

Franconia to Lorton Third Track

The Franconia to Lorton Third Track Project will increase rail capacity for passenger and freight services between Franconia, VA and Lorton, VA. The project will add approximately 6 miles of mainline third track, creating a continuous third track corridor between Alexandria and Lorton.

Franconia-Springfield Station

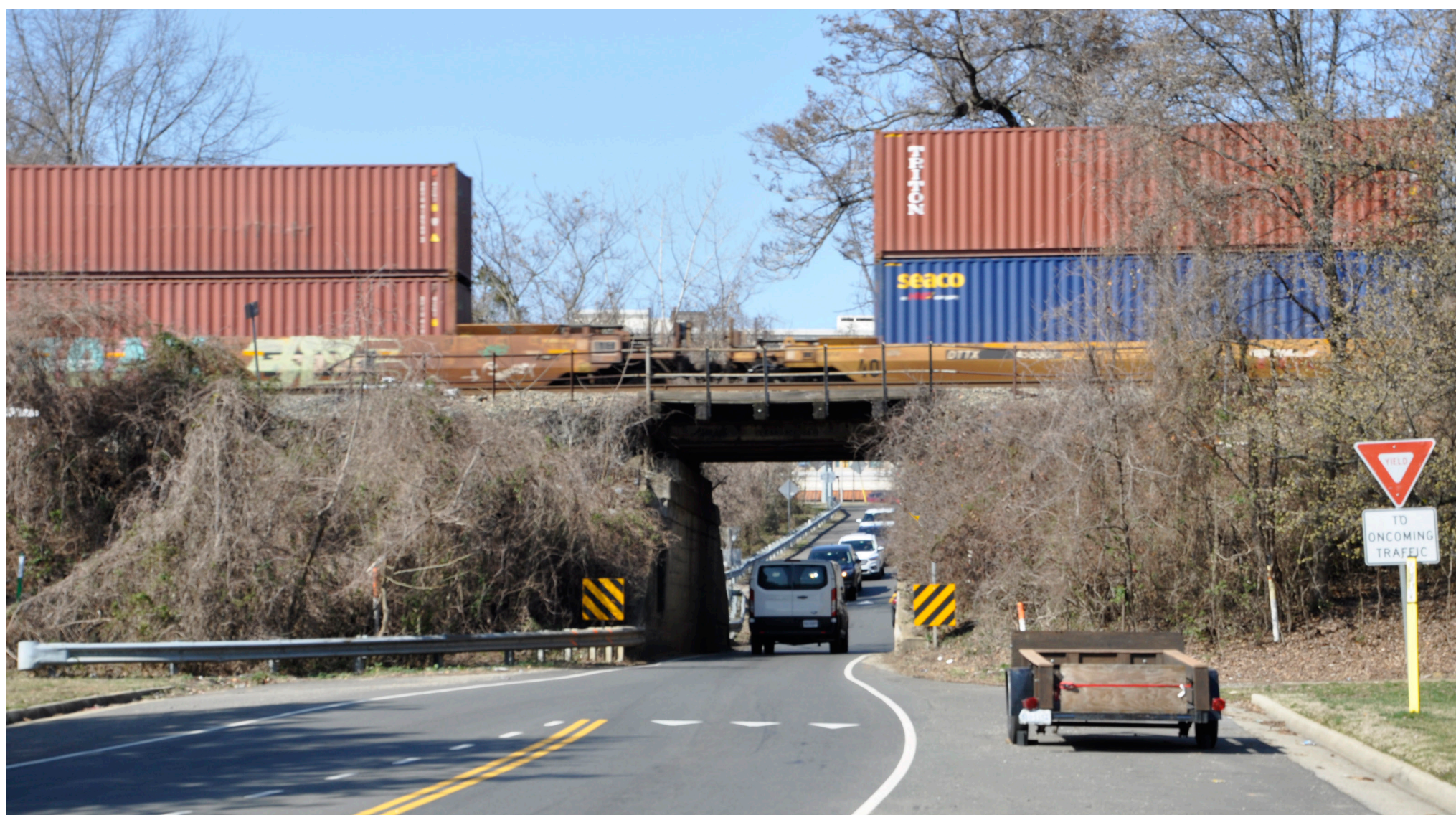


Existing rail corridor looking south from Franconia-Springfield Station



Planned additional third track

Newington Road



Existing railroad bridge over Newington Road



Planned railroad bridge over Newington Road (replacement)

Lorton Road



Existing railroad bridge over Lorton Road



Planned railroad bridge over Lorton Road next to existing bridge

Franconia-Springfield Bypass

The Franconia-Springfield Bypass, located just south of Franconia-Springfield Station, is a rail bridge that will allow passenger trains to cross over the existing tracks to serve passenger rail stations on each side of the rail corridor, unrestricted by the freight trains below.

