

# Flood Action Alexandria Update











**City Council Briefing** 



# Flood Action Alexandria: Partnership to Address Flooding

### **City Leadership**

- ✓ Guidance
- ✓ Funding Stormwater Utility Fee

### **City Staff**

- ✓ Maintenance and Operation of the Stormwater and Sanitary Systems
- ✓ Neighborhood investigations and project identification
- ✓ Capital Improvement Program Projects
  - ✓ Large Capacity Projects
  - ✓ Spot Improvement Projects

#### Residents

- ✓ Ad Hoc Stormwater Utility and Flood Mitigation Advisory Group
- ✓ Report the issues via Alex311
- ✓ Work on floodproofing their property Flood Grant
- ✓ Become involved





# Stormwater Management: Outcome-Oriented Programs





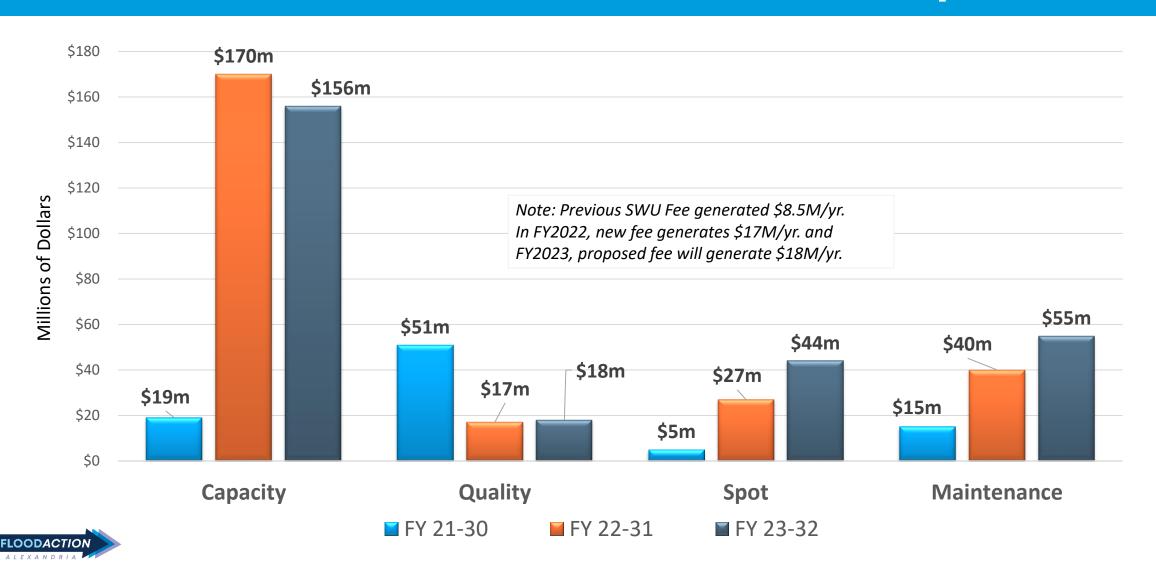








# Stormwater Management Funding Changes from FY21 to FY23 Ten-Year Plan Proposed



# Large Capacity Project Phase Timeline

#### **INVESTIGATION**

Edison Street and Dale Street S13 million

Dewitt Avenue S15 million

East Mason Avenue \$1 million

Notabene Drive and Old Dominion Boulevard S4 million

East Monroe Avenue and Wayne Street \$3 million Mount Vernon, East Glendale, East Luray, East Alexandria Avenue \$10 million

Russell Road and West Rosemont Avenue S6 million

Russell Road and West Rosement Avenue (South) S8 million

#### **PROCUREMENT**

Commonwealth Avenue and Glebe Road S34 million

Ashby Street and Glebe Road \$16 million

Hooffs Run Culvert Bypass \$60 million

#### **DESIGN**

**SPRING 2022** 

Commonwealth
Avenue and Glebe
Road

Ashby Street and Glebe Road



## **Large Capacity Projects**



Combined two projects to streamline design



Design for top 3 projects funded in FY 22: \$19.9 million



Construction estimates for FY 23, FY 24, FY 25: \$87.6 million

## Design 1 & 2

East Glebe Road and Commonwealth Avenue and Ashby Street and East Glebe Road

Request for Qualifications: Jan. 21, 2022 Estimated Contract Award: Spring 2022 Design Completion Target: Spring 2025

**Awarded Community Flood Preparedness Fund Grant** 

### Design 3

**Hooffs Run Culvert Bypass** 

Request for Qualifications: April 2022 Estimated Contract Award: Spring 2022 Design Completion Target: Spring 2025

Schedule and budget information may change More information online at alexandriava.gov/124317



# **Spot Improvement Project Phase Timeline**

#### **INVESTIGATION**

**East Mason** 

Inlet capacity

**East Monroe &** 

**Wayne Street** 

Inlet capacity

**North Columbus** 

Street

Alley

**Carlisle Drive** 

Alley

**Walleston Court** 

Bank stabilization

**Key Drive** 

Channel stabilization

#### **PLANNING**

**Hume Avenue** 

**Bypass** 

Bypass

**South Jordan** 

Street

Inlet capacity

**North Overlook** 

Drive

Drainage

Clifford/

**Manning Green** 

Alley

Alley

Pitt & Gibbon

Combined sewer

#### **DESIGN**

Mount Vernon Cul-de-sac

Cul-de-sac inlets and drainage

Oakland Terrace

Channel stabilization

#### CONSTRUCTION

Hume Avenue

Increased inlet capacity

Clifford, Fulton, Manning

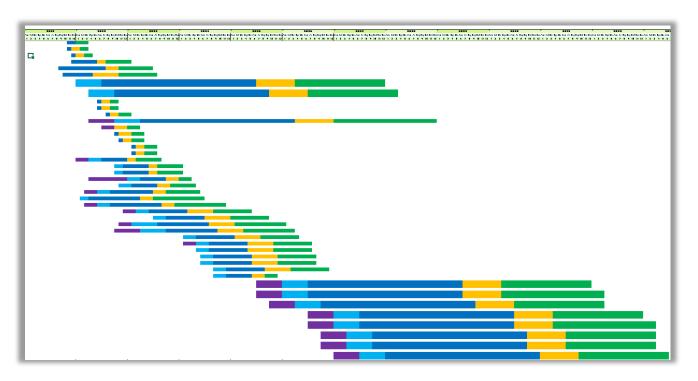
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## **Master Baseline Schedule**

- ✓ Tier 1—In motion: Projects currently in motion between 2022 and 2025; firm schedule although it may need adjustments
- √ Tier 2—On deck: Projects beyond 2025; schedule likely to be modified
- ✓ Tier 3—In planning: Projects being continually identified that need to be prioritized
- ✓ Detailed schedule to be reviewed with Ad Hoc group







## **Operations & Maintenance**

- ✓ Inspecting and cleaning storm lines every 3-5 yrs.
- ✓ Inspecting and clearing before storms
- ✓ Repairing stormwater infrastructure as needed
- ✓ Maintaining streams and channels
- ✓ Maintaining large infrastructure components, such as Hooffs Run Culvert
- ✓ Inspecting interior of sewers via CCTV
- ✓ Street sweeping & leaf removal
- ✓ Additional maintenance in response to service requests received via Alex311





# Flood Mitigation Grant: Funding and Administration

#### LEGISLATIVE CHANGES TO VA CODE:

Allow for local funding on private property

#### FUNDING AVAILABLE FY 2022 SWU Fee:

• \$750,000 (\$769,000 for FY 2023)

#### **FUNDING PER APPLICANT:**

Up to \$5,000; 50% City / 50% applicant cost share

#### **PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION:**

Transportation & Environmental Services (T&ES),
 Stormwater Management Division

#### STATS TO DATE:

- 167 applications
- \$255k paid out
- \$769k in proposed FY23
- Continuing communications to increase participation











## **Communications**

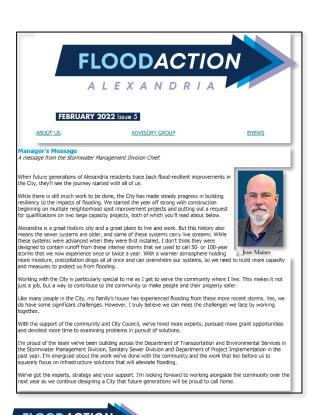
How we are keeping you informed.

#### FLOOD ACTION NEWSLETTER

Project updates, news and messages directly from senior leaders.

#### VIDEO STORYTELLING

Informative and educational video messaging from the staff.





#### **SOCIAL MEDIA**

Are you following T&ES? Get an inside look at projects.



1,190 **Posts** 

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#### T&ES Alexandria, VA

The official account for the City of Alexandria VA Department of Transportation & Environmental Services.

alexandriava.gov/TES

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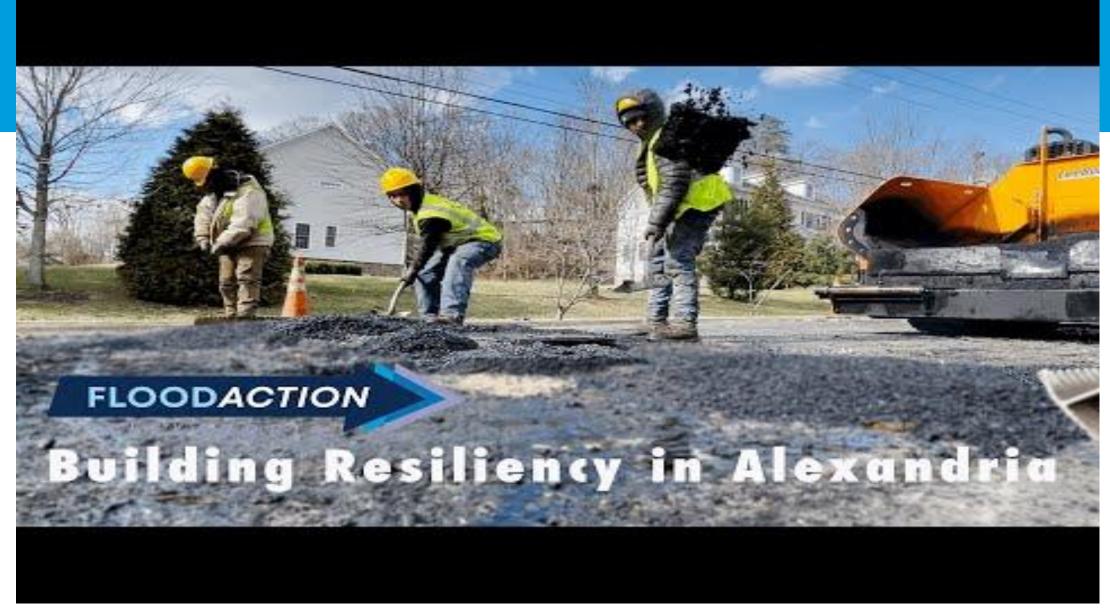


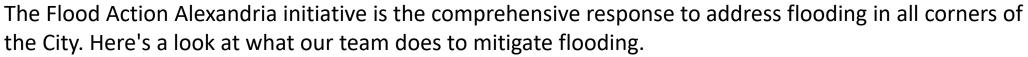














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