

Wythe Creek Road (Route 172) Widening Project Poquoson and Hampton

Virtual Citizen Information Meeting

November 18 to December 3, 2020

Materials posted at www.VirginiaDOT.org/WytheCreek

In-Person Meeting Option by Appointment

Learn about the updated project plans for the Wythe Creek Road (Route 172) Widening Project. The current project design has been revised since the previous public hearing. Plans include construction of new 1,544 foot bridge over the causeway to bring the roadway surface elevation above the 100-year floodplain and to ensure safe evacuation during tidal events. Additionally, construction will include intersection improvements at Cary's Chapel Road, provide sidewalks for pedestrian accommodation and widen Wythe Creek Road (Route 172) to three lanes south of the Cary's Chapel Road intersection for travel into Hampton.

This virtual citizen information session is being held to provide an opportunity for the public to learn about the project's updated design and changes in scope, in a safe manner during Virginia's State of Emergency for the COVID-19 pandemic. The public is encouraged to participate virtually in-lieu of in-person attendance. Project materials, located at **www.VirginiaDOT.org/WytheCreek** are available online.

For those that cannot access the materials virtually, or who are in need of in-person accommodations, you may request an appointment for an in-person meeting by e-mail to **Samba.Secka@VDOT.Virginia.gov** or by calling 757-956-3058. Once scheduled, requested in-person meetings will provide an opportunity to review printed copies of materials and speak to a member of the project team in a coordinated location. Persons attending any in-person meeting will be required to wear face masks and abide by all venue safety protocols. Additional safety expectations and procedures for face-to-face meetings will be shared before finalizing appointment. Appointments scheduled in advance are required.

Questions and comments will be accepted until **December 3, 2020** through an online form on the project website, written mailed to Samba Secka, VDOT Project Manager, 7511 Burbage Street, Suffolk, VA 23435 or e-mailed to <u>Samba.Secka@VDOT.Virginia.gov</u> Please reference "Wythe Creek Widening Project" in the subject heading.

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