## NOTICE OF WILLINGNESS Ellicott Street Sidewalk Improvement (Occoquan Greenway Connection)

Prince William County Department of Transportation (PWC DOT), in cooperation with the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) proposes the construction of two segments of sidewalk to eliminate missing links of pedestrian facilities on Ellicott Street and Union Street between Mill Street and a location 300 feet south of the merger of Ellicott Street and Union Street. Additional improvements include entrance replacement and upgrades as well as American's With Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant curb ramps along with a retaining wall adjacent to the proposed sidewalk on Union Street. The project is located within the Town of Occoquan and will require the relocation of several utility poles, by their respective owners.

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and 23 CFR 771, a Programmatic Categorical Exclusion (PCE) has been prepared under an agreement between VDOT and the Federal Highway Administration for the project. In compliance with the National Historic Preservation Act, Section 106 and 36 CFR Part 800, information concerning the potential effects of the proposed project on properties listed in or eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places is also provided in the environmental document.

Review of the project design exhibit and the environmental document are available to view online at: <a href="https://www.pwcva.gov/department/transportation/current-road-projects">https://www.pwcva.gov/department/transportation/current-road-projects</a>

Written comments may be submitted within 15 calendar days following the date of this Notice of Willingness. Comments may be mailed to Mr. Ludwik Kulczycki, Project Manager at 5 County Complex Court, Suite 290, Prince William, VA 22192, or via email to <u>lkulczycki@pwcgov.org</u> (please include Ellicott Street Sidewalk Improvement in the subject line).

If there are concerns that cannot be satisfied through this comment process, Prince William County is willing to hold a public hearing. You may request that a public hearing be held by sending a written request to Mr. Ludwik Kulczycki, Project Manager at 5 County Complex Court, Suite 290, Prince William, VA 22192, or via email to Ikulczycki@pwcgov.org (please include Ellicott Street Sidewalk Improvement in the subject line) within 15 calendar days following the date of this Notice of Willingness. If a request for a public hearing is received, notice of date, time and place of the hearing will be posted.

PWC ensures nondiscrimination and equal employment in all programs and activities in accordance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. If you need special assistance for persons with disabilities or limited English proficiency, contact the Prince William County Department of Transportation (PWC DOT) at 703-792-6825.

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