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IMPORTANT NOTICE

**MOUNT LUCAS ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT
NEIGHBORHOOD DESIGN MEETING
MARCH 9, 2021**

The Municipality of Princeton will be designing improvements to Mount Lucas Road between Stuart Road East and Princeton Avenue for construction in 2022. This work is partially funded by a NJ Department of Transportation municipal aid grant. A neighborhood design meeting, chaired by Mayor Mark Freda, will be held on Tuesday, March 9, 2021 at 6:30 pm on Zoom to discuss this project.

Join Zoom Meeting

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We invite residents to come to this public design session for Mount Lucas Road. This will be a collaborative work session where residents and representatives from various Boards and Commissions can share information and provide insights regarding needs for the roadway and vision for the future improvements. If you are unable to attend this meeting, please email comments to engineering@princetonnj.gov at your earliest convenience. Comments will be evaluated and incorporated into the design as appropriate. An additional design meeting may

be scheduled to clarify unresolved design issues; otherwise, Engineering staff will proceed with design in order to secure the services of a contractor in late fall for the 2022 construction season. Mount Lucas Road is designated as a minor collector roadway in the Princeton Community Master Plan, and it runs generally north to south from the municipal border through the Princeton Ridge to Witherspoon Street and on to Nassau Street (NJSH 27). The posted speed limit is 35 mph, and some of the corridor contains open storm drainage ditches and vertical and horizontal curves.

This capital improvement project will be evaluated in accordance with the Princeton Community Master Plan Circulation Element, including appendices and maps, <https://nj-princeton.civicplus.com/DocumentCenter/View/823/Circulation-Element-PDF>.

The proposed improvement project will consider all of the following features:

- Sanitary sewer mains and laterals
- Storm drainage facilities
- Bicycle and pedestrian facilities
- Roadway curbing and surfacing
- Street trees

The Engineering Department staff and the Municipal Arborist will give a short presentation regarding the features mentioned above and possible design improvements, and will use the remainder of the meeting to discuss your ideas, design concepts and/or any concerns.

If you have any questions prior to the meeting, please contact the Engineering Department at engineering@princetonnj.gov or at (609) 921-7077. To facilitate ease of communication regarding the project, please subscribe to receive text messages and/or email notifications on the municipal website at <https://www.princetonnj.gov/list.aspx>. If you are unable to attend the meeting, we encourage you to share your ideas by email to engineering@princetonnj.gov.

Residents are advised that the Municipality will be imposing a 5-year moratorium on any street openings once the work is completed. Therefore, if you plan to upgrade or install new utility services such as gas, water, electric, etc., you should contact the respective utility company at this time to make the necessary arrangements. A telephone list for the various project contacts is provided on the next page of this notice for your use.

We look forward to seeing you at this meeting to discuss design improvements to Mount Lucas Road.

Best regards,



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