



VDOT QUARTERLY REPORT

Albemarle County

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Preliminary Engineering

PROJECT	LAST MILESTONE	NEXT MILESTONE	AD DATE
5 th Street Hub and Trails	Acquire Right of Way	Advertisement	May 2026
Route 250/ Route 20 Intersection Improvements Route 250 E Corridor Improvements	Acquire Right of Way	Advertisement	Winter 2026/2027
Connector Road from Berkmar Dr. to Airport Road	Location Approval by CTB	Acquire Right of Way	Winter 2027
Avon Street	Citizen Information Meeting on May 8, 2025. City determined preferred alternative.	Public Hearing	Spring 2028
Rte. 250 Rolkin Rd and Peter Jefferson Pkwy Improvements		Survey	2032
Rt. 29 Shared Use Path	Awarded	Construction	November 2025

Design Build Bundles

PROJECT	STATUS
Route 240/250 Roundabout and Rte. 680 Browns Gap Turnpike Bridge Replacement over Lickinghole Creek	Route 240/250 Roundabout & Rte. 680 Browns Gap Turnpike Bridge Replacement over Lickinghole Creek – Completed August 1 st . Old Lynchburg Rd/5th Street roundabout – Construction underway. John Warner Parkway/ Rio Road Roundabout project and the Rio/Belvedere CGT – Construction underway Rte. 53/Rte. 20 Roundabout – Utility relocations will begin in July/August. Construction began September 14 th .
5 th Street/ Old Lynchburg Road Roundabout	
John Warner Parkway/ Rio Road Roundabout	
Belvedere Green T	
Route 53 / Route 20 Roundabout	
PROJECT	STATUS
Rte. 743 (Hydraulic Rd) & District Ave/Cedar Hill Rd	Rt. 743 – Public Hearing was held on May 22, 2025. Fontaine - final steps of ROW approval. Construction start in the fall. District Avenue – ROW plans under review
US 29/Fontaine Avenue Interchange Improvements	
Fontaine Avenue Shared Use Path (City of Charlottesville)	

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ROUTE	STATUS
707 Blair Park Road	Complete
856 Burton Lane	Complete
711 Burton Road	Complete
640 Gilbert Station	Waiting for funding
613 Giannini Lane	Waiting for funding
718 Murray Lane	Waiting for funding

Construction Activities

Bridge Project

- **Route 601 Old Ivy Road over Rte. 29 Superstructure Replacement** - Complete.
- **Route 702 Fontaine Ave** – Replace Bridge over Morey Creek. Construction started in October. Road is one lane, temporary traffic signal in place. Expected completion is Spring 2027.

Construction

- **Route 29 Shared Use Path** – Construction underway. Utilities are being relocated.
- **Exit 107 Park and Ride** – Grading and earthwork for the parking lot and bus loop under way.

Forest Lakes – Intersection Concerns

Ashwood Blvd/Powell Creek Dr/Thornridge Way

- Citizen concerns on motorists neglecting to stop for students.
 - Assistance and relief during peak morning/afternoon commutes.
 - Actionable items to foster pedestrian safety:
 - Speed camera utilization.
 - Enhanced police presence during critical hours.
- Upon review, it was determined that this is not an officially designated school zone
- County staff are working with school board to reach a school zone status, per VDOT standards.



Proffit Road (SR 649) Bridge Repairs

Bridge Closure:

- The bridge will remain closed while VDOT crews assess structure and conduct necessary repairs.
- At this time, **there is no estimated timeline** for reopening the bridge.

Posted Detour:

- During the closure, motorists should **follow the recommended detour route**:
 - Route 20 (Stony Point Road), Route 250 (Richmond Road), Route 2500 (John Warner Parkway), Route 631 (Rio Road East), and Route 29 (Seminole Trail).
 - **Signs and message boards are in place to alert motorists of the closure and detour.**

Proffit Road (SR 649) Detour Route



