

City of Alexandria, Virginia

MEMORANDUM

DATE: FEBRUARY 10, 2020

TO: THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

THROUGH: MARK B. JINKS, CITY MANAGER

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YON LAMBERT, DIRECTOR, T&ES

SUBJECT: SEMINARY ROAD CRASH DATA - UPDATE

This memorandum is to inform you that the 'Reportable Crashes' slide (#3) in the Seminary Road Project Update that will be presented to Council on Tuesday, February 11th has been updated.

An additional crash has been added for 2019, making the **2019-20 total now two (2)**. Two crashes were also added in 2015-16, making the **2015-16 total now four (4)**.

The primary reason for the 2019-20 change is the lag between when crashes occur and when they are transmitted and validated between the Alexandria Police Department (APD) records management system and State (TREDS) systems. (The additional crash is one from December 3, 2019 and is not the crash from November 27, 2019 that involved a Virginia State Police pursuit. Staff expects the Nov. 27 crash to appear in a future TREDS update.)

The reason for the change in 2015-16 data is that APD staff took extra steps to validate and verify information in their system. The updated results for Seminary Road reflect a period between October 30-January 10 each year from 2015-2020. The 'Reportable Crashes' slide in the Council presentation has been updated to include the following numbers that reflect reportable crashes on Seminary Road between North Quaker Lane and North Howard Street:

- 2015/2016 – 4 (including one bicyclist)
- 2016/2017 – 1
- 2017/2018 – 0
- 2018/2019 – 1
- 2019/2020 – 2 (including one during construction)

Attachment: Updated Slide