



**Route 778 (Lowesville Road)  
over Buffalo River  
Amherst County  
Design Public Hearing**

**Tuesday, December 9, 2014, 4-6 p.m.**

*Inclement weather date: Monday, December 15, 2014*  
Temperance Elementary School  
1981 Lowesville Road  
Amherst, VA 24521

**Find out** about the proposed improvements to the Route 778, Lowesville Road Bridge and approaches over Buffalo River in Amherst County. The proposed project begins .086 mile south of Route 617 and ends .075 mile north of Route 617. The bridge will be closed to traffic during construction and a signed detour in place.

**Review** the proposed project plans and the environmental documentation in the form of a Programmatic Categorical Exclusion at the public hearing or at VDOT's Lynchburg District Office located at 4219 Campbell Avenue in Lynchburg, 434-947-6559 or TTY/TDD 711. Please call ahead to ensure the availability of personnel to answer your questions.

Property impact information, relocation assistance policies and tentative construction schedules are available for your review at the above address and will be available at the public hearing.

In compliance with the National Historic Preservation Act, Section 106 and 36 CFR Part 800, information concerning the potential effects of the proposed improvements on properties listed in or eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places are included in the National Environmental Policy Act documentation.

**Give your written or oral comments** at the hearing or submit them by December 19, 2014 (December 25 for inclement weather date) to Brian Casto, Project Manager, Virginia Department of Transportation, 4219 Campbell Ave., Lynchburg, VA 24501. You may also e-mail your comments to [lynchburginfo@VDOT.Virginia.gov](mailto:lynchburginfo@VDOT.Virginia.gov). Please reference "Route 778 Design Public Hearing Comment" in the subject line.

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