

July 2020 Notice to 5 G Small Wireless Applicants

Subject: Availability of County-owned Street Light Poles in Pentagon City/Crystal City/Potomac Yard

Arlington's Department of Environmental Services staff has conducted a review of existing and proposed, public and private infrastructure work impacting the public right-of-way in Pentagon City, Crystal City and Potomac Yard. There is currently widespread construction activity in the right-of-way in all three neighborhoods and more County-funded and developer-funded street and utility work that is anticipated through the fall. Given these conditions, the County is enacting a temporary pause in the acceptance and processing of small wireless attachment applications for County-owned street light poles in the above-referenced area through the end of calendar year 2020. Staff will revisit this decision after Jan. 1, 2021. As such, effective immediately, no applications for County-owned light poles in this area will be processed. A web GIS link is provided to illustrate the area being referenced.

Thank you for your understanding and your continued work to advance 5G service in Arlington.