue
  - Cottage St at Kenwood Avenue
  - Cottage St at Dellrose Avenue

## On-Going Projects, Studies & Initiatives

### • Fall Line Trail Project

- This segment of the Fall Line Trail includes a new 12-foot-wide paved multi-use trail connecting Spring Park to Hilliard Road in the Lakeside community (approximately 2 miles).

### • Dumbarton Road Safety and Mobility Improvements Study

- Improvements along Dumbarton Road from Staples Mill Road to Brook Road to improve safety and access for cyclists and pedestrians and to lower vehicular travel speeds.

### • Maude Trevvett Elementary School Connection Project

- Installation of approximately 450 feet of sidewalk from Maude Trevvett Elementary School at Trevvett Drive to Carters Bridge Place (east side of Woodman Road just south of E Parham Road).

### • Vegetation management by the Department of Public Works to improve intersection sight distances

### • The County is currently establishing a framework that prioritizes sidewalks locations and the focus is on roads with 35 mph speed limits and higher traffic volumes. The funding sources and timing of construction is to be determined.

## Get Involved

Comments on the Lakeside Area Mobility and Safety Improvements Study may be provided at the public information meeting or submitted by mail or email following the meeting. County representatives will review and evaluate any information received. Study information is available on the County website at <https://henrico.us/projects/lakeside-area-mobility-and-safety-improvements/>. Comments can be submitted to Ryan Levering (lev004@henrico.us) or mailed to the address below.

**Comments must be postmarked, e-mailed, or delivered to the County of Henrico by February 10, 2023.**

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