

What We Heard from You: Infrastructure

Provide high-quality, efficiently managed and maintained, and properly funded infrastructure to serve existing development, as well as future change and growth.

Public Comment

- Ensure infrastructure sufficiency as the District changes and grows.
- Incorporate climate change adaptation measures.
- Provide safe, lead-free drinking water.
- Minimize sewer overflow discharges.
- Promote the use of green infrastructure.
- Eliminate lead pipes in the District.
- Ensure infrastructure can properly serve new and existing development in all District wards.
- Explore cost-sharing mechanisms for new development.
- Integrate resilience into waterfront development and in other areas with flooding potential.
- Eliminate above-ground power lines.

Agency Input

- Coordinate infrastructure investments with new development to ensure orderly and successful growth.
- Ensure drinking water in the District is safe for District residents, workers and visitors.
- Enhance water management system by implementing recommendations for a more integrated and effective water management system from DC Water's *Blue Horizon 2020 Strategic Plan*.
- Minimize Combined Sewer Overflows (CSO) into local waterways and on local streets, including by continuing the implementation of DC Water's DC Clean Rivers Project.
- Enhance access to digital services on an equitable basis, including through OCTO's Connect DC and DC-NET programs.
- Refine the guidance for smart cities deployments and for District control of digital infrastructure.
- Ensure the District's infrastructure systems are prepared for the effects of a changing climate, including power line undergrounding and use of neighborhood-scale energy systems.

Priorities that Will Shape our City

Build Resilient Infrastructure	Maintain Infrastructure	Ensure Safe Drinking Water	Improve Health of Waterways
Plan for Growth	Coordinate Planning Across Systems	Advocate for Sustainable Systems	Advance Digital Equity