

# Hearing Loop List

# Virginia

USA

The following locations have hearing loop(s) at their service desks and/or in their meeting rooms, classrooms, theaters, auditoriums, and worship areas.

#### Abingdon

• The Barter 1 & 2 Theatres

#### Alexandria

- Agudas Achim Congregation
- Amtrak Station Alexandria, VA
- Wegmans Alexandria
- Wegmans Carlyle

#### Arlington

• UVA-Darden DC Metro at Sands Family Grounds

#### Ashburn

Ashby Ponds

#### Chantilly

• Wegmans - Chantilly

# Charlottesville

- Amtrak Station Charlottesville, VA
- Church of the Incarnation
- Evolution Hearing, Dr. Kristin Koch
- First Presbyterian Church, Charlottesville
- First United Methodist Church
- Holy Comforter Catholic Church
- Immanuel Lutheran Church
- Meadows Presbyterian Church
- New Senior Center at Belvedere
- Rivanna Hearing Aid Center
- St. Paul's Memorial Church (Episcopal)
- Trinity Presbyterian Church
- University Village
- UVA-Bavaro Hall-School of Education
- UVA-Darden School of Business
- UVA-Department of Student Health and Wellness
- UVA-Drama Building
- UVA-Gilmer Hall

- UVA-Miller Center
- UVA-Newcomb Hall
- UVA-Old Cabell Hall
- UVA-Ridley Hall/School of Education and Human Development
- UVA-Rotunda
- UVA-Sheila C. Johnson Center
- Wegmans Charlottesville
- Wesley Memorial Methodist Church
- Westminster Canterbury of the Blue Ridge
- Westminster Presbyterian Church

#### **Church View**

Hermitage Baptist Church

#### Danville

• Danny W. Gnewikow, Ph.D., LLC

#### **Drakes Branch**

• Drakes Branch Baptist Church

#### Fairfax

- Jewish Community Center of Northern Virginia
- No. Va. Resource for Deaf and Hard of Hearing
- Wegmans Fairfax

#### Fredericksburg

- Elevate Hearing Aid Center, Kim Sorrell
- New City Fellowship Church
- Wegmans Fredericksburg

#### Gainesville

• Wegmans - Lake Manassas

# **Glen Allen**

• Saint Michael the Archangel Catholic Church

#### Gloucester

• St. Therese Catholic Church

# Hardy

 Booker T Washington National Monument

#### Henrico

• Wegmans - Short Pump

#### Herndon

• Trinity Presbyterian Church

#### Lake Ridge

• Westminster at Lake Ridge

#### Leesburg

- Loudoun County Government Center
- Wegmans Leesburg

#### Linville

Lindale Mennonite Church

#### Lorton

- Amtrak Station Lorton, VA
- Pohick Episcopal Church

#### Lynchburg

- Amtrak Station Lynchburg, VA
- Audiology Hearing Aid Associates, Inc.

#### McLean

- Lewinsville Presbyterian Church
- Wegmans Tysons

#### Midlothian

- Brandermill Woods Retirement
   Community
- Richmond Hearing Doctors
- Wegmans Midlothian

#### Newport News

- Amtrak Station Newport News, VA
  Norfolk
- Amtrak Station Norfolk, VA
- Chrysler Hall
- Chrysler Museum of Art

- VA Oncology Assoc.
- Virginia Stage Company
- Wells Theatre

#### North Chesterfield

• St. Edward The Confessor Catholic Church

#### Oakton

Service Source

#### Powhatan

Muddy Creek Baptist Church

# Reston

- Professional Hearing Aid Service
- Wegmans Reston

# Richmond

- Bon Air Presbyterian Church
- Cathedral of the Sacred Heart
- Cathedral of The Sacred Heart
- Cedar Street Memorial Baptist
   Church
- First Mennonite Church
- First Unitarian Universalist Church
- Lakewood Retirement Community
- Richmond Hearing Doctors
- Richmond's First Baptist Church
- Sara Belle And Neil November Theatre
- Second Baptist Church
- VCU Medical Ctr, Audiology Dept
- Virginia Repertory Theatre
- Westminster Canterbury Richmond Retirement Community

#### Scottsville

• Fluvanna Baptist Church

# Springfield

- Greenspring Senior Living Community-Chapel
- Greenspring Senior Living Community-Greenspring Theater & Accotink Room, Village Square

#### Staunton

• Staunton Public Library

# Sterling

• Wegmans - Dulles

#### Vansant

• Community Arts Mainstage (CAM)

# Verona

• Laurel Hill Baptist Church

#### Vienna

• Wolf Trap National Park for the Performing Arts

# Virginia Beach

- Baylake United Methodist Church
- Bayside Area & Special Services
   Library
- First Presbyterian Church
- Galilee Episcopal Church
- Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
- Sandler Center for the Performing Arts
- Virginia Oncology
- Virginia United Methodist Church
- Wegmans Virginia Beach

# Warrenton

- The Fauquier Community Theatre
- Theater on the Green at Vint Hill
- Warrenton United Methodist Church

# Waynesboro

• St. John the EvangeliSt. Catholic Church

# Weems

Campbell Memorial Presbyterian
 Church

# Williamsburg

- Amtrak Station Williamsburg, VA
- Bruton Parish Church
- James City County Library
- Saint Bede Catholic Church
- Saint Olaf Catholic Church
- Stryker Center Library
- Williams & Mary, Kaplan Arena-Osher Lifelong Learning Institute
- Williamsburg Library
- Williamsburg Players Inc
- Williamsburg Presbyterian Church
- Williamsburg VFW

# Woodbridge

• Wegmans - Potomac

# Help us raise public awareness for hearing loops

Provide a Google Maps online review and/or photo after using a hearing loop at a specific location.

5 Actions (2-page handout): <u>Promote Hearing Loops on Google Maps</u> Reviews (1-page handout): <u>Write a Review of Hearing Loops in Google Maps</u> Photos (2-page handout): <u>Contributing Hearing Loop Photos in Google Maps</u> Google Maps Info (webpage): <u>Google Maps</u> Google Reviews (webpage): <u>Google Reviews</u> Video (1-minute): <u>How to Find Hearing Loops in Google Maps</u>

# About Assistive Listening Systems (ALS)

If a location does not have a hearing loop, they should have a FM or IR system. Under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), the following places (employment, state and local government, businesses, and nonprofit organizations) are required to have an assistive listening system, either a hearing loop, FM system, or infrared system:

1. In ALL indoor or outdoor areas or rooms, with a public address system.

2. In all Courtrooms

3. Where Effective Communication is needed, such as service counters, rooms without public address systems, etc. Places of worship are commonly exempted under the ADA, but depends on activities, funding sources, and state or local building codes or regulations. For full inclusion, many places of worship wonderfully choose to have an ALS.

See a list of the Types of Places REQUIRED to Have Assistive Listening Systems (webpage)

Hearing Loops are the gold standard for assistive listening systems and are strongly preferred by users. Hearing loops are the easiest to use – just click a button on the hearing aid or cochlear implant to instantly connect to the room's PA system. No equipment to borrow. Discrete.

# To learn more

# Center for Hearing Access (CHA) www.hearingloop.org

Founded in 2024, the nonprofit Center for Hearing Access is a national advocacy and education initiative of The John G. Shedd Institute for the Arts in Eugene, OR. We champion and educate users, sites, hearing instrument specialists, and audiologists about ADAcompliant assistive listening systems and other strategies to increase access to theaters, libraries, conferences, government offices, courtrooms, and other public and private spaces. Effective hearing access can be life-changing for people with hearing loss to maintain community engagement. We create and provide advocacy materials, ADA information, a speaker's bureau, videos, templates for users and operators, articles, and vendor lists.

# Hearing Loss Association of America (HLAA) www.hearingloss.org

HLAA Get in the Hearing Loop Program information and advocacy tools.

For hearing loop updates and revisions, email <u>info@hearingloop.org</u> or use the online form:

# hearingloss.org/HearingLoopLocations

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124 Total locations with hearing loops





