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Route 29 Business Corridor 2023 Review

A targeted clean-up effort along the Route 29 Business Corridor began mid-September after a Route 29 Business Corridor Liaison-Ground Technician was added to County Staff as part of the 2024 Fiscal Year. The employee is part of the Public Works Department and works alongside other members of that team as well as the Route 29 Business Beautification Committee to improve the appearance of the Route 29 Business Corridor and connecting routes in Madison Heights. The new position was filled in July 2023, and the employee finished their required Virginia Department of Transportation safety training in early September.

Since September, over 53,100 pounds of refuse, dirt, and litter have been removed from the ground near stop lights, medians, and roadsides in the Route 29 Business Corridor. The team has also cut grass, cleared out overgrown brush, and pulled weeds. Follow #CleanUpThe29BCorridor on Instagram and Facebook for more photos.







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