

# GOVERNMENT ROAD GREEN STREET

CONSTRUCTION BEGINS MAY 2024



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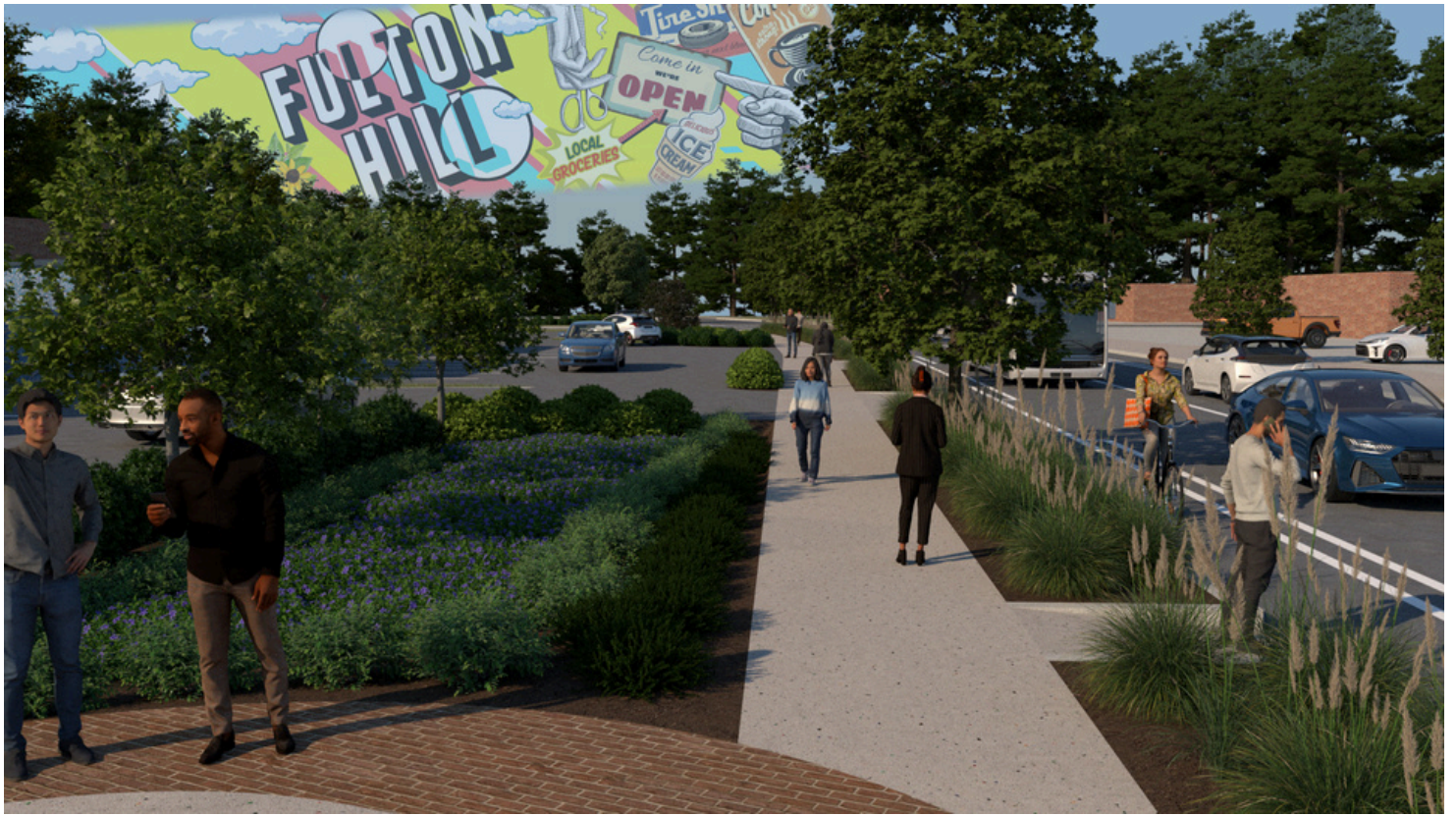


**Where:** Construction will take place on the 4900 and 5000 blocks of Government Road between Williamsburg Road and Carlisle Avenue.

**When:** Construction will begin late May and will last 60-90 days.

**Work Schedule & Street Closures:** Construction will begin on the 4900 block of Government Road in late May. Portions of this block will be closed for the entirety of the project to store materials and equipment. Once the majority of the 4900 block is completed, construction will move to the 5000 block. Government Road will remain open during the 60-90 day construction timeline.

**Groundbreaking Ceremony and Community Day:** The Green Street project team is holding a groundbreaking ceremony at 10:00 AM on Saturday, May 18th at the corner of Government Road and National Street to kick off construction. All are welcome to join! A Community Day sponsored by Richmond Community Mediators, Hilltop RVA and Innovate Fulton will follow the ceremony and last until 6:00 PM.



A “green street” is designed to improve neighborhoods by reducing flooding, increasing shade, and providing a safer place for pedestrians. It will help create a vibrant, community centered commercial district for Greater Fulton while also improving water quality in the nearby James River.

This project includes improved sidewalks, more street trees to increase shade, and new plants and rain gardens to beautify the neighborhood and reduce flooding. Murals have already been painted and, once construction is complete, a public art sculpture will be installed. This project is grant funded and will not cost the community anything!



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