West Ocean View Avenue and Tidewater Drive Intersection

**Location**
West Ocean View Avenue and Tidewater Drive between Mason Creek Road and 4th View Street

**Project Benefits**
This project will replace the deteriorated West Ocean View Flyover with an at-grade, signalized intersection. The new intersection design will improve safety, pedestrian and bicycle accessibility, and context sensitivity, while continuing to accommodate traffic demand and maintain separation between I-64 and Willoughby traffic. In addition, demolition of the bridge will open additional green space.

**Scope of Work**
- New at-grade, signalized intersection at W Ocean View Avenue and Tidewater Drive
- Demolition of existing W Ocean View Flyover (approach embankments to be stabilized and left in place)
- Storm water management improvements
- New sidewalks, bike lanes, and landscaping
- Pavement markings, signage, and street lighting

**Project Status**
Construction

**Project Schedule**
- Construction start: February 2019
- Anticipated construction completion: Fall 2021

**Total Funding**
- VDOT Revenue Sharing (50% City / 50% State)
- $2.6 million dollars

**Construction Impacts**
- Lane closures and shifts will be required; at least one lane in each direction will be open at all times, with short-term exceptions.
- The Flyover will remain in service until the new intersection is open to traffic, and will then be demolished. Bridge demolition will require temporary closures of Tidewater Drive.

**Civic Engagement**
- Wards: 1 and 5 (Councilman Thomas and Councilman Smigiel)
- Superward: 6 (Councilwoman McClellan)
- Civic Leagues: Willoughby, Ocean View, Northside, Cottage Line, East Ocean View, and Greater Pinewell

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**Project Webpage**
[https://www.norfolk.gov/4781/W-Ocean-View-Ave-Tidewater-Dr-Project](https://www.norfolk.gov/4781/W-Ocean-View-Ave-Tidewater-Dr-Project)

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