

Piedmont Drive Safety & Pedestrian Accessibility Project Danville

Find out about the project to enhance safety and pedestrian accessibility in the City of Danville's primary retail shopping district.

Key improvements include the installation of approximately 6,000 linear feet (Approximately 1.14 miles) of 5-foot-wide sidewalks, as well as the addition of signalized crosswalks at five intersections.

The project will also involve the installation of seven signal heads and accompanying pedestrian push buttons, along with potential modifications to existing traffic signals to accommodate the new crosswalks. These upgrades are designed to improve pedestrian safety, comfort, and overall accessibility in the area.

Project information and National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) documentation in the form of a Programmatic Categorical Exclusion are available at VDOT's Lynchburg District Office located at 4219 Campbell Avenue, Lynchburg, VA 24501, 434-947-6559, 1-800-367-7623, TTY/TDD 711, or at VDOT's Chatham Facility, 7988 Callands Rd, Chatham, VA 24531, 434-432-7227. Please call ahead to make arrangements for personnel to share more information or answer your questions.

In compliance with the National Historic Preservation Act, Section 106 and 36 CFR Part 800, information concerning the potential effects of the proposed project on properties listed in or eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places is provided in the environmental documentation.

If your concerns cannot be satisfied, VDOT is willing to hold a public hearing. You may request that a public hearing be held by sending a written request to Mr. Tyler Marshall, Virginia Department of Transportation, 4219 Campbell Avenue, Lynchburg, VA 24501 on or prior to **March 8, 2026**. If a request for a public hearing is received, notice of date, time and place of the hearing will be posted.

VDOT ensures nondiscrimination and equal employment in all programs and activities in accordance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. If you need special assistance for persons with disabilities or limited English proficiency, contact Tyler Marshall at the phone numbers listed above.