



ExpressLanes



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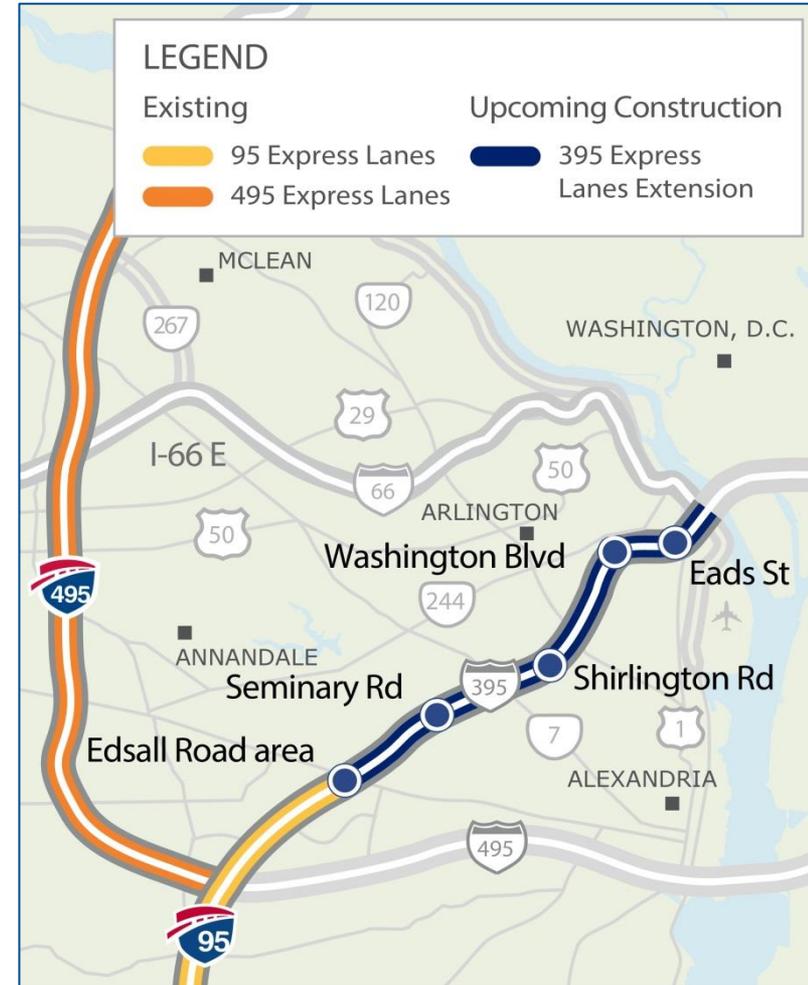
395 Express Lanes Project Update

Forest Hills Townhomes | August 13, 2018



Project Overview

- Project involves:
 - Expansion and conversion of two High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) lanes to three Express Lanes
 - Addition of a fourth regular Southbound lane on 395 between Duke Street and Edsall Road
 - Improvements in traffic flow at the Eads Street Interchange and carpool access at the Pentagon
 - Installation and modification of sound walls
 - Rehabilitation of bridges over 395
- Extends 8 miles between Edsall Road and the 14th Street Bridge
- Portions of project in Arlington County, City of Alexandria, and Fairfax County
- Some project elements will be located on the Pentagon Reservation
- Project will generate revenue for transit projects such as improved bus services



Key Dates

Milestone	Date
Full Notice to Proceed	July 2017
Draft Noise Abatement Decision Report (NADR) Submitted for VDOT review	Summer 2017
Community Voting on Sound Wall Installation	Fall 2017
Eastern HOV Shoulder	Late 2017
Western HOV Shoulder	Fall 2018
Pentagon Parking Improvements Completion	Spring 2019
Service Commencement	Fall 2019
Final Completion	Summer 2020

Sound Wall Voting Process

- Voting began in fall 2017 after VDOT review of Final NADR
- Residents by Barrier BDE (1) and BDE (2) voted 69% in favor of the wall

Sound Wall Voting Outcome – Noise Barriers BDE(1) & BDE(2)



Green/Black Dotted Line: Proposed Wall Location. Red/Black Dotted Line: Wall Not Recommended For Construction. Red Dots: Voted No. Green Dots: Voted Yes. Orange Dots: Ballot Unclaimed/Unknown/Returned. Purple Dots: Received, Survey Not Returned.

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Sound Wall Designs – BDE(2) Community Facing Side



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Sound Wall BDE(2) Anticipated Schedule

Winter 2018- 2019

- Earthwork and grading begin
- Drill the foundation
- Set wall posts
- Pour concrete to set the foundation
- Set up drainage structures
- Install sound wall panels
- Close up the walls
- Earthwork

Summer 2019

- Construction is completed



Anticipated Construction Impacts

Noise

- The project team follows the Virginia Department of Transportation's policies to reduce the impact of construction noise on the surrounding community.

Vegetation Loss

- Vegetation is removed as required to build the wall. This is limited as much as possible.

Traffic Impacts

- Temporary lane, ramp and road closures may be needed to access certain sound wall sections. During any necessary full ramp/road closures a detour will be provided.

Thank you

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