



Citizen Information Meeting



# *Shore Drive Corridor Improvements*

Phases II & III  
(CIP 2-116, 2-117, and 2-200)

June 19, 2007

4:30 PM – 7:00 PM

Hermitage Elementary School

1701 Pleasure House Road

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# Introduction

The City of Virginia Beach welcomes you to the Citizen Information Meeting for the Shore Drive Corridor Improvements – Phases II and III. The purpose of this Citizen Information Meeting is to provide the public an opportunity to offer comments or submit written material concerning the preliminary design of these roadway improvements. Representatives from the City of Virginia Beach and the design consultants are present to discuss the projects and answer your questions.

We welcome your written comments, which may be provided on the comment sheet inside this brochure. All written comments must be submitted for review and consideration within 21 days after the Citizen Information Meeting.

# Project Purpose

These projects are part of the City of Virginia Beach's Capital Improvements program. The purpose of these projects is to improve vehicular and pedestrian traffic flow and safety, improve storm drainage, and enhance the corridor with aesthetic elements such as landscaping and lighting.

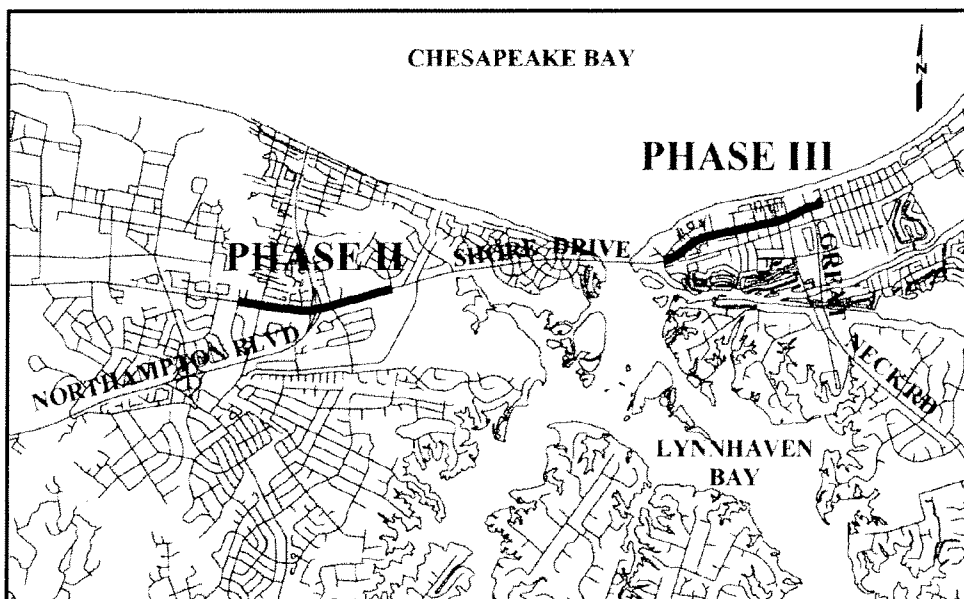
# Project Location

Phase II of the Shore Drive Improvements Project is approximately 5,500 feet in length. It extends eastward along Shore Drive from South Oliver Drive through the interchange at Northampton Boulevard and terminates at the western end of Phase I at Treasure Island Drive. Phase III is approximately 6,200 feet in length along Shore Drive. It begins at Vista Circle, near the eastern end of the Lesner Bridge, and extends eastward through the Great Neck Road intersection and terminates at Croix Drive.

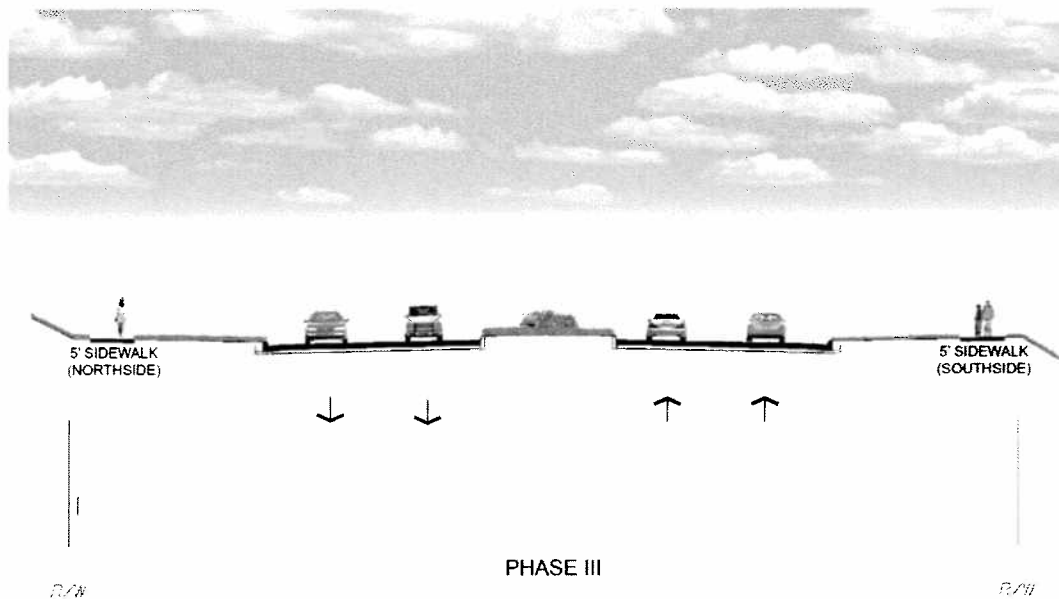
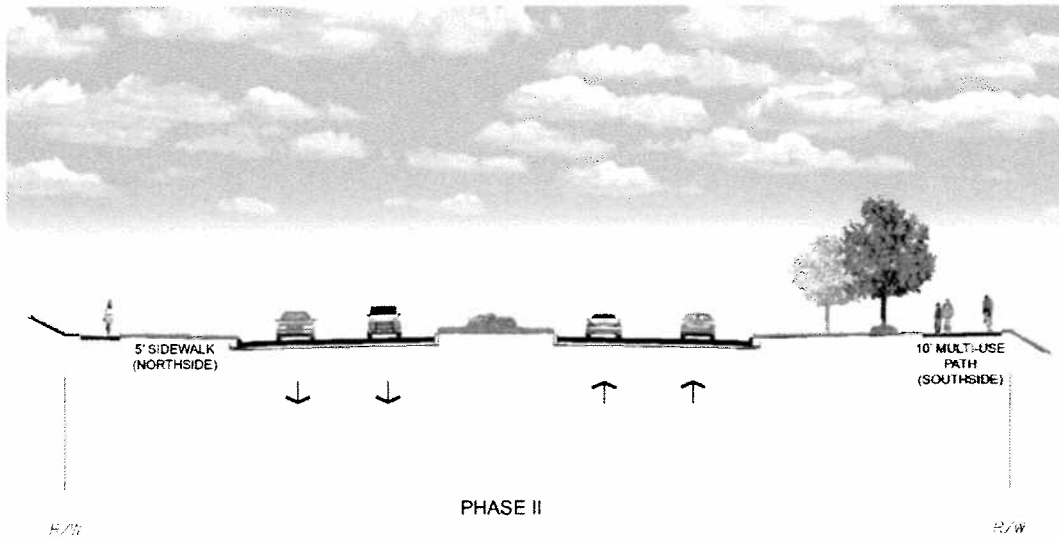
# Design Features

These projects will maintain the corridor as a four-lane divided arterial road. All depressed medians will be raised and delineated with curb and all outside shoulders will be changed to curb and gutter to establish well-defined, consistent edge treatments. The following design features are planned for these projects:

- ☆ Pavement overlay and new signing and striping along the roadway corridor.
- ☆ Private entrances will be consolidated.
- ☆ A 5' concrete sidewalk along the entire north side of both phases and along the south side of Phase III in areas of the Cape Henry Trail.
- ☆ A 10' multi-use asphalt path along the south side of Phase II and Phase III except where the Cape Henry Trail exists.
- ☆ Extensive landscaping surrounding the multi-use path and at various locations in the median area.
- ☆ Decorative lighting.
- ☆ Aesthetic features at intersections such as decorative mast arm signal poles, stamped asphalt cross walks, and brick treatment at the median ends.
- ☆ Lengthened turn lanes in various locations along the corridor.
- ☆ Convert overhead utilities to underground at the intersections and mid-block crossings.



# Typical Sections



## Project Development Process

The design of these two projects is approximately 30% complete. Public comment resulting from this meeting will be received for the next 21 days. Comments will be reviewed and the plans modified accordingly. The design process will continue until the plans are approximately 60% complete and another citizen information meeting will be held. After all of the comments are considered, final plans will be completed.

## Estimated Cost

The cost for construction of each project has been estimated as follows:

Shore Drive Corridor Improvements – Phase II (CIP 2-116 and 2-220): Approximately \$6 million

Shore Drive Corridor Improvements – Phase III (CIP 2-117 and 2-220): Approximately \$7 million

# Project Schedule

This is the anticipated schedule at this point in the project development:

Shore Drive Corridor Improvements – Phase II (CIP 2-116 and 2-220)

Citizen Information Meeting #2: Summer 2008

Right-of-way Acquisition: Begin Fall 2009

Utility Relocation: Subject to funding availability

Construction: Subject to funding availability

Shore Drive Corridor Improvements – Phase III (CIP 2-117 and 2-220)

Citizen Information Meeting #2: Summer 2008

Right-of-way Acquisition: Begin Fall 2009

Utility Relocation: Subject to funding availability

Construction: Subject to funding availability

## Comments

Comment sheets are available in this handout, the reception table, and in the project presentation areas for you use. You may leave the comment sheet in the comment box or you may mail it within 21 days to the following address:

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For more budget and schedule information about these projects, please visit <http://198.252.244.2/cipstatus/ProjectDetail.aspx?id=1882>.  
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