### REGIONAL ROADWAY SAFETY PROGRAM

### FY 2024 Project Recommendations

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TPB Technical Committee May 5, 2023





# **Regional Roadway Safety Program**

- Established and funded by the TPB via Resolution R3-2021 adopted July 2020
- FY 2024 represents the program's fourth round
- Promotes TPB roadway safety priorities
- Program Funding (FY 2024)
  - Core UPWP: \$150,000
  - Maryland Technical Assistance: \$185,000
  - Virginia Technical Assistance: \$185,000
  - District of Columbia Technical Assistance: \$30,000
  - Total Program Funding: \$550,000



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### FY 2024 Solicitation

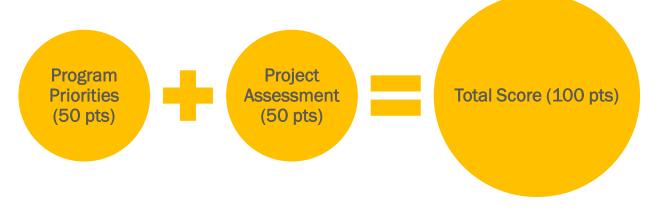
- Application solicitation between January 6 March 3, 2023
  - Optional abstracts were due February 24
- Two program enhancements this year
  - Aligned application timeline with TLC program
  - Increased funding eligibility of planning projects to \$80,000
- 12 applications were received totaling \$910,000 in funding requests
  - Five applications from Maryland jurisdictions and seven applications from Virginia jurisdictions
  - Nine benefited Equity Emphasis Areas
  - Two focused on roadway user behavior



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### **Selection**

- Selection Panel
  - TPB staff + safety officials from DDOT, MDOT, and VDOT
  - Individual Evaluations



• Discussion: consensus recommendations



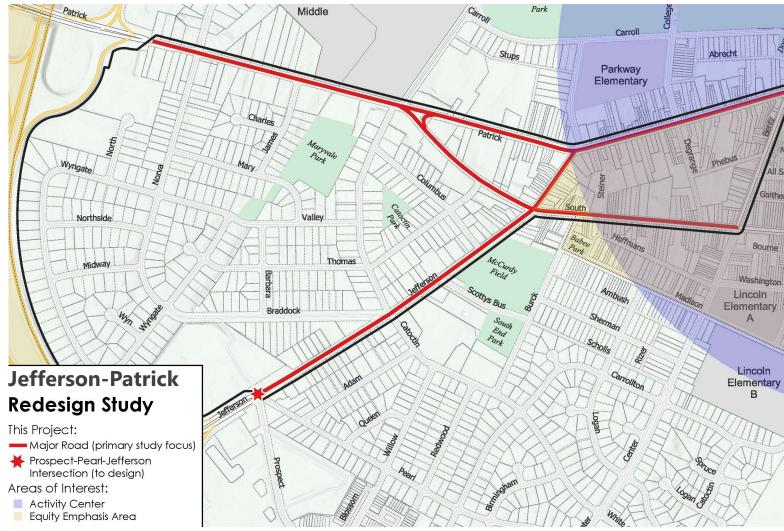
# **Funding Recommendations**

| Jurisdiction             | Project Name   | Requested<br>Amount | Funding<br>Recommendation |
|--------------------------|--|---------------------|---------------------------|
| Maryland Projects        |  |                     |                           |
| City of Frederick        | Jefferson-Patrick Redesign Study                             | \$80,000            | \$80,000                  |
| City of Gaithersburg     | Local Roadway Safety Plan                                    | \$80,000            | \$60,000                  |
| Montgomery County        | Bel Pre Road Safety Improvement Project                      | \$80,000            | \$80,000                  |
| City of Rockville        | Pedestrian Crossing Guidelines                               | \$60,000            | \$40,000                  |
| Virginia Projects        |  |                     |                           |
| City of Alexandria       | Pedestrian Lighting Improvements Study                       | \$80,000            | \$80,000                  |
| Arlington County         | Regionwide, Data-Driven Anti-Drunk<br>Driving Campaign       | \$80,000            | \$80,000                  |
| City of Fairfax          | Main Street Corridor RSA                                     | \$80,000            | \$80,000                  |
| Prince William<br>County | Darbydale/Forestdale Avenue Corridor<br>Retrofitting Project | \$80,000            | \$50,000                  |



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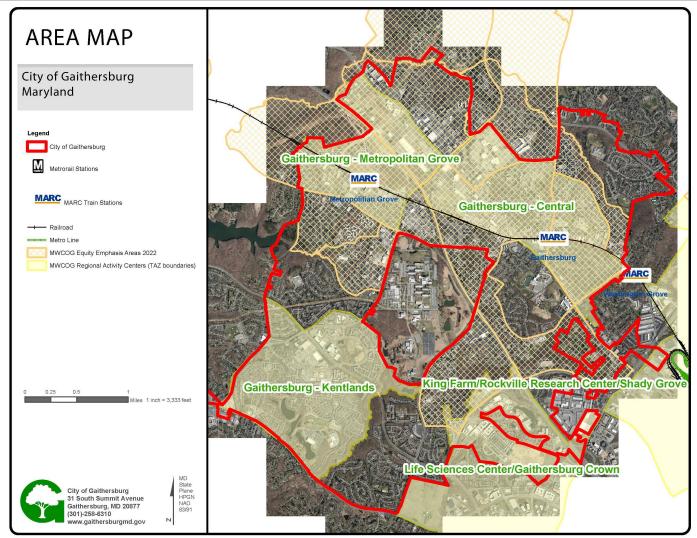
### Jefferson-Patrick Redesign Study City of Frederick - \$80,000





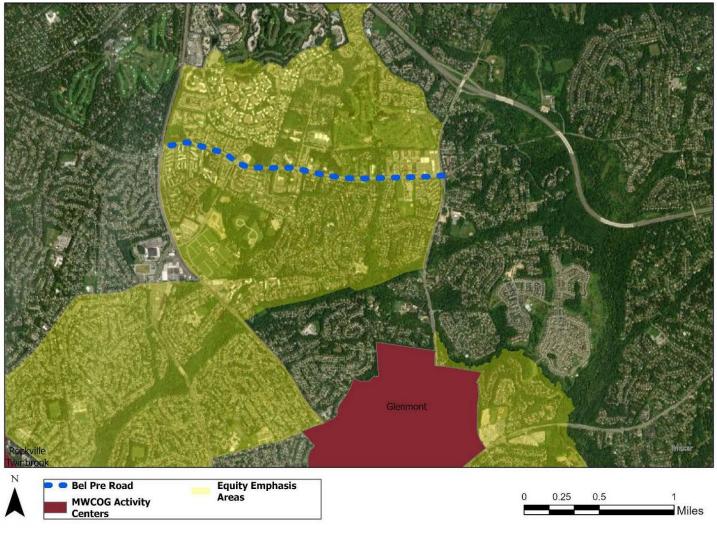
# Local Roadway Safety Plan

#### City of Gaithersburg - \$60,000





#### Bel Pre Road Safety Improvement Project Montgomery County - \$80,000



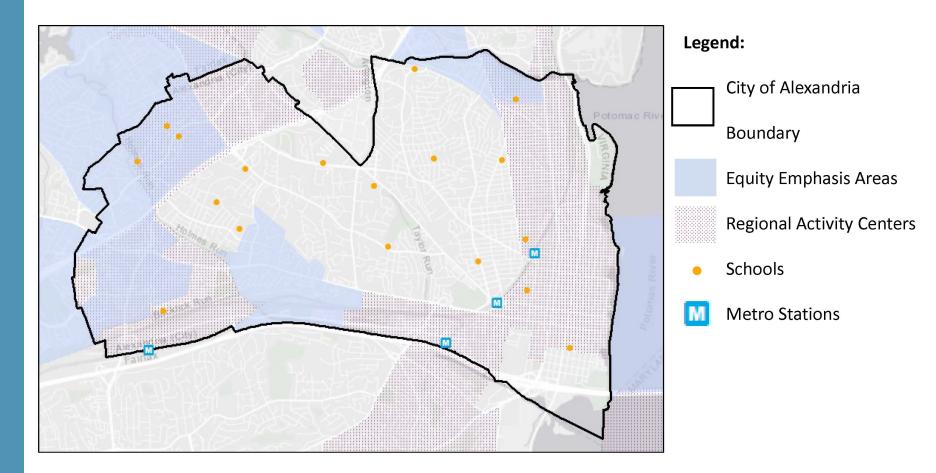


### Pedestrian Crossing Guidelines City of Rockville - \$40,000

Improving Pedestrian Safety at Unsignalized Crossings MARYLAND TRANSIT COOPERATIVE RESEARCH PROGRAM AND NATIONAL COOPERATIVE HIGHWAY RESEARCH PROGRAM Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices **TCRP** REPORT 112/NCHRP REPORT 562 for Streets and Highways **Improving Pedestrian Safety** 2011 Edition at Unsignalized Crossings Kay Fitzpatrick, Shawn Turner, Marcus Brewer, Paul Carlson, Brooke Ullman, Nada Trout, Eun Sug Park, and leff Whitacre TEXAS TRANSPORTATION INSTITUTE College Station, TX EXITS 23B - A Nazir Lalani 83 SOUTH TRAFFEX ENGINEERS, INC. Ventura, CA AND Baltimore Dominique Lord TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY EXIT 23 B College Station, TX 25 Falls Rd ON RED EXIT ONLY Subject Areas Operations and Safety • Public Transit Research sponsored by the Federal Transit Administration in cooperation with the Transit Development Corporation and by the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials in Cooperation with the Federal Highway Administration TRANSPORTATION RESEARCH BOARD WASHINGTON, D.C. 2006 www.TRB.org SHA **Maryland State Highway Administration** Copyright National Academy of Sciences. All rights reserved



#### Pedestrian Lighting Improvements Study City of Alexandria - \$80,000





### Regionwide, Data-Driven Anti-Drunk Driving Campaign Arlington County - \$80,000

# NCR Crash Contributing Factors, 2013-2017

Source: MWCOG 2020 Regional Safety Study



#### Source: Arlington County

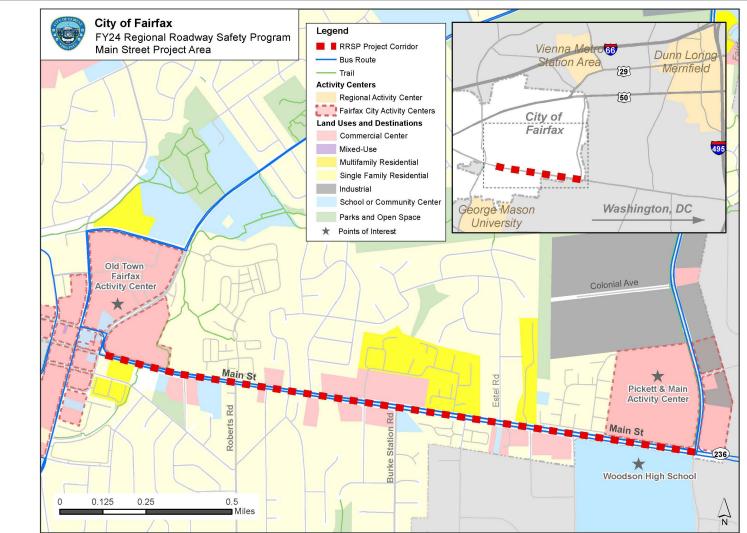


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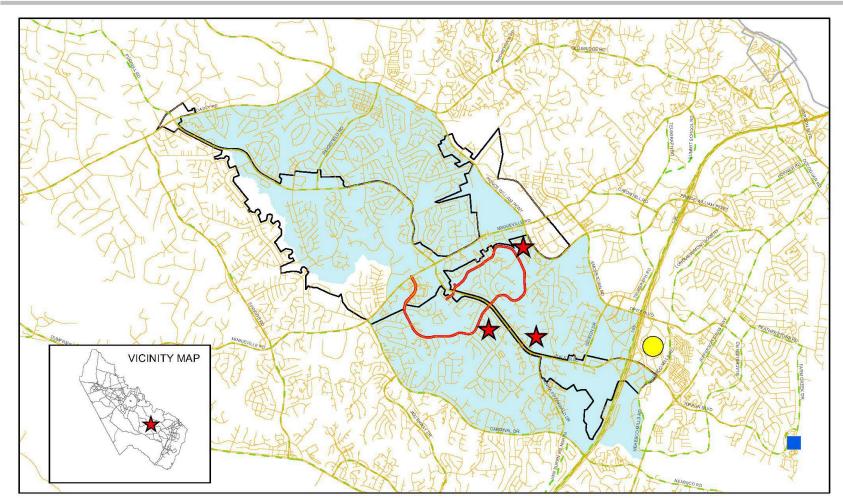
### **Main Street Corridor RSA**

#### City of Fairfax - \$80,000





### Darbydale Avenue/Forestdale Avenue Retrofitting Project Prince William County - \$50,000





### **Next Steps**

- Present to TPB for Approval: May 17
- Consultant selection process: June July
- Task Order Award and project kick-off: August September



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