



Glen Avenue SW – Pedestrian Improvements

October 21, 2024

Re: Town Council consideration of awarding a construction contract for Glen Avenue SW sidewalk project

Dear Residents:

Due to continuing coordination with our construction contractor, staff has shifted the presentation of the construction contract to the Town Council to the November 18th Council meeting. Please note this change, originally this item was going to be presented to Council at their October 28, 2024 meeting.

On November 18th at 7:30 PM in the Town Hall council chambers, the Vienna Town Council will consider authorizing a contract to provide construction services for sidewalk along Glen Avenue SW. Town Council Meetings are public; however, the Council typically does not allow for Public Comment regarding topics that are included on the regular agenda. If you would like to comment, you may contact the Mayor or Council directly at mayor@viennava.gov and/or council@viennava.gov

This project proposes to add sidewalk, curb, gutter, and drainage/stormwater infrastructure along Glen Avenue SW from Courthouse Road SW to Liberty Lane SW.

Sidewalk is proposed on one side of Glen Ave SW. The proposed Glen Ave SW sidewalk starts at the existing Sunrise sidewalk and runs along the even numbered side (northern side) of Glen Ave up to the Albrecht Circle intersection where it shifts to the odd numbered side (south side) of Glen Ave over to Courthouse Road. A crosswalk will be painted at the Albrecht intersection for crossing Glen Ave. The proposed design includes curb-&-gutter along both sides of Glen Ave SW. The proposed 95% design/construction plans can be found on the project webpage: www.viennava.gov/glenavesidewalk.

The Department of Public Works (DPW) is currently prioritizing the sidewalk construction for the Robinson Trust projects. Once those projects are wrapped-up (anticipated the end of this year) DPW's sidewalk construction effort can shift to ARPA funded projects (including the Glen Ave SW sidewalk project). This timeline aligns well for the Glen Ave Sidewalk project as the ROE (Right-of-Entry) effort is still in process with the residents along Glen Ave SW. DPW should be ready for construction in early 2025 and the construction should be completed within the summer of 2025.

Note: This letter was sent to residents along Glen Avenue SW, Johnson Street SW, Hillside Circle SW, and Albrecht Circle SW. Please feel free to forward this invite to any other residents that might be interested.

If you have any questions please contact me directly at (703) 235-6733 or at andrew.jinks@viennava.gov.

Sincerely,

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