
VDOT
Virginia Department of Transportation

AIRPORT DRIVE CONSTRUCTION IMPROVEMENTS – UPC 126403

Authorization for the Commissioner of Highways to Enter into an Agreement between VDOT and the Capital Region Airport Commission (CRAC)

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Airport Drive Construction Improvements - Project

- Provides curb, gutter, and drainage improvements to one of the bridges originally constructed with the Airport Drive widening project at the Richmond International Airport.
- Project to be administered by CRAC.
- PE expected to begin fall 2024.
- Estimate:
  - Preliminary Engineering - $201,367
  - Construction - $2,148,633
  - TOTAL - $2,350,000

Airport Drive Construction Improvements - Funding

- Preliminary engineering (PE) to be funded with $201K remaining from a federal earmark for the-Construct South Airport Connector Road, Richmond International Airport Project (UPC 66786) completed in 2008.
  - CRAC has proposed this eligible project to utilize the funds.
- Agreement needed for CRAC to access the funds.

Airport Drive Construction Improvements - Agreement

- **Pursuant to § 33.2-214 (C) of the *Code of Virginia,* the CTB has the power and duty to enter into agreements with local districts, commissions, agencies and other entities, such as CRAC, created for transportation purposes.**

- **The CTB has been provided with a draft agreement for the Commissioner's signature that addresses project funding and CRAC's obligations to administer the project in accordance with VDOT's guidelines and applicable federal, state and local laws.**

- **The agreement currently addresses the preliminary engineering phase of the project but will require amendment to address remaining phases as funding becomes available.**

Airport Drive Construction Improvements - CTB Action

- **VDOT requests that the CTB authorize the Commissioner to (i) sign the agreement with CRAC and enable CRAC to apply the federal earmark to the project's PE costs and (ii) make necessary changes and additions, including those to address remaining phases of the project.**