

# Light Rail & Private Utility Construction Update

## November 1, 2009



### Fort Norfolk

- Next community meeting 11.10.09

### York Street

- **Light Rail**
  - Crossing going in at Botetourt/Brambleton
    - Utility conflicts have delayed opening of intersection
  - Work continues between Dunmore and Botetourt
  - Will complete pavers in front of Minuteman Press after DVP completes terminations and cutovers

### DUKE

- **Verizon**
  - Contractor started tunnel to manhole underway
  - 45 day contract will complete early—mid-week
- **Light Rail**
  - Installation of OCS foundations on Bute to Duke Street intersection follows Charlotte Street, which are currently underway

### BUTE

- **Cox**
  - one conduit relocation to do near former Baylor property
  - No schedule info available at this time
- **Light Rail**
  - Installation of OCS foundations on Bute to Duke Street intersection follows Charlotte Street
  - Bute Street being has been converted to two-way traffic between Boush and Granby

### CHARLOTTE

- **Verizon**
  - will relocate at the intersection of Monticello and Charlotte starting 11/1/09; southwest corner only
- **Light Rail**
  - Installation of OCS pole foundations along Charlotte Street are underway
  - Storm drain work in Flat Iron Park is underway
    - Lane closures are expected
      - Access to parking lots will be maintained at all times
      - Pedestrian areas will be clearly marked

### MONTICELLO (Charlotte to Freemason)

- **Verizon**
  - Relocation of manhole starts 11/01/09 in the southwest corner of the intersection
- **Light Rail**
  - On or after 11/06/09, Monticello Avenue will close between Freemason and Charlotte Street
    - Montagna Law Office will enter from Granby Street
    - Webster's Court will be paved to provide access to to businesses and residents in this block of Monticello Avenue

### MONTICELLO (City Hall to Freemason)

- **DVP**

- Work to complete relocation/repositioning will be staged at night as needed
- **Light Rail**
  - 11/6/09 completion date for work to Freemason

#### **CITY HALL AVENUE**

- **Cox** - all relocations are done
- **DVP**
  - All relocations, cable pulls, terminations and cutovers are being done during the day at Monticello/City Hall intersection starting Tuesday, October 27, 2009 and will continue through the end of Nov.
  - Median lanes will be closed. Traffic will be reduced to one lane in each direction
    - Off-duty officers will be used to direct motorists and pedestrians.
- **Verizon**
  - Will relocate and cut across City Hall one lane at a time; will work within closed lanes for DVP work
- **City**
  - Norfolk Utilities will be ready to tie-in water line on 11/01/09 at Atlantic/City Hall
    - Work will take approximately 1 week
- **Light Rail**
  - Skanska has completed the storm drain work in the eastbound curb lane

#### **ATLANTIC**

- **Cox**
  - Will return to area to resolve conflicts
    - Schedule is not yet known
- **DVP**
  - All relocations will be done; demobilization is underway
  - Cable pulls, terminations and cutovers continue south of Monticello/City Hall; crews will work wherever they are not impeding others
- **City**
  - Norfolk Utilities has replaced water line; they have services to install to the pump station and Maritime offices and will tie line in starting 11/01/09 at City Hall Avenue/Atlantic
- **Light Rail**
  - HRT awaiting work plan for area

#### **PLUME**

- **Verizon**
  - Work remains but not permitted yet
    - Crews will work where it does not interfere with light rail construction
- **Light Rail**
  - Work continues across Norfolk Southern's garage entrance this week; parking egress/ingress during daytime hours to Plume Lane has been added;
  - notice to BB&T for track installation across the drive-thru has been provided
    - work is 3 to 4 weeks out and will follow completion of rail installation to St. Paul Blvd.

#### **PLAZA**

- **City** – City added encasement pipe for Courthouse sewer system relocation
  - Work will start on or after 11/6/09
- **Light Rail**
  - Work on the steam tunnel continues

#### **E MAIN/ UNION**

- **DVP**
  - All civil work is done
  - Cable pulls, terminations and cutovers are completed

- Add on – connecting services on 11/05

- **Light Rail**

- Track work will resume upon completion of DVP's work

- **Park / Main**

- Intersection will be open before 11/20/09