



VATI 2021 Project

7th Webinar

June 3rd, 2022

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Agenda

- Welcome
- Introductions
- VATI and DHCD
- Gilbert Station and Individual Delays
- Questions and Answers



Q&A Function

Throughout today's webinar, please use the Q&A function of Zoom to ask questions. After our presentation we will open up to a question and answer period.



Introductions

- Michael Culp, Director of Broadband Accessibility and Affordability Office (BAAO)
- Jason Inofuentes, Program Manager of BAAO
- Steve Brewer, Director State & Local Government Affairs
- Heather Lee, Public Policy & Implementation
- Deloris Carrol, Director of Regulatory Policy

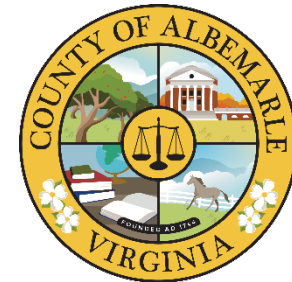


VATI and DHCD

- Virginia Telecommunications Initiative
- Requires partnership between public body and private service provider



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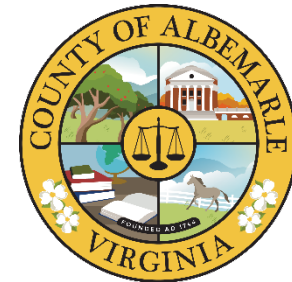


VATI and DHCD

- DHCD has committed \$2.3M state funding towards the VATI 2021 partnership with Lumen
- Ten project areas, involving >1600 new passings



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Gilbert Station and Individual Delays

Gilbert Station:

- Early sign-ups suffered from a process error that delayed initiation of service
- Lumen has resolved that issue and will be working to ensure service initiation will occur shortly
- Anyone that has signed up for service but has experienced a delayed drop date should reach out to us at baao@albemarle.org



Gilbert Station and Individual Delays

Individual delays:

- Three factors impacting service initiation:
 - Equipment (bidirectional drill for crossing under pavement)
 - Locates and timing (Accurate locates are a necessity, and coordinating with different crews to ensure proper timing)
 - Communication challenges (Ensuring that all parties understand where they are in the process)



VATI 2021: Albemarle County

Community Meetings and Q&A
June 3, 2022

Presented by:
Steve Brewer
Heather Lee
Deloris Carroll

VATI 2021: Fiber Product

The Virginia Telecommunication Initiative (VATI) extends broadband service to currently unserved areas.

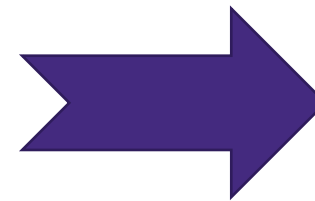
VATI prepares communities to build, utilize, and capitalize on telecommunications infrastructure with the goal of creating strong, competitive communities.

This project was funded/supported in collaboration with the Commonwealth of Virginia Telecommunication Initiative.

Investing in the future and our communities

Enhancing property value

Advantage over cable, 5G, and satellite internet technologies



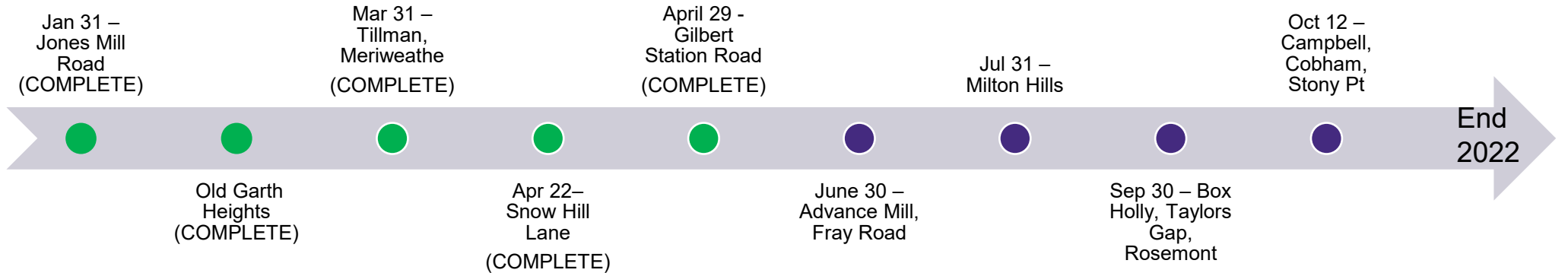
Community Webinars
Fridays at Noon

- 12/3/2021
- 1/7/2022
- 2/4/2022
- 3/4/2022
- 4/1/2022
- 5/6/2022
- 6/3/2022
- 7/1/2022
- 8/5/2022
- 9/1/2022
- 10/7/2022
- 11/4/2022

ABBA CenturyLink VATI 2021 Work Schedule



Calendar Year 2022 Subscriber Install Order Dates



● - COMPLETE

All open dates are estimates and subject to change based on equipment availability and other factors

2021 VATI Locations & Estimated Launch Dates

2022

Jan 31 – Jones Mill Road and Old Garth Heights (COMPLETE)

March 31- Tillman, Meriweather

April 22 - Snow Hill Lane**

April 29 - Gilbert Station Road**

June 30 – Advance Mill, Fray Road**

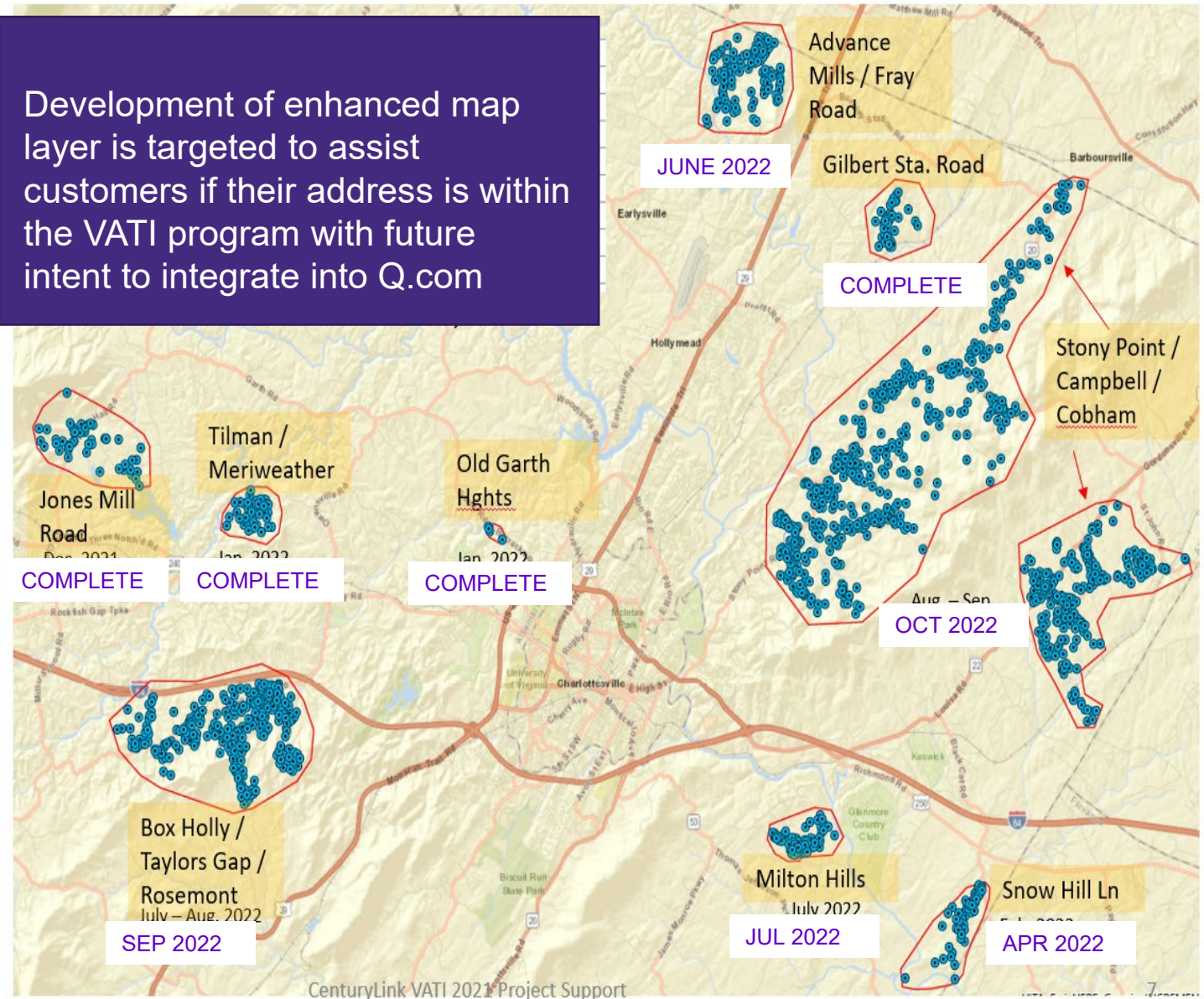
Jul 31 – Milton Hills

Sep 30 – Box Holly, Taylors Gap /Rosemont

Oct 12 – Campbell, Cobham, Stony Pt

Estimated Schedule as of May 2022

Development of enhanced map layer is targeted to assist customers if their address is within the VATI program with future intent to integrate into Q.com



*** When our engineering team designs for a build, things that might affect timelines are taken into consideration. We do our best to plan ahead but surprises still happen. Locally, we've encountered material shortages caused by global supply chain issues, as well as faced delays caused by buried water line locate issues. We're committed to expediting the completion of this project and we appreciate your patience.*



Questions