





# FY 2021-2022 VIRGINIA TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES SET-ASIDE PROGRAM PROJECTS

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### **Overview**

- TA Set Aside
- Virginia Selection Process
- TPB Selection Process
- FY 2021-2022 Project Recommendations
- Approve Resolution R9-2020
- Next Steps



### **TA Set Aside**

- PURPOSE: A federal formula program that provides funding to projects considered "alternatives" to traditional highway construction
- FEDERAL AUTHORIZATION
  - MAP-21 (2012) Established as the "Transportation Alternatives Program"
  - FAST Act (2015) Renamed "Transportation Alternatives Set Aside"
- *TPB ROLE:* Large MPOs are sub-allocated funds and given the responsibility for selecting projects for those funds



### Virginia: FY 2021-2022 Schedule

July 1, 2019
Pre-application deadline

October 1 Application deadline

January 6, 2020 VDOT application scores forwarded to TPB

• February 3 TPB selection panel develops recommendations

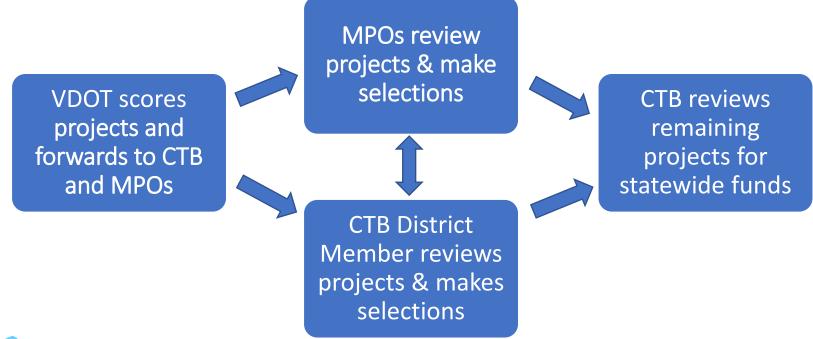
February 19 TPB approval

February 20 CTB finalizes funding



### Virginia Project Selection

- VDOT's Local Assistance Division oversees project solicitation & admin
- FY 2021-2022 project solicitation: May 2019 October 2019
- Funds are split into three pots: CTB Districts, Large MPOs, & CTB statewide





#### **TPB Selection Process**

- Selection Panel for Virginia applications included TPB staff, District Department of Transportation, and Maryland Department of Transportation. Staff from VDOT served as technical resources.
- Panel members individually scored projects:



 At the selection panel meeting on February 3, the average scores were used a basis for discussion. However, the final recommendations were based on consensus.



### **Regional Policies Criteria**

- Expanding Multimodal Transportation Options for Non-Drivers
- Supporting Regional Activity Centers
- Access to High-Capacity Transit
- Increased Access in Equity Emphasis Areas
- Safe Routes to School
- Increased Access for People with Disabilities



### FY 2021-2022 Project Recommendations

- TPB received \$24,945,009 in funding requests for 24 projects in Virginia for FY 2021 and FY 2022
- The TPB's TA Set-Aside sub-allocation was \$5,579,514
- Seven projects were recommended for funding for a total of \$5,551,274
- CTB Member Mary Hynes selected five projects for \$1,991,979

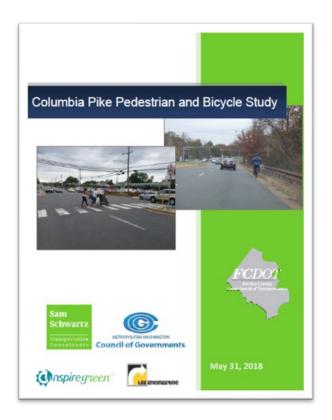


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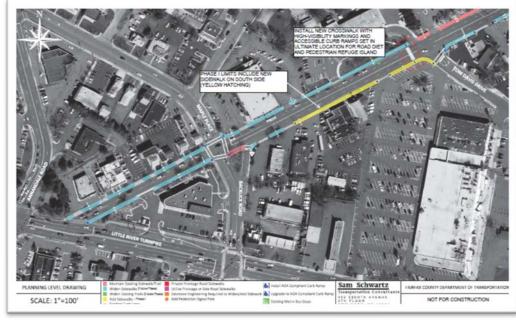
Project Name	Jurisdiction	Selection Panel Recommendations
Columbia Pike Complete Streets Improvements - Phase I	Fairfax County	\$780,000
Orange Hunt Elementary School SRTS	Fairfax County	\$160,000
Central Elden Walkability Improvements	Town of Herndon	\$1,011,908
W&OD Trail At-Grade Improvements	Loudoun County	\$1,157,162
Wellington Road Shared-Use Path Gap	City of Manassas	\$675,092
Old Bridge Rd SW-Oakwood to Forest Hills Sidewalk & Pedestrian Improvements	Prince William County	\$1,360,000
Timber Fence Trail - Phase II	Town of Warrenton	\$407,112
	TOTAL	\$5,551,274



## Columbia Pike Complete Streets Improvements



Fairfax County \$780,000



### Orange Hunt Elementary School – Safe Routes to School



### Central Elden Walkability Project



Town of Herndon \$1,011,908

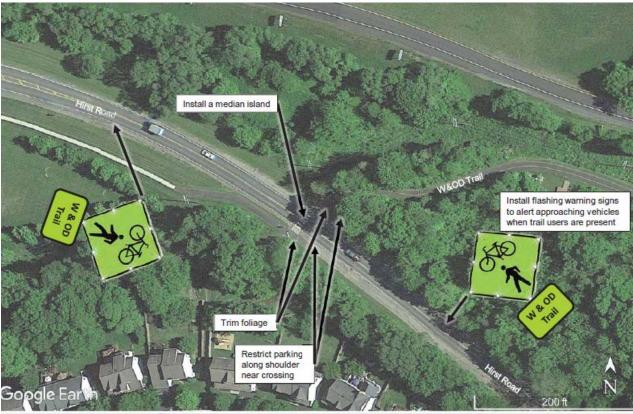








### **W&OD Trail Crossing Improvements**



Loudoun County \$1,157,162



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W&OD Trail Crossings Study, Phase II Prioritization of the At-Grade Crossings Safety Improvements at Hirst Road Trail Crossing #39

Figure 19



### Wellington Road Shared-Use Path



City of Manassas \$675,092



### **Old Bridge Road**



Prince William County \$1,360,000



### **Timber Fence Trail - Phase II**



Town of Warrenton \$407,112



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