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Two Public Hearings Scheduled

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Arlington, VA - The Northern Virginia Transportation Commission (NVTC) seeks public comment on projects submitted for funding consideration under the I-66 Commuter Choice program. Comments will be accepted via mail, email or telephone through April 16, 2018 and at two public hearings.

For the second round of funding, NVTC received 18 applications for transit and roadway improvements from Arlington County, City of Fairfax, City of Falls Church, City of Manassas, Fairfax County, Loudoun County, the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission, and the Virginia Railway Express. Requested funds for all submitted projects exceed \$36 million. A list of project applications is available on [NVTC's I-66 Commuter Choice website](#).

NVTC's objective is to select and fund multimodal projects that meet the I-66 Commuter Choice improvement goals.

NVTC works to ensure that businesses and residents are served by a high capacity, high quality network of transit systems that allows the region to thrive. It funds and promotes transit in the counties of Arlington, Fairfax and Loudoun and the cities of Alexandria, Fairfax and Falls Church. NVTC supports five local bus systems (ART, CUE, DASH, Fairfax Connector, Loudoun County Transit), WMATA (Metrorail/ Metrobus) and the Virginia Railway Express. Visit

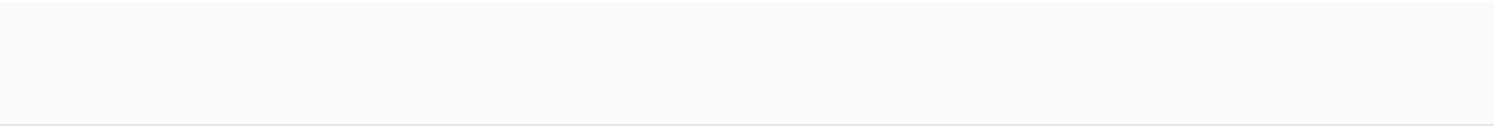
that meet the I-66 Commuter Choice improvement goals, which are to move more people, enhance transportation connectivity, improve transit service, reduce roadway congestion and increase travel options. Projects selected for funding must benefit the users of the portion of I-66 between I-495 and U.S. Route 29 in the Rosslyn area of Arlington County. The Commission will select projects in May and present them to the Commonwealth Transportation Board for final approval in June.

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NVTC is accepting comments by mail (2300 Wilson Blvd., Suite 602, Arlington, VA 22201), email (nvtc@novatransit.org) or phone (703-495-3130) through 5 p.m. on April 16. The public can learn more about and comment on the proposed projects on March 20 and April 5. The March 20 hearing will be at the [Greater Reston Chamber of Commerce, 1886 Metro Center Drive, Suite 230, Reston, Virginia](#). The April 5 hearing will be in the [Navy League Building, 2300 Wilson Blvd., first floor conference room, Arlington, Virginia](#). The open house, which begins at 6 p.m., will be followed by a brief presentation at 7 p.m. The public hearing will start immediately after the presentation.

The hearings are located at facilities deemed accessible to persons with disabilities. A Spanish language translator and interpreter for the deaf will be made available upon request. Those requiring special assistance, an interpreter or translator must notify NVTC at 703-524-3322 or via Virginia Relay by dialing 7-1-1, no later than March 13 for the March 20, 2018 hearing or March 29 for the April 5, 2018 hearing.



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