The Ohio Creek Project

FALL 2020

Reach C

Ohio Creek Project
As we welcome Fall, various elements of Chesterfield Heights and Grandy Village are changing to reflect forward progress in the Ohio Creek Watershed Project. The project continues to move forward with berm, road, park, and improved infrastructure construction to enhance the area and mitigate flooding impacts.

Current highlights of the project include progress on Kimball Terrace West and the road improvements to access Campostella Road. Utility work on Marlboro Avenue continues in earnest as well. Over the last 8 months, the City of Norfolk and MEB General Contractors Inc., have made noticeable progress in advancing this element of the project.

We sincerely appreciate your patience as we make great strides building Norfolk’s coastal community of the future.

Road construction progress will continue over the next few months. Once complete, residents and visitors will have unparalleled transit access with reduced effects of flooding impacts.

Anticipated road completion is scheduled for 2022.
Meet ZaMari Love: Neighborhood Development Specialist

ZaMari Love, City of Norfolk Neighborhood Development Specialist

The newest team member on the Ohio Creek Watershed Project, ZaMari, is the Neighborhood Development Specialist for Chesterfield Heights and Grandy Village. As the City’s liaison for these neighborhoods and others, her role in the Ohio Creek Watershed Project is to ensure that the residents of Chesterfield Heights and Grandy Village are well-informed, connected, and engaged during and after the construction process. She is available to address all neighborhood and civic league concerns. To connect with ZaMari, she can be reached either by email at zamari.love@norfolk.gov or cell phone: (757) 390-7448.

On Wednesday, September 16, Erik Barrett, Chesterfield Heights resident, and Kyle Spencer, Deputy Resilience Officer from the City of Norfolk, conducted a MyNorfolk Training at Freemason Baptist Church in Norfolk, VA. Attendees were provided information on how to utilize the MyNorfolk app and how to connect with the City to report any concerns or questions they may have. Additional trainings are planned for Winter 2020/Spring 2021 pending the ongoing status of the COVID-19 national pandemic. According to Erik, the program was a success and “...I feel we had a BIG WIN!!” For more information regarding upcoming trainings, please contact the Office of Resilience at NorfolkRC@norfolk.gov.

The City of Norfolk
Community Outreach
As construction continues, please remember to stay clear of construction sites. Avoid all construction equipment, especially barriers. Adhere to posted construction signage and traffic detours. If you see children straying into construction zones or any unsafe situation, please let a construction crewmember know or call the Project Manager at 757-664-6510 or the Construction Hotline (Monday – Friday after normal work hours) 757-664-7220.

Have You Heard About Norfolk Alert?

**Norfolk Alert - Emergency Alert Program**
You can sign up to receive alerts about emergencies and other important community news through our Emergency Alert Program. This system enables us to provide you with critical information quickly in a variety of situations, such as severe weather and public safety information. You will receive time-sensitive messages wherever you specify, such as your home, mobile or business phones, email address, text messages and more. You pick where, you pick how. Sign up here: [https://member.everbridge.net/index/453003085612694#/signup](https://member.everbridge.net/index/453003085612694#/signup)

---

Safety First

As construction continues, please remember to stay clear of construction sites. Avoid all construction equipment, especially barriers. Adhere to posted construction signage and traffic detours. If you see children straying into construction zones or any unsafe situation, please let a construction crewmember know or call the Project Manager at 757-664-6510 or the Construction Hotline (Monday – Friday after normal work hours) 757-664-7220.

---

**September 2020 Rendering of the Ohio Creek Watershed Project Resilient Park**