

# **Public Meeting and Call for Comments: Watts Branch Parkway/Hurley Avenue Traffic Diversion**

The City of Rockville has received a petition from residents to install traffic diversion measures at the intersection of Hurley Avenue and Watts Branch Parkway due to the high number of vehicles traveling on Watts Branch Parkway. In response to this request, the city has conducted a traffic study, which confirmed the high number of vehicles traveling southbound on Watts Branch Parkway during weekday morning peak hours. Watts Branch Parkway meets the eligibility requirements for a traffic diversion plan, as outlined in the city's Guidelines for Neighborhood Traffic Management.

The proposed traffic diversion measure to address this issue is to install a "No Left Turn 7 - 9 AM Monday - Friday" sign on Hurley Avenue for traffic coming onto Hurley Avenue from MD 28. The measure would prohibit the left turns onto Watts Branch Parkway during weekday morning peak hours.

A public meeting to discuss this proposal will be held at **7 p.m. Wednesday, May 30**, at Fallsmead Elementary School, 1800 Greenplace Terrace.

The city will accept public comments on the proposed "No Left Turn 7 - 9 AM Monday - Friday" sign **through Friday, June 22**.

If you have questions about this proposal, cannot attend the meeting, and/or would like to submit comments, please contact Oleg Kotov, Senior Transportation Planner, at 240-314-8527 or [okotov@rockvillemd.gov](mailto:okotov@rockvillemd.gov).

