



Media Advisory

Department of Public Works

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Richmond, Virginia

The Honorable Mayor Levar M. Stoney

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City to Hold Virtual Meetings for Input on Gillies Creek Trail Phases II and III

RICHMOND, Va. – The Richmond Department of Public Works (DPW) is currently designing a shared-use trail along Gillies Creek Park. The trail is intended to be located from Williamsburg Avenue to Jennie Scher Road. It is part of a larger trail network that is envisioned to connect the Virginia Capital Trail to a north side mixed-income redevelopment at Armstrong High School. The design will include safe pedestrian crossings at existing roadway intersections.

City residents will have an opportunity to review the proposed designs and provide feedback. Due to COVID-19, the presentation and project information will be available online from Thursday, November 5 through Thursday, November 19. Go to www.rva.gov/public-works/construction-projects-road-improvements and click on the Gillies Creek tab to review the presentation and complete the survey with your feedback.

For more project details or if you need assistance with alternative means to review and comment, contact Adel Edward at Adel.Edward@Richmondgov.com.

For more information on city services please visit www.RVA.gov or call 3-1-1 for assistance.

We're Social! For updates on DPW related projects, activities and events visit us on Twitter @DPW_RichmondVA.

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The City of Richmond Department of Public Works (DPW) is one of only 178 currently accredited public works agencies in the United States. DPW's portfolio comprises a wide array of services to include leaf collection; street, sidewalk and alley maintenance; trash collection; recycling; grass cutting; graffiti removal; parking enforcement; urban forestry; street signs; traffic signals and pavement markings and civil engineering. In addition, DPW maintains upkeep on most city buildings; issues permits for working in the city's right-of-way; manages the RVA Bike Share program and maintains the fleet of city vehicles. DPW's operating budget comes from the general fund of the City of Richmond. For more information about DPW services, [click here](#) or call 3-1-1.