

TA-2016 Downtown Streetscape Improvements Phase II Borough of Pennington • Transportation Alternatives (TAP) Project

Preliminary Engineering Phase • Public Information Center

Pennington Borough Hall • Borough Council Chamber • 30 North Main Street, Pennington, NJ 08534

Tuesday, March 28, 2023 from 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM



The Borough of Pennington will hold a **Public Information Center (PIC)** to provide local residents and businesses with information on the **TA-2016 Downtown Streetscape Improvements Phase II** project. You are encouraged to actively participate by providing comments at the meeting, by mail, or by e-mail.

THE MEETING

The purpose of the meeting is to provide an opportunity for input on the project. The Public Information Center will be held in-person at:

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You will have an opportunity to review exhibits, ask questions and discuss any concerns. Property owners and tenants are invited and encouraged to participate. If you are unable to participate or want to provide comments after the meeting, please visit the municipality's website for information about the project and provide comments by **April 11, 2023**.

<https://www.penningtonboro.org/>

PROJECT BACKGROUND

The purpose of this project in the grant application is to improve the overall condition of the Borough of Pennington's Downtown streetscape through the replacement of deteriorated curbs, sidewalks, and driveways as well as beautify the area with the addition of decorative light poles, benches, trash receptacles, and new trees. The project's Design and Construction cost is funded by federal funds administered through NJDOT Local Aid Transportation Alternatives (TA) Program and Design Assistance.

PROPOSED PROJECT LIMITS AND IMPROVEMENTS MAY INCLUDE

The project limits on Mercer County Route 640 South Main Street span approximately 430 linear feet while the East Delaware Avenue limits span approximately 280 linear feet and the West Delaware Avenue limits span approximately 330 linear feet. The following improvements are included:

- Replacement of severely deteriorated curbing and addition of new curb in proposed areas

- Replacement of sidewalk with a combination of concrete sidewalk and brick pavers
- Replacement of curb with granite curb to match previously constructed Phase I improvements
- Replacement of existing street trees
- Improvement of driveway aprons to meet sidewalk grade
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- Relocation of existing roof leaders presently draining onto the existing sidewalk to underground and connection into the existing clay tile storm pipe.
- Decorative, pedestrian light poles along the sidewalk to match the existing standard
- Removal and replacement of regulatory signs/posts.
- Benches, trash receptacles and tree guard will be included where appropriate need and space allows.
- Street trees replacing existing trees that require removal in order to properly reconstruct the sidewalk and curb.

CULTURAL RESOURCES

Federal and State regulations pertaining to the protection of cultural resources, referred to, respectively, as the Section 106 and the New Jersey Register of Historic Places Act processes, require that Princeton and NJDOT take into account the effect of proposed projects upon cultural resources eligible to or listed on the New Jersey and National Registers of Historic Places. These processes require coordination between NJDOT and the New Jersey Historic Preservation Office (NJHPO), along with other appropriate consulting and interested parties.

ANTICIPATED PROJECT SCHEDULE:

Design Phase Completed: 2023
Construction: 2024

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