



MD 648 (Baltimore-Annapolis Boulevard) From MD 10 to MD 2 Urban Reconstruction Project



PROJECT NEWSLETTER • FALL 2015

Project Design Updated; Public Meeting Scheduled

The Maryland Department of Transportation's State Highway Administration (SHA) is designing an Urban Reconstruction Project for MD 648 (Baltimore-Annapolis Boulevard) in Anne Arundel County. The purpose of the project is to improve safety and enhance bicycle and pedestrian accommodations on MD 648 from MD 10 (Arundel Expressway) to MD 2 (Governor Ritchie Highway). Work includes the construction/reconstruction of sidewalks and curb ramps, the addition of bicycle lanes, the rehabilitation of pavement, the improvement of drainage/stormwater management (SWM) facilities, and the addition of landscaping, signage, pavement markings, and signalization.

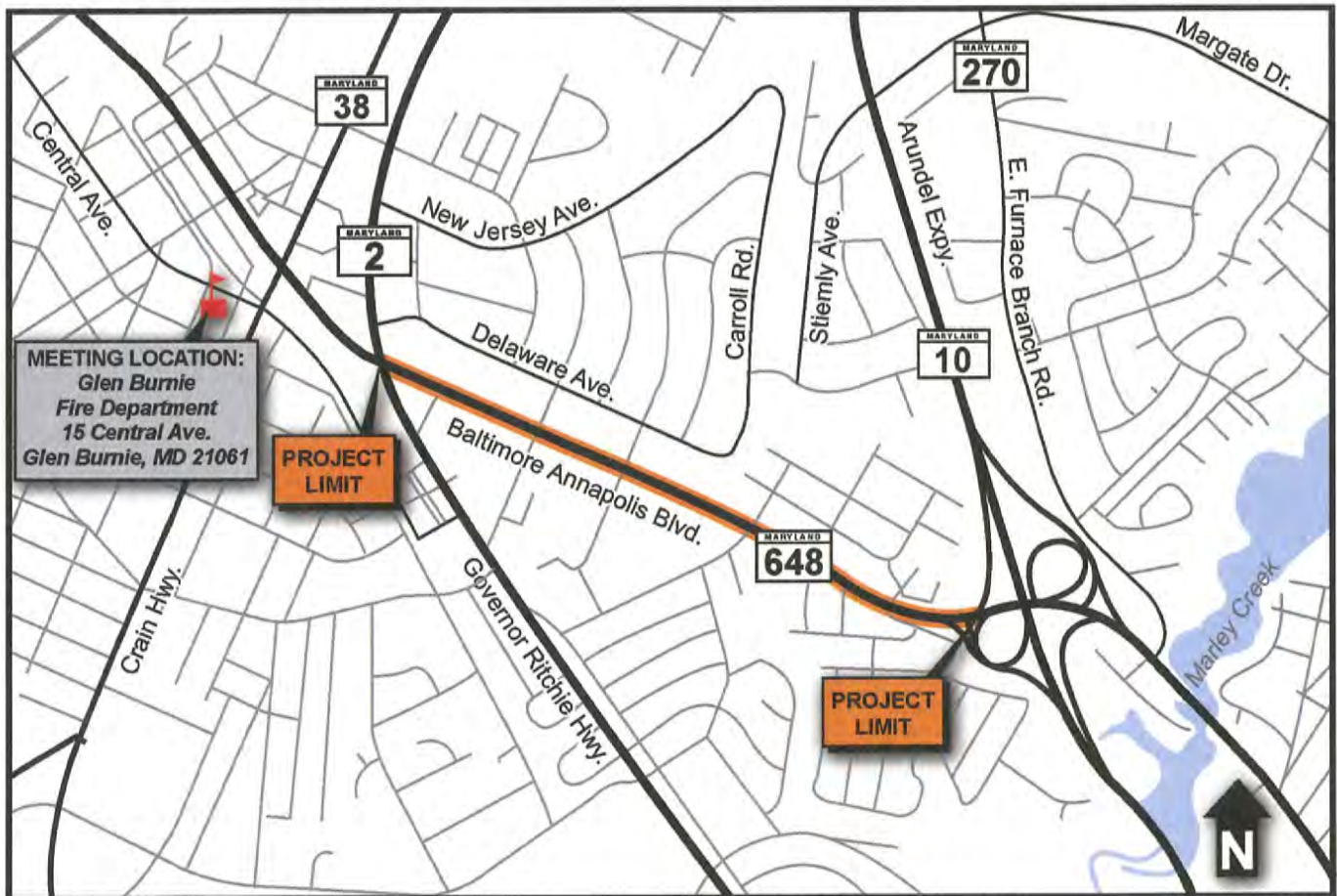
For additional information, you are invited to attend an Informational Meeting on Tuesday, November 17, 2015. The public meeting will acquaint attendees with the project and provide an opportunity to discuss project details and provide feedback. Maps and displays will provide project information, and SHA representatives will be available to answer questions. A task force for MD 648 will be recruited at this meeting as well. **A brief presentation will begin at 7:15 PM.** You may arrive at any time during meeting hours and walk through the display area at your own pace. (See back of flier for meeting details.)

What Is A Task Force?

A task force is a temporary group of volunteers formed on an "as needed" basis to help carry out a specific project or resolve a problem. Members of the MD 648 Task Force will represent a balanced cross-section of the community--local residents and representatives of community associations, local government, and area businesses--who will discuss goals, concerns, and community preferences for the project. The task force will work with SHA to develop a project concept consistent with the needs and character of the community and will be disbanded when the group's objectives have been met. SHA anticipates that the MD 648 Task Force will meet approximately five times over the course of one year.

Project History

The project design was initiated in 2006 and placed on hold in 2007 due to funding constraints. The project has recently received design funding and SHA is continuing the design effort to meet new SWM regulations and include bicycle lanes.





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Attend the Public Meeting!

WHEN:	WHERE:
Tuesday, November 17, 2015 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM <i>A brief presentation will begin at 7:15 p.m.</i>	Glen Burnie Volunteer Fire Department (The Lodge) 1012 Bell Avenue Glen Burnie, MD 21061
*Snow Date – Monday, November 23, 2015 <i>Meeting will be held on snow date if county public schools are closed or if the county's snow emergency plan is in effect.</i>	

REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE

The Maryland Relay Service can assist teletype users at 7-1-1. Persons requiring assistance to participate (interpreter for hearing/speech difficulties or assistance with the English language) should contact Ms. Tabor by November 10, 2015.

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FOR MORE INFORMATION

For additional information, please visit SHA's website at www.roads.maryland.gov and click on **Projects and Studies, SHA Projects Page, Anne Arundel County, MD 648, Baltimore Annapolis Boulevard.**

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