

MD 173 Sidewalk Improvement Project

MD 173 Design Phase Continues for Sidewalk Improvements in Riviera Beach

The Maryland Department of Transportation State Highway Administration (SHA), in partnership with Anne Arundel County, is designing sidewalk improvements along southbound MD 173 (Fort Smallwood Road) from Duvall Highway to Kenton Road in Riviera Beach, Anne Arundel County. The sidewalk project features pedestrian safety improvements along the corridor. The design phase is anticipated to be complete by spring 2024.

Project Background

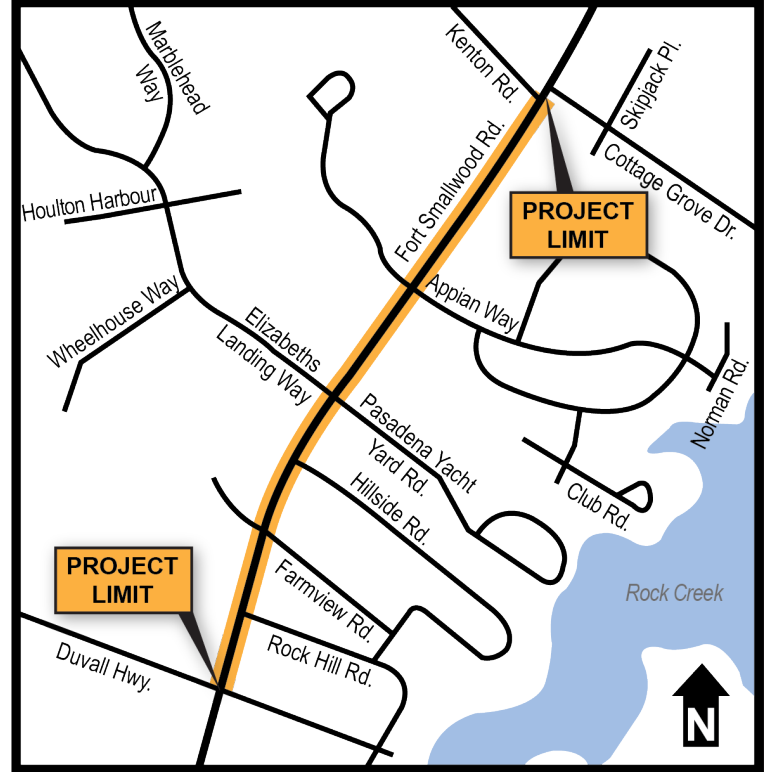
The purpose of this project is to improve pedestrian safety along approximately a 0.7 mile-section of southbound MD 173 between Duvall Highway and Kenton Road. Presently, sidewalk access is only available at the northern end of the project area. This project is designed to enhance pedestrian connectivity along the corridor to area amenities such as schools, recreational spaces, businesses, places of worship and residences.

The scope of the MD 173 Sidewalk Improvement Project includes:

- constructing a five-foot-wide sidewalk along southbound MD 173 that will comply with Americans with Disabilities Act requirements;
- installing stormwater management facilities to manage water runoff;
- installing drainage improvements along MD 173;
- installing crosswalks and pedestrian signals along southbound MD 173 at Duvall Highway, Elizabeths Landing Way, and Appian Way and
- upgrading crosswalks and pedestrian signals crossing MD 173 at Duvall Highway and Appian Way.

What to Expect

Contractor crews will work onsite during the day this summer to prepare for utility relocation work in late 2023. Any service interruptions will be communicated in advance to impacted property owners.



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