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Mr. Adam Henderson., President
Douglas Park Civic Association

Re: Fort Barnard—South Quincy Street –Water Main Improvement Project

Dear Mr. Henderson,

As the Civic Association President for this neighborhood, you are receiving this letter to inform residents of an upcoming improvement project. Residents will receive a similar letter in the coming weeks.

Arlington County will soon launch a project to upgrade the public Fort Barnard water supply main. This work will rehabilitate the aging pipeline and is vital to ensuring efficient water service to neighborhood residents.  Construction will likely commence in May 2014 and last approximately seven months.

The project consists of various construction components, including the building of 4,400 feet of 12-Inch inch water main, water service transfers, demolition of existing pavements, erosion control, minor excavation and trench excavation, cutting, minor grading, construction of aggregate bases, asphalt paving, minor sidewalk and curb replacement, pavement marking and maintaining traffic flow.

Work will be conducted along these streets: South Quincy Street between Columbia Pike and 18th Street South; 18th Street South between South Quincy Street and South Pollard Street; South Pollard Street between 18th Street South and 19th Street South; 19th Street South between South Pollard Street and South Walter Reed Drive.

Construction will be phased to limit impact on residents, and the County will take significant efforts to keep inconveniences at a minimum. Impacts to adjacent residences will include construction noise, traffic restrictions, on-street parking restrictions, and water service interruptions that may last a couple of hours at a time. Residents will be fully informed of specific impacts as each phase of construction is launched.