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# **Community Public Meeting Newsletter**

June 13, 2024



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#### **POP-UP EVENTS**

June 15, 2024, 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

- Albemarle Farmers Market
- Towncenter Lane, Charlottesville
- June 15, 9:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m.
- Greene Farmers Market
- ▶ Greene Commons, 40 Celt Rd,
- Stanardsville

June 18, 25, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

- Feeding Greene Pantry Food Distribution
- ► 81 Main Street, Stanardsville
- June 19, 3:00 p.m.- 6:00 p.m.
- Village of Lovingston Farmers Market
- 562 Front Street, Lovingston
- June 26, 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.
- Feeding Greene Pantry Food Distribution
- ▶ 81 Main Street, Stanardsville
- June 29, 11:00 a.m.- 2:00 p.m.
- Healthy Streets/ Healthy People Fair
- Booker T. Washington Park, Charlottesville

The Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission (TJPDC), with support from the City of Charlottesville, and the counties of Albemarle, Fluvanna, Greene, Louisa, and Nelson, was awarded a grant through the U.S. Department of Transportation's Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Discretionary Grant Program. This funding will be used to develop a multi-jurisdictional Comprehensive Safety Action Plan, known as Move Safety Blue Ridge.

The purpose of the SS4A program is to help communities significantly reduce roadwayrelated fatalities and serious injuries.

Move Safely Blue Ridge will be under development through spring 2025, and there will be many opportunities to get involved. Over the next few months, the Move Safely Blue Ridge team will be hosting meetings and events to get feedback on transportation safety issues in our region.

#### **In-person Meetings**

From June 10th to 12th, the Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission (TJPDC) hosted community meetings for Move Safely Blue Ridge across Albemarle, Greene, Fluvanna, Louisa, and Nelson counties, as well as the City of Charlottesville. Attendees at these meetings had the opportunity to share detailed feedback about their safety concerns in the region.

## Join Our Upcoming Virtual Public Meeting!

If you missed our in-person meetings, don't worry! Join the Thomas Jefferson Planning District Commission on June 20, 2024, from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. for an all-virtual public meeting. We want to hear your ideas on making our roads and streets safer for everyone who travels in our region as part of the Move Safely Blue Ridge project.

Register at https://bit.ly/BlueRidgeMeeting.

### Catch Us in the Neighborhood!

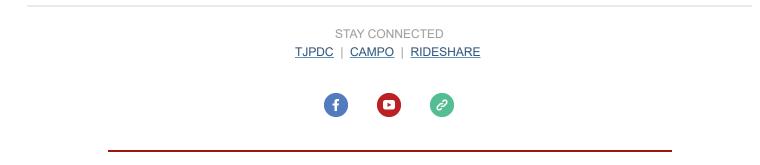
Join us this June as we pop up at community events across the region. Look for us at the Food Pantry in Greene County, the Healthy Streets/Healthy People Fair in Charlottesville, and various Farmers Markets. We'd love to see you, so be sure to stop by and say hello! For any additional pop-up events please be sure to check the website <u>https://movesafelyblueridge.com/</u>.

## **Complete Our Survey**

Share your thoughts on specific transportation safety issues in our area. Survey ends June 30, 2024. <u>https://bit.ly/BlueRidgeSurvey</u>

# Learn More and Get Involved

Sign up for the Move Safely Blue Ridge mailing list, learn more about the process, and see upcoming events at <u>https://movesafelyblueridge.com/</u>.



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