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New Hampstead/Manchester and Westminster Transit Routes Proceed to Public Hearing

Westminster, MD, Tuesday, June 5, 2018 – The Board of County Commissioners voted (4-1, Commissioner Howard abstaining) to approve a new trailblazer transportation route for the Hampstead/Manchester area and a new bi-directional route for Westminster and approved staff to proceed with public notice for a public hearing.

Deputy Director of Public Works Dave Reese delivered a presentation highlighting new services for the Carroll County Trailblazer system. The new services add a new central transit hub at the Business Employment Resource Center (BERC), new Hampstead/Manchester TrailBlazer Route, new Westminster Bi-Directional Route and new stops on the existing Eldersburg, Taneytown and South Carroll Routes.

Next steps will include a 30-day public comment period, finalization of all stops, installation of new signs and implementation of a marketing campaign communicating the new services. Implementation is expected in August.

The open session discussion will be available for viewing on the [county meeting portal](#), [YouTube channel](#), and the [county Facebook page](#). In addition, all meetings will be replayed on Comcast Channel 24.

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