

## DEPARTMENT OF PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION

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To Whom It May Concern:

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The City of Alexandria has contracted Fort Myer Construction to repair the Holmes Run Trail at two locations: North Ripley Street and the North Morgan Street cul-de-sac. The streambank will be stabilized at both locations. A new retaining wall will be installed at the North Ripley Street site and a new steel truss pedestrian bridge will be constructed at the North Morgan Street cul-de-sac trailhead. The trail will be restored and opened for use following completion of these repairs.

Construction is expected to begin in late June 2024 and finish by the end of September 2025. General construction activities are permitted to occur Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The project will require the periodic closure of a lane on Holmes Run Parkway near North Ripley Street during construction hours. Flaggers from the construction crew will be present to direct traffic and ensure residents have access to their homes. The temporary removal of curbside parking will be required to provide access to the project site. All trail detours will be maintained throughout the duration of construction.

The City will host an open house before construction begins to provide information and answer questions in-person. The open house will be held at Patrick Henry Recreation Center, 4653 Taney Avenue, on Tuesday, June 25, from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. For reasonable disability accommodation, contact Lydia Durand at <a href="mailto:lydia.durand@alexandriava.gov">lydia.durand@alexandriava.gov</a> or call 703.746.4622, Virginia Relay 711.

Thank you for your patience. Additional information about the Holmes Run Trail Repair project will be posted to the project webpage:  $\frac{\text{alexandriava.gov}}{113304}$ 

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at <a href="mailto:ayoub.hassen@alexandriava.gov">ayoub.hassen@alexandriava.gov</a> or 703.746.4635.

Sincerely,

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