



White Flint Metro Station Northern Entrance

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Category	Transportation	Date Last Modified	01/11/19
SubCategory	Mass Transit (MCG)	Administering Agency	Transportation
Planning Area	North Bethesda-Garrett Park	Status	Preliminary Design Stage

EXPENDITURE SCHEDULE (\$000s)

Cost Elements	Total	Thru FY18	Rem FY18	Total 6 Years	FY 19	FY 20	FY 21	FY 22	FY 23	FY 24	Beyond 6 Years
Planning, Design and Supervision	3,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,500
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	3,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,500

FUNDING SCHEDULE (\$000s)

Funding Source	Total	Thru FY18	Rem FY18	Total 6 Years	FY 19	FY 20	FY 21	FY 22	FY 23	FY 24	Beyond 6 Years
G.O. Bonds	3,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,500
TOTAL FUNDING SOURCES	3,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,500

APPROPRIATION AND EXPENDITURE DATA (\$000s)

Appropriation FY 20 Approp. Request	-	Year First Appropriation	
Cumulative Appropriation	-	Last FY's Cost Estimate	3,500
Expenditure / Encumbrances	-		
Unencumbered Balance	-		

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

This project provides for planning and preliminary engineering of access improvements to the White Flint Metro Station. Access is currently limited to the southern end of the platform. Metro has conducted a feasibility study of providing additional access at the northern end of the platform, including potential pedestrian underpass connections of MD 355 (Rockville Pike). Construction of northern access to the station will reduce walk times to the Metro Platform. If included, the pedestrian underpasses will reduce conflicts with motor vehicle traffic at the intersection of Old Georgetown Road and MD 355.

LOCATION

MD355 (Rockville Pike) at Old Georgetown Road/White Flint Metro Station.

COST CHANGE

Funding shifted to beyond the six year period due to affordability and the intention to pursue WMATA funding.

PROJECT JUSTIFICATION

This project is needed to improve the mobility, and safety for all facility users within the project area by reducing walking distances and times to the Metro station platforms. The project may also reduce existing conflicts between pedestrians and vehicles. Currently, transit users, pedestrians, and bicyclists cross MD 355 (Rockville Pike) and Old Georgetown Road to access the Metro Station. If the underpasses are included, this project reduces the need for at-grade pedestrian crossings. Traffic volumes and speeds on MD 355 can be high and pedestrians must cross over seven lanes of traffic.

DISCLOSURES

A pedestrian impact analysis will be performed during design or is in progress.

COORDINATION

Maryland-National Capital Park & Planning Commission, Maryland State Highway Administration, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority.