

MEMORANDUM

To: Frank J. Rogers, County Administrator FJR
From: Clifton M. Tweedy, Deputy County Administrator
Subject: AGENDA ITEM – Highway Matters
Date: December 20, 2022

BACKGROUND:

Each month staff will prepare this report to update the Board on the status of previously identified highway issues. Items requiring Board action will be identified in a separate agenda item under Highway Matters.

DISCUSSION:

Supervisor Shockley – Asked when the improvements to the Waterlick Road/Timberlake Road intersection would be complete and what improvement were being made. *VDOT indicated the work is scheduled to be complete on May 12, 2023 and the construction would improve the volume of traffic the intersection can handle.*

Supervisor Cline – Requested monitoring of the Route 460/24 intersection for accidents since the opening of the new Sheetz store.

Supervisor Hardie – Asked if changes could be made in the vicinity of the crosswalk in front of the Historic Courthouse due to the recent fatal accident. *VDOT indicated a review is done, along with the State Police, for any fatal accident.*

Supervisor Watts – Asked about a speed study on Winfall Road. *VDOT indicated there may have been a recent study and they would also review the road.*

Pending Matters:

Supervisor Hardie – Requested VDOT to meet with him to review accident data on English Tavern Road. *VDOT to coordinate.*

Supervisor Cline – Requested VDOT to continue to monitor the intersection of Route 460 and Doss Road. There were recently two more accidents at this intersection. *VDOT is looking at options for additional improvements.*

Supervisor Shockley – Requested a speed study along Leesville Road from Leesville Estates to the City Limits due to increased development along the corridor. This request was supported by Supervisor Brown. *VDOT traffic engineering is working on a study.*

Supervisor Watts – There is a flooded ditch at 2890 Brookneal Highway that needs work. *VDOT to work with property owners in the area to make improvements.*