FY 2022 – FY 2026 Capital Improvement Program (CIP) Planning Commission Workshop

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Fire and Rescue Department



FY 2022 CIP Projects Fire and Rescue Department (FRD) CIP Goals

1) Ensure FRD facilities accommodate diverse workforce.

- 2) Ensure FRD facilities have capacity to add first responders and apparatus to meet future demand for emergency services.
- 3) Modernize FRD facilities to improve response times and provide a healthy and safe environment for personnel.
 - Hot Zone design
 - Four-fold apparatus bay doors
 - Station alerting
 - Emergency Vehicle Pre-emption (EVP)



FY 2022 CIP Projects Current FRD CIP Projects

Projects in construction:

- Jefferson Fire Station 18
- Lorton Volunteer Fire Station 19
- Woodlawn Fire Station 24
- Reston Fire Station 25
- Edsall Road Fire Station 26
- Merrifield Fire Station 30
- Scotts Run Fire Station 44

Projects in design:

- Seven Corners Fire Station 28
- Fairview Fire Station 32
- Gunston Fire Station 20
- Tysons Fire Station 29

Projects in pre-design:

- West Annandale Volunteer Fire Station 23
- Penn Daw Fire Station 11
- Mount Vernon Fire Station 9



FY 2022 CIP Projects FRD'S CIP Priorities

Facility	Year Built	Facility Age	Existing SF Site Size	Funding
1) Tysons Fire Station 29	1978	42 years	9,500 SF 2.6 Acres	Developer Proffer & CIP
2) Well-Fit	Leased space	NA	17,040 SF	2022 Bond \$21 M
3) Fox Mill Fire Station 31	1979	41 years	9,000 SF 1.7 Acres	2022 Bond \$15 M
4) Oakton Fire Station 34	1983	37 years	8,500 SF 1.5 Acres	2022 Bond \$17 M
5) Chantilly Fire Station 15	1989	31 years	9,500 SF 1.5 Acres	2022 Bond \$19 M
6) Pohick Fire Station 357) Frying Pan Station 36	1986 1988	34 years 32 years	9,600 SF 9,500 SF	2026 Bond \$15 M \$19 M





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1) Tysons Fire and Rescue Station 29



- Location: 1560 Spring Hill Road, Tysons, VA
- Providence District
- Year Built: 1978
- Site: 2.6 acres, Building: 9,500 square feet
- Description: Three drive-through bay fire station

Fire station deficiencies:

- Two additional apparatus bays needed to support growth in Tysons area
- Limited bunkrooms and shower/locker room for female personnel
- Gym/workout area to meet mandatory physical fitness requirements
- Protective gear storage (stored in apparatus bays and shop)
- Men's shower/locker room undersized
- Medical supply storage limited
- No fire sprinklers in apparatus bays
- Building systems exceed life cycles



Tysons Fire and Rescue Station 29



Existing & Proposed Sites



Current Transit Site

New Facility Overview:

- 5 bay, 20,000 sf fire station
- Co-located with 7 bay transit facility on current 4.2 acre transit site
- 24/7 facility for up to 20 Fire & Rescue staff, plus Battalion Chief
- Gender-neutral design
- No temporary fire station required
- Design to meet County 2020
 Sustainability Policy

Design Contract: Fall 2020 Bid: Fall 2022 Construction Start: Spring 2023



2) Wellness Fitness Center (Well-Fit)

Facility Overview:

- Leased warehouse space
- 5 year lease expires on June 2022
- Two 5 year renewal options
- FY 2021 lease cost is \$201K
- 3% annual escalation

Well-Fit Feasibility Study at Fire Training Academy:

- Determined three site options to relocate Well-Fit and reconfigure parking areas
- Planned for 2022 Public Safety Bond Referendum





FY 2022 CIP Projects Future FRD CIP Projects

2022 and 2026 Public Safety Bond Referendums

• Fox Mill, Oakton, Chantilly, Pohick and Frying Pan fire stations

CIP Project priority based on the following:

- Facility age
- Facility deficiencies living quarters for diverse workforce, protective gear storage, decontamination areas, medical storage, gym/fitness area, operations and support space
- Larger stations with flexibility to add resources in high growth areas of Fairfax County



Joint PD and FRD Large Vehicle Storage Facility

- Leased space Morrisette Warehouse in Springfield, VA
- 10 year lease expires 12/31/2025; one 10 year renewal option

Emergency Vehicle Preemption (EVP)

- Multi-funding strategy: proffers, transportation partnerships, CIP, grants, and general fund
- Department of Planning and Development includes EVP in staff reports
- Installations to date: 173 traffic signals

Questions?



