

## Get Involved

VDOT representatives will review and evaluate any information received as a result of the design workshops. Please fill out the comment sheet provided in this brochure if you have any comments or questions. You may leave the sheet or any other written comments in the comment box, or mail/email your comments.

Comments must be postmarked, emailed or delivered to VDOT by **Dec. 13, 2017**.

Mail comments to Mr. Abraham Lerner at the address below or email [meetingcomments@vdot.virginia.gov](mailto:meetingcomments@vdot.virginia.gov). Please include "Tysons/Old Meadow Road Bike/Ped Improvements" in the subject line.

Project information shared at this meeting will be available at [www.virginiadot.org/projects](http://www.virginiadot.org/projects) and at VDOT's Northern Virginia Office.

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Public Design Workshops

## Tysons/Old Meadow Road Bicycle/Pedestrian Improvements

Near I-495 in Fairfax County

Thursday, Nov. 9, 2017 and Tuesday, Nov. 28, 2017  
7 to 9 p.m.

Westgate Elementary School  
7500 Magarity Road, Falls Church, VA 22043

## Public Design Workshops

Welcome to the Virginia Department of Transportation's design workshop on the proposed bicycle and pedestrian facility in the Tysons area. We look forward to your participation.

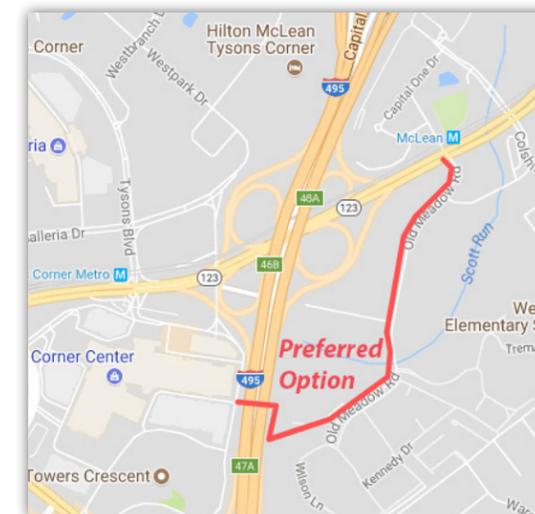
This design workshop is being held to provide an opportunity for the public to give VDOT comments and/or suggestions on the design elements of the facility, focusing primarily on the bridge across the Capital Beltway (I-495). VDOT strives to ensure that all members of the community have the opportunity to participate in public discussions on transportation projects and programs affecting them.

The purpose of the design workshop is to gather public input and discuss details on security, screening, aesthetics, lighting and architectural elements that can be accommodated within VDOT standards and the project budget.

VDOT representatives are available to discuss the project and answer your questions. A comment sheet is included in this brochure and your input is encouraged. All written comments received will be reviewed by the design team.

Comments will also be summarized and available on the VDOT project website at [www.virginiadot.org/projects](http://www.virginiadot.org/projects).

## Project Overview



Project area

**Purpose:** Improve safety and connectivity for bicyclists and pedestrians in the Tysons area

**Location:** Old Meadow Road and bridge over Capital Beltway

**Improvements:** Shared-use path along Old Meadow Road, from Route 123 to a bridge crossing over I-495 to a location near the intersection of Tysons One Place and Fashion Boulevard

State Project: I495-029-078, P101, R201, C501, UPC: 104005

## Project Description

This project aims to improve bicycle and pedestrian safety and connectivity in the Tysons area improving connectivity between areas east and west of I-495.

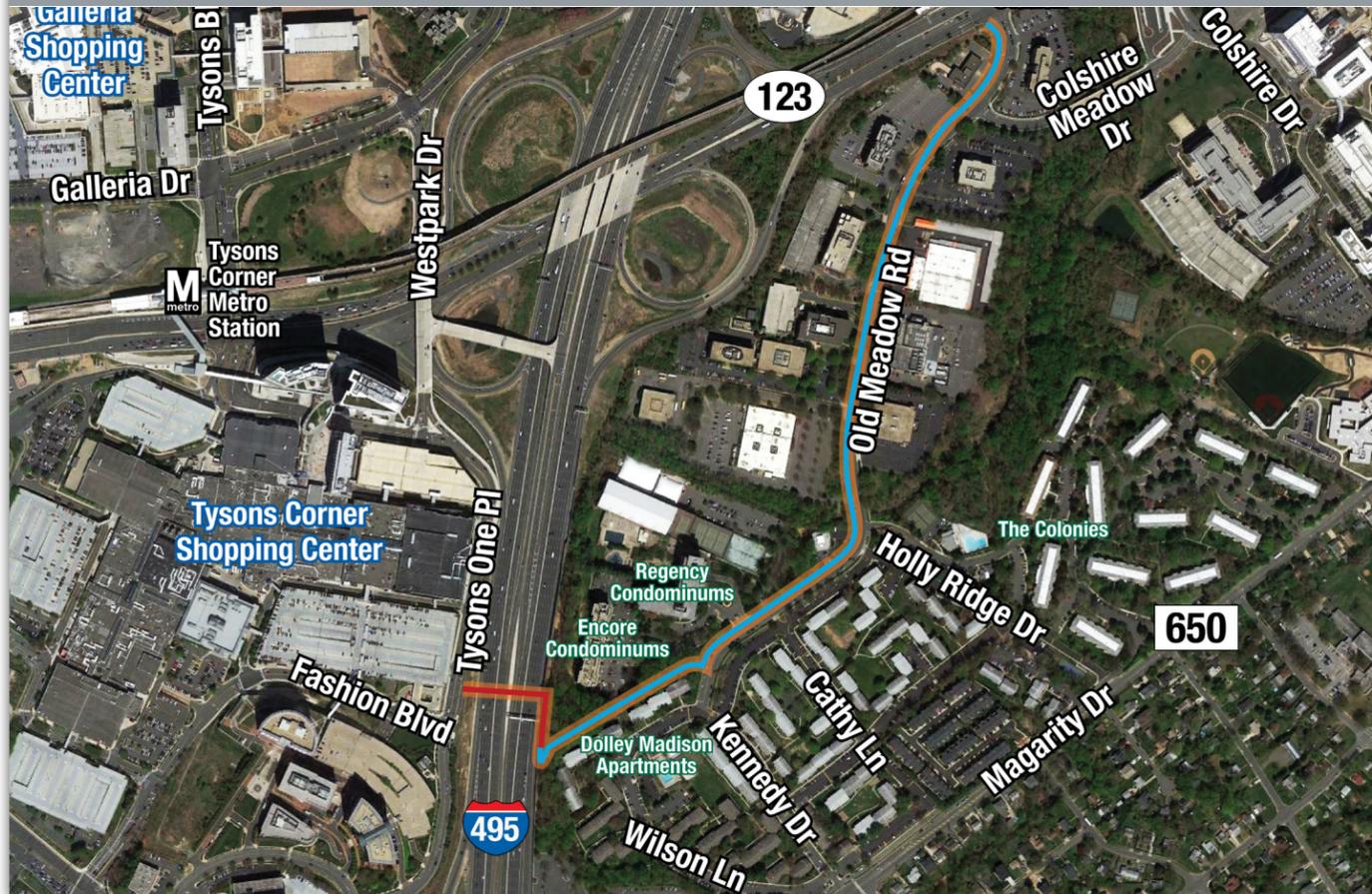
### Improvements include:

- Adding a 10-foot shared-use path
- Creating a buffer to separate vehicular traffic
- Adding high-visibility crosswalks
- Adding a pedestrian and bicycle bridge
- Creating connections to other paths and sidewalks

### Conceptual Rendering of Bicycle/Pedestrian Bridge



### Bicycle/Pedestrian Alignment



## Estimated Project Cost

**\$6.2 million**

This project is fully funded through construction.

## Anticipated Schedule

Design Workshops

**Nov. 9, 2017 and Nov. 28, 2017**

Comment period ends

**Dec. 13, 2017**

Design Public Hearing

**Spring 2018**

Approve Design

**2018**

Begin Construction

**2020**

## Civil Rights

VDOT ensures nondiscrimination and equal employment in all programs and activities in accordance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. If you need more information or special assistance for persons with disabilities or limited English proficiency, contact VDOT's Civil Rights at 703- 259-1775 or TTY/TDD 711.

## Environmental Review

Pursuant to the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and 23 CFR 771, the I-495 Beltway HOT Lanes Environmental Impact Statement (EIS)/Record of Decision (ROD) was approved by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) on 06/29/06. To ensure consistency with the approved EIS, an Environmental Studies Memorandum will be prepared for FHWA approval when right of way and final design plans for the proposed bicycle and pedestrian improvements are available.

## Right of Way

As design of this project is finalized, additional easements may be required beyond the proposed right of way and will be shown on the public hearing plans. The property owners will be informed of the exact location of the easements during the right of way acquisition process and prior to construction.

Information about right of way purchase is discussed in VDOT's Right of Way and Utilities brochure, "A Guide for Property Owners and Tenants." Copies of this brochure are available here from VDOT personnel.

After this meeting, information regarding right of way may be obtained from the right of way contact listed on the back of this brochure.

In compliance with the National Historic Preservation Act, Section 106 and 36 CFR Part 800, information concerning the potential effects of the proposed project on properties listed in or eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places will be included with the environmental document.



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## COMMENT SHEET

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**All comments are subject to public disclosure.**

Name (optional):

Address (optional):

Email (optional):

1. Do you have any comments or concerns related to the proposed Tysons/Old Meadow Road bicycle and pedestrian improvements?

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

Comments:

2. Please provide feedback on design elements or aesthetic treatments you would like to see incorporated into the bridge structure of the Tysons/Old Meadow Road bicycle and pedestrian improvements.

3. How did you hear about this meeting?

Newspaper\_\_\_\_ Website\_\_\_\_ Social Media\_\_\_\_ Other\_\_\_\_

Please leave this comment sheet at the designated location, mail your comments (postmarked by Dec. 13, 2017) to the addressee on the reverse side, or email them to [meetingcomments@vdot.virginia.gov](mailto:meetingcomments@vdot.virginia.gov). Please include "Tysons/Old Meadow Road bicycle/pedestrian improvements" in the email subject.

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