

PUBLIC INFORMATIONAL MEETING NOTICE

Town of Amherst Pedestrian Safety Action Plan (PSAP)

DATE: Wednesday, September 4, 2019

TIME: 6:30 PM Open House

7:05 PM Brief Presentation to Amherst Traffic Safety Board (ATSB)

LOCATION: Amherst Municipal Building

ADDRESS: 5583 Main Street, Williamsville, NY 14221

AGENDA: The meeting will start as an "Open House" forum with pamphlets and presentation boards explaining the various elements of the design and construction phases. The design team will be on hand to help explain the proposed project, answer your questions and record your thoughts. A brief presentation to the Amherst Traffic Safety Board (ATSB) will occur around 7:05 PM.

Project Location Map



PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

for the

Town of Amherst Local Pedestrian Safety Action Plan (PSAP)

PIN: 5762.68

Town of Amherst, Erie County



This project will improve the pedestrian facilities at 5 intersections

- Alberta Drive/Wegman's Driveway intersection (signalized)
- Henel Avenue/Alberta Drive intersection (signalized)
- Flint Road/Maple Road intersection (signalized)
- Eggert Road/LeBrun Road intersection (signalized)
- Campus Drive/Daemen College (uncontrolled crossing)

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Project Description

This project will make improvements to pedestrian facilities at five locations throughout the Town of Amherst. This effort is part of the New York State Pedestrian Safety Action Plan (PSAP) announced by Governor Cuomo on June 20, 2016. The locations were prioritized by the Town of Amherst to focus improvements at locations with high pedestrian volume that have the greatest need. Along with locally funding the improvements, the Town was awarded competitive NYSDOT funding for this work.

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Project Objective

The purpose of this project is to implement engineering countermeasures that improve pedestrian and roadway safety as described in the NYS Pedestrian Safety Action Plan. This approach will proactively address safety issues and minimize crash potential by implementing countermeasures at various locations within the Town of Amherst. All work will be performed meeting current standards and PSAP guidance.

What Are The Proposed Improvements?

- Addition of pedestrian signals and related equipment
- Upgrading sidewalk curb ramps not meeting current standards
- New crosswalk striping
- Adding pedestrian level lighting
- New bump-out and possibly a Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon (RRFB)

Impact on Traffic

Work zone traffic control will consist of temporary lane closures and sidewalk detours. Street traffic will be restored to the existing configuration at the end of each work day. Sidewalk closures will continue overnight while newly placed concrete cures.

Project Schedule

Design Approval: September 2019

Bidding/Award: Winter 2019/2020

Construction Start: Spring 2020

Construction Complete: Summer 2020

Construction Anticipated to take 3 Months to Complete

Address Questions or Comments to:

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COMMENT SHEET

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Project Identification Number (P.I.N.): 5762.68 Town of Amherst, Erie County

If you would like to make a comment or have a concern you want to express about the above referenced project, please use this sheet.

Comment sheets may be submitted at the September 4th, 2019 Public Information Meeting, mailed in, or returned directly to:

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Comments concerning this project are <u>due by September 18th</u> , 2019	
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