

## *Hillsdale Extended Construction Update #1 – August 2016*

Fielder's Choice Enterprises, the contractor selected by the city of Charlottesville to build the Hillsdale Drive Extended project, has been mobilizing to begin construction in mid-August. Relocation of utilities along the project alignment is well under way, two businesses from the north wing of the Seminole Square have been relocated as planned, and paperwork is being submitted to ensure proper materials/procedures are used to ensure quality construction.

The project will be constructing the following improvements:

- Two-lane road with dedicated turn lanes to connect Hydraulic Road with the current southern terminus of Hillsdale Drive at Greenbrier Drive;
- Shared-use path on the east side of the road and a sidewalk on the west side, south of Greenbrier Drive;
- Bike lanes north of Greenbrier Drive and sharrows south of Greenbrier Drive;
- Signal at Seminole Court/Hillsdale Drive intersection;
- Roundabout at existing Line Drive/Zan Road intersection;
- Reconstruction and relocation of existing stormwater basin at Greenbrier Drive with native plantings (to be completed in Spring 2017);
- Bridge between Pepsi Bottling Plant, Post Office and Seminole Shopping Center;
- Landscaping with 86 Shade trees; &
- Pedestrian Lighting.

For more information about the Hillsdale Drive Extended project check the [project web site](#).

## *Project Work Activities*

### Work in Process

- Utility Relocation – Century Link has completed work. Dominion Power is working on Pepsi Place. Comcast will be following Dominion Power.
- Installing signs and environmental controls throughout corridor
- Surveying construction limits and establishing project controls
- Submitting paperwork for subcontractors and materials
- Installing traffic barrels to delineate Kroger work site

## Upcoming Work (now-September 2016)

- Installing Safety Fence
- Documenting existing building conditions by video survey
- **Partial Demolition of Building** in Seminole Square (155, 157 & 159 Seminole Court) – week of August 22-26, 2016
- Removing trees/vegetation throughout corridor
- Laying storm drain and water lines south of Pepsi Place cul-de-sac (outside of roadway)
- Preping for bridge foundation

## *Traffic Impacts*

**September 1, 2016 – New 3-way stop** will be installed at **India Road/Line Drive/Construction Entrance** to aid in construction equipment safely entering roadway. Advance warning signs in addition to new stop signs with orange flags will be installed. Paint markings, stop bars and centerline striping will also be adjusted.

Obey traffic controls and expect minor delays on Hillsdale Drive, Hydraulic Road, India Road, Zan Road, Greenbrier Drive, Pepsi Place and Seminole Court.