

Project Updates

Alexandria Fourth Track, King & Commonwealth Bridges, and Alexandria Station

October 7, 2025

Alexandria Fourth Track



Project Overview



- Construct six miles of new fourth track between the AF (Alexandria) and RO (Rosslyn) interlockings
- Relieves a bottleneck in Alexandria where five tracks merge into three tracks
- Close coordination with adjacent projects at Crystal City, Alexandria Station, King St. and Commonwealth Ave. bridge replacements
- Design and construction managed by VPRA's program partner, CSXT
- One of the first project segments to be advanced as part of the Transforming Rail in Virginia Program

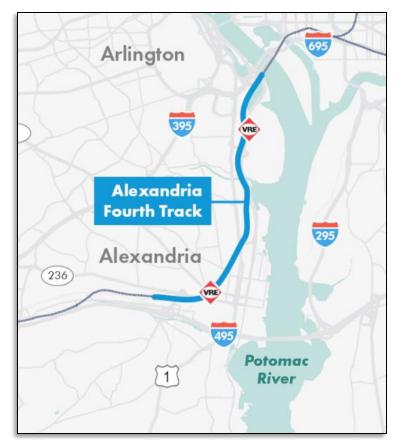
New Fourth Track



Looking South from Route 1



Project Status



	Current Budget	High Estimate	Low Estimate	Proposed Budget
Project Cost	\$210.5M	\$252M	\$230M	\$238.4M
Change from FY26 Budget		\$42M	\$20M	\$27.9M

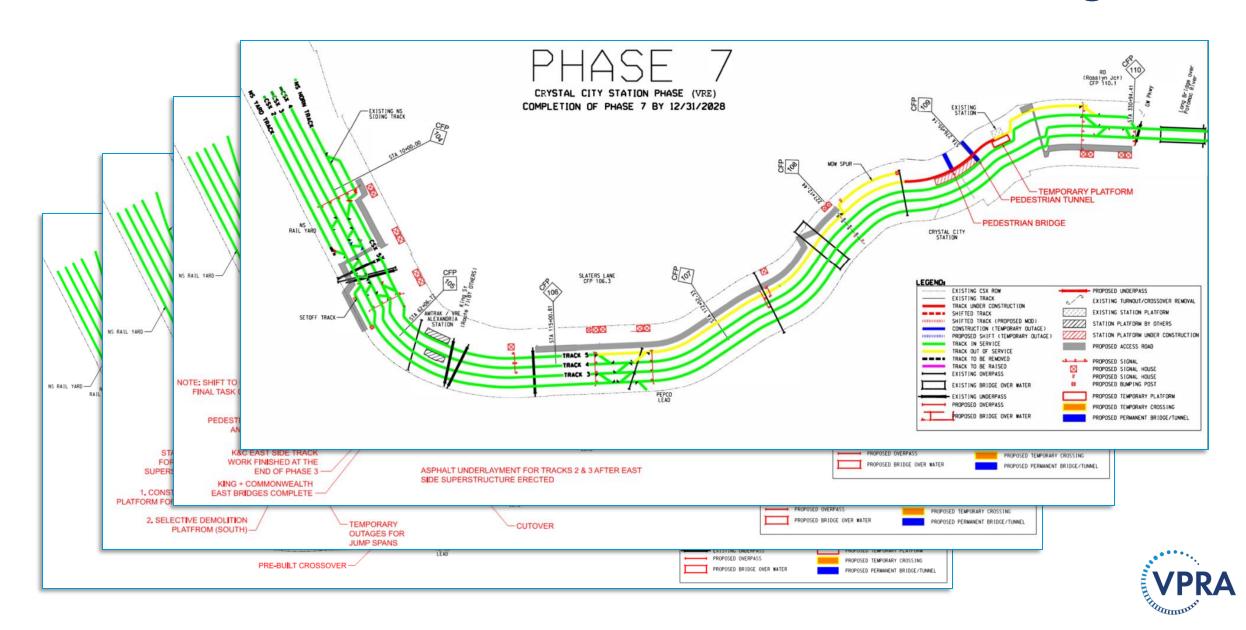


Key Cost Considerations:

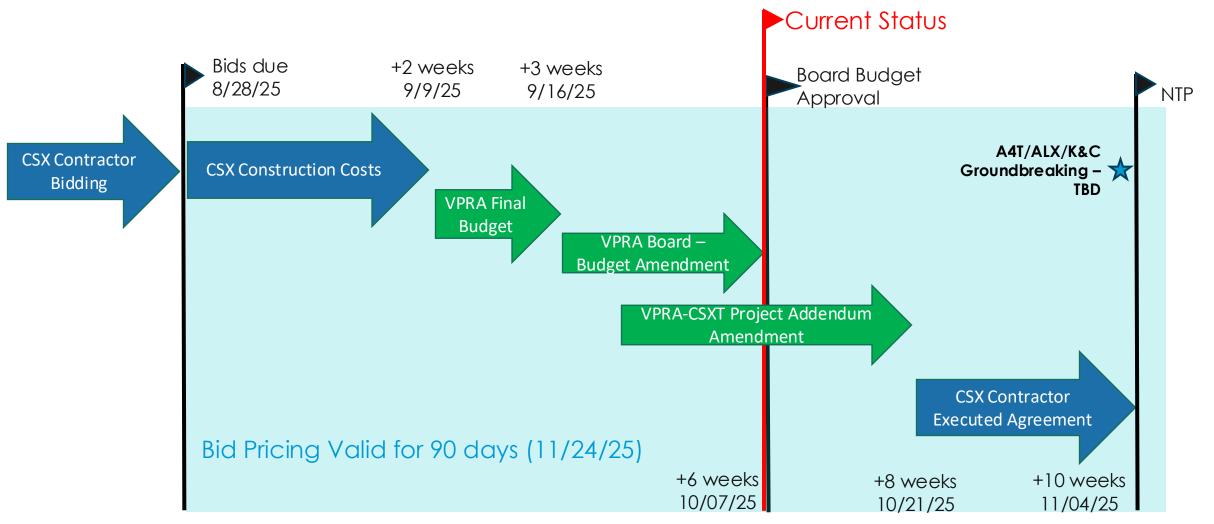
- Existing Budget is five years old and based on 30% design.
- Expanded ROW acquisitions due to surveyed boundary 31 total acquisition parcels.
- Detailed construction phasing required to accommodate multiple corridor projects
- CSX released construction Invitation for Bid (IFB) on June 26; four construction bids were received on August 28.



Fourth Track Corridor Construction Phasing



Contracting Sequence

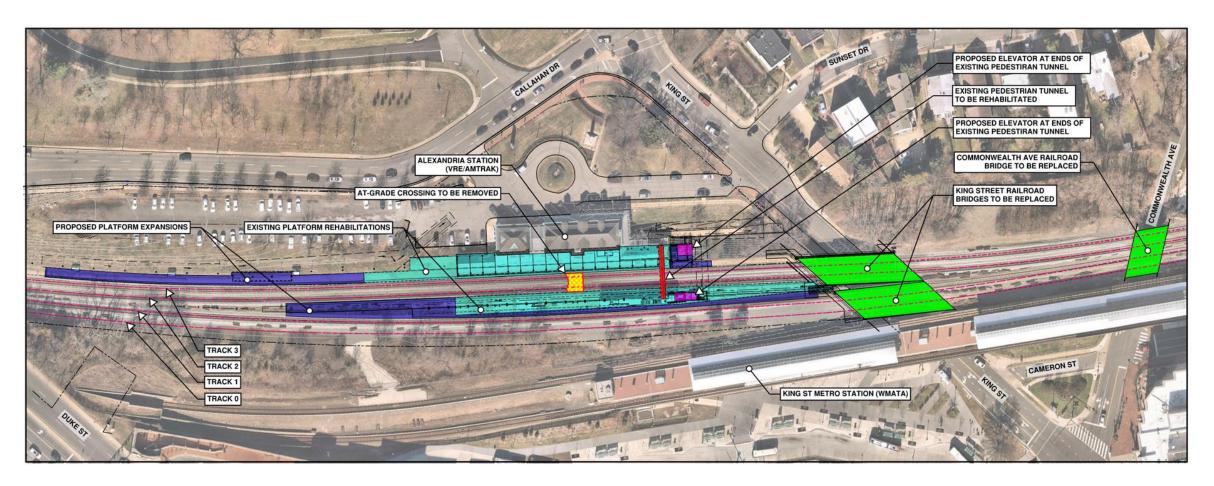




Alexandria Station / Railroad Bridges over King Street & Commonwealth Avenue

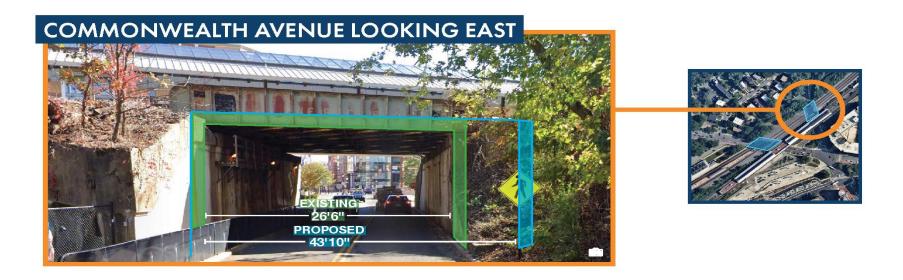


Project Overview Alexandria Station area





King St. & Commonwealth Ave. Bridges Overview



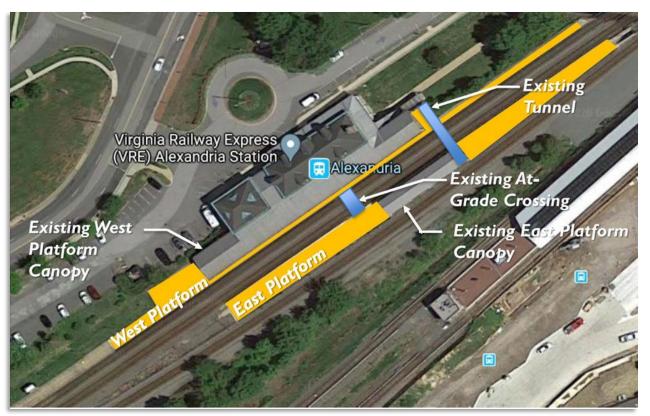




Alexandria Station Improvements Overview

- VRE designed improvements to the existing Alexandria Station
 - Remove At-Grade Pedestrian Crossing
 - Improve Track / Platform Interface
 - Three tracks available for passenger boarding
 - Install elevators to improve ADA accessibility



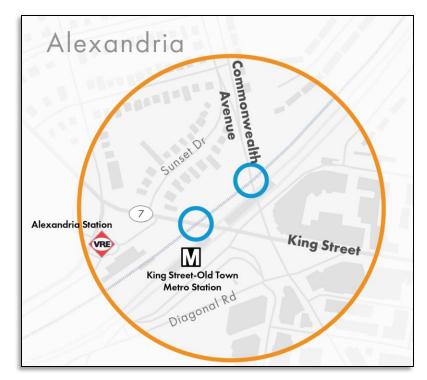






Project Status

	Current Budget	Proposed Budget
Project Cost	\$84.1M	\$97.7M
Change from FY26 Budget		\$13.6M



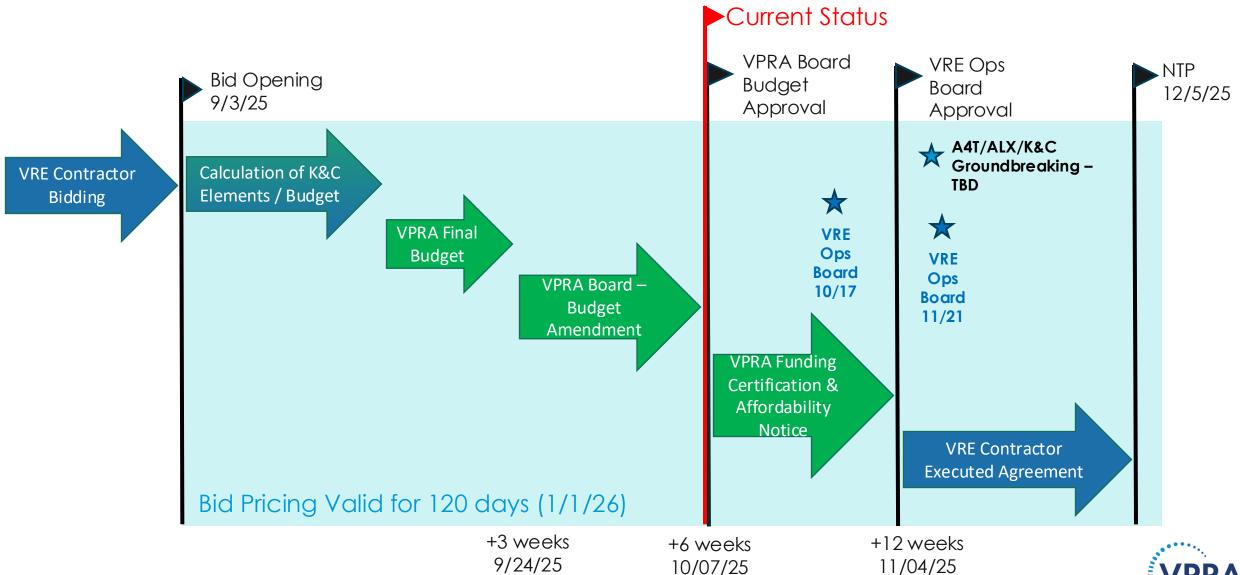


Key Cost Considerations:

- Bridge/station costs allocated per VPRA-VRE Project Coordination and Funding Agreement (December 2024)
- Shared costs with VRE based on percentage of construction bid: construction management, mobilization, erosion and sediment controls
- Construction estimates predate corridor construction phasing plan
- Steel cost increases since initial budget
- VRE released construction Invitation for Bid (IFB) on June 27th;
 four construction bids were opened on September 3rd.



Contracting Sequence



THANK YOU

Questions?

