

Vision Zero

Neighborhood Speed Reduction Program



Our Vision Zero policy established a goal of zero traffic-related fatalities and major injuries while making the city's streets safer for all, especially for our most vulnerable users – pedestrians, cyclists, scooter and bus riders. The Neighborhood Speed Reduction Program is one tactic we're using to make this goal a reality.

PLAN:

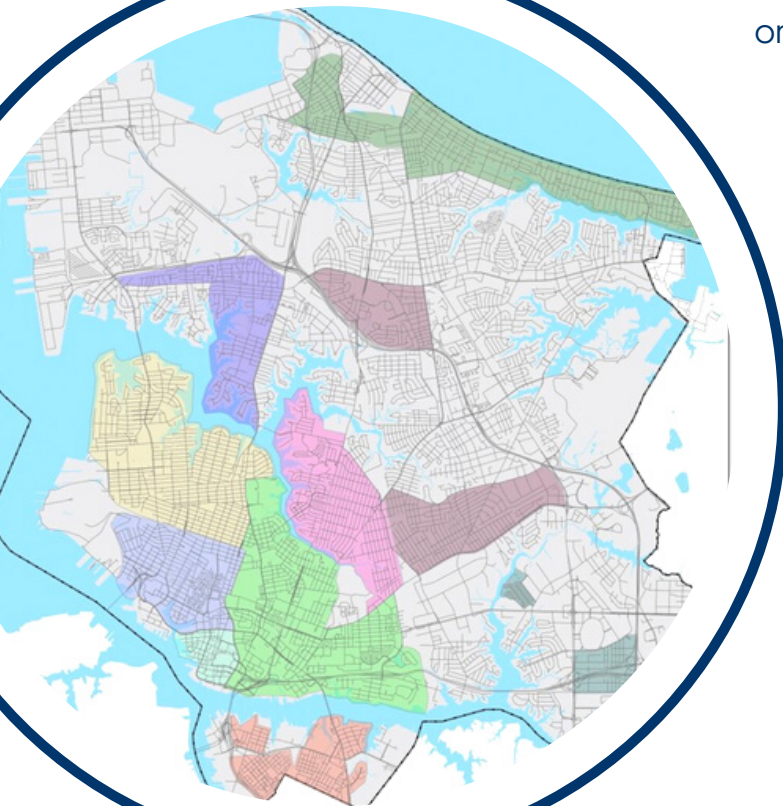
Reduce neighborhood (local) street speeds from 25 mph to 20 mph.

REASON:

Vehicle speed increases the likelihood of a crash, as well as the severity of the crash.



At lower speeds, drivers have a wider field of view and are more likely to notice other road users, such as pedestrians and bicyclists.



Colored areas are neighborhoods identified for Phase 1.
Gray areas will be considered for Phase 2.



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