

Richmond DPU: City Improvement Projects

Job: Silverwood Drive Drainage Improvement Project

Location: Silverwood Drive and Sweetwood Drive

Project Introduction

This drainage improvement project will reduce the frequency and severity of roadway flooding, backyard ponding, and maintenance costs incurred by the City of Richmond when cleaning the drainage system. The project will result in improved drainage capacity and fewer clogs in the drainage system.

The improvements, which will occur within the outlined project area indicated in the figure below, will take place primarily on Silverwood Drive and Sweetwood Drive from Hull Street Road to Brittwood Drive.



Project Schedule

Project Assignment: September 2019

Survey & Preliminary Design: February 2020

Engineering Design: Fall 2020 to Spring 2022

Construction Assignment: Fall 2022 through Winter 2022/2023 (Estimated Length: 4 to 6 Months)

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT:

Field Investigations:

Survey work has been performed by Cardinal Survey to collect data for the proposed design improvements.

Richmonders may still see survey or engineering staff and vehicles in the neighborhood and project corridor collecting additional data and performing field investigations on occasion.

The information collected will be used to ensure optimal drainage improvements.

Project Duration:

Construction is estimated to start in late November or early December of 2022 and take approximately four (4) to six (6) months to complete depending on weather conditions.

All affected property owners will be notified prior to construction with the construction start date.

Occasional construction vehicles and equipment in and through the neighborhood and periodic road lane closures can be expected as part of the Silverwood Drive Drainage Improvement Project.

We apologize for the inconvenience and greatly appreciate your patience as these important improvements are made.

For questions, comments, or concerns specifically about any of these projects, please contact:

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