

# Arlington County Transportation Commission Meeting

## Arlington Career Center Vacation of a Portion of South Walter Reed Drive 816 S. Walter Reed Dr.

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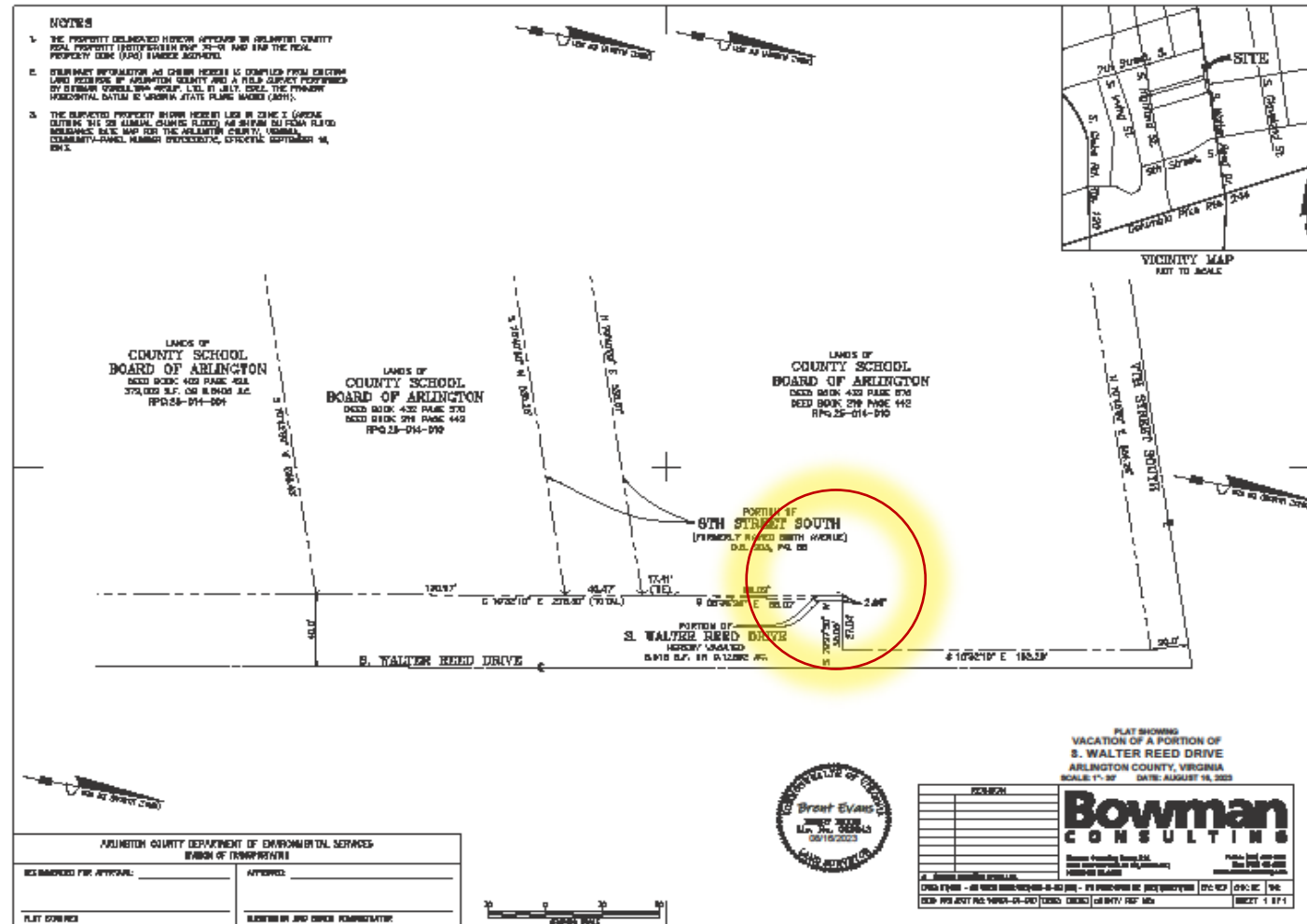
- Request by Arlington Public Schools to facilitate construction of the new Arlington Career Center approved in June
  - Not sufficient time to advertise this vacation for June meeting
- Will facilitate construction of the ACC building
- Originally dedicated in 1923 as 'Bingham Road', later renamed 'South Fillmore Street' and eventually 'South Walter Reed Drive'

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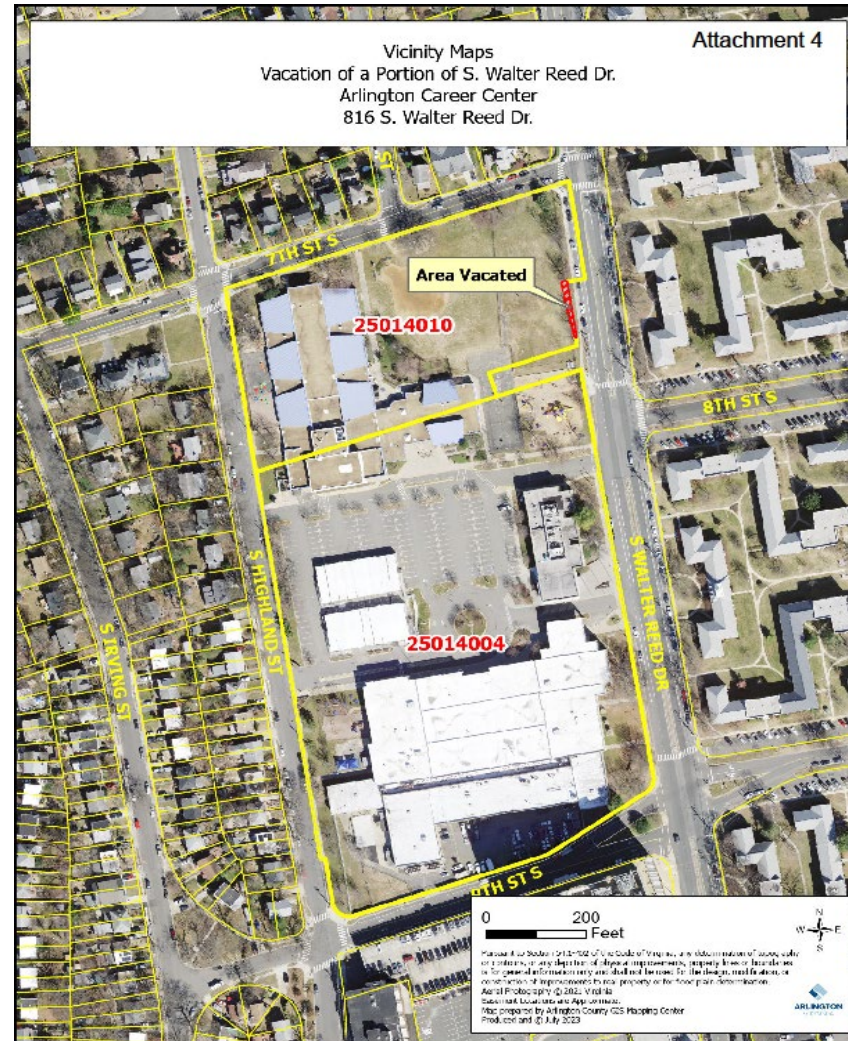
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- The portion of South Walter Reed Drive located adjacent to the Career Center is designated as a **Type C Arterial-Street** on the Master Transportation Plan
- Area to be vacated
  - Currently grassy area behind the sidewalk
  - Not being used for street, sidewalk or utility purposes
- As part of the project, additional area will be dedicated for public street and utilities purposes, including the area that extends out towards the street

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## **Recommendation to the Transportation Commission:**

Find that the proposed vacation of a portion of South Walter Reed Drive adjacent to Lots 94 and 95, Arlington Plateau (originally Bingham Road and South Fillmore Street, located between 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Streets South), is consistent with the Master Transportation Plan.