



Project Update: November 23, 2015

Thank you for subscribing to monthly updates on the progress of the I-64 Widening Project.

Our goal is to deliver a quality roadway improvement project while minimizing traffic impacts to keep you moving. We hope you will find these updates helpful and if you have any suggestions as to how we can improve communications about the project, [please let us know](#).

About the Project:

The I-64 Widening Project is divided into three segments, with plans to eventually widen the interstate on the Peninsula from Jefferson Avenue (exit 255) up to the second Route 199 interchange. One travel lane and one shoulder lane will be added in each direction.

The first segment extends 5.6 miles from Jefferson Avenue (exit 255) to Yorktown Road (exit 247). Governor Terry McAuliffe announced the start of construction of the first segment at a groundbreaking ceremony in Newport News on Tuesday, September 8.

Current Status:

The project got underway on Sunday, September 13. Initial work has been completed, which included milling and paving of the shoulder lanes and rumble strip removal.

Coming Soon:

Crews are in the process of installing construction entrances and a temporary concrete barrier along the I-64 eastbound and westbound median of the project. Once the barrier is completed in early December, the two travel lanes will shift a few feet to the right and will be slightly narrower. Construction activities are scheduled to begin in January with tree trimming/clearing and installation of sediment and erosion controls.

Traffic Impacts:

Weeknight east- and westbound single-lane closures, Sunday through Thursday, beginning as early as 8 p.m. and ending at 5 a.m. the following morning. One travel lane in each direction will remain open to traffic at all times. All construction work is dependent upon weather conditions.

For more information about the project, please visit our website at <http://i64widening.org/>. To get real-time traffic information, visit www.511virginia.org, call 511, download Virginia's free [511 mobile app](#), listen to Highway Advisory Radio (HAR) 1680 AM or call the Traffic Information Line at 757-361-3016.