

2019 Street and Utility Improvement Project New Prague, Minnesota

Project Update



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This letter is being sent to inform you of the progress of construction activity on the above-referenced project.

Finally a break in the repetitive rains! The contractor and their subcontractor have been able to work on placement of the new concrete curbs. This work will continue in the areas where select curb sections have been removed and prepared for concrete placement. As we have seen, the schedule for placement of the new curb has been hampered by the weather.

Reminder: If the curb is removed from the end of your drive, then you should anticipate that within about a week of the curb removal, the curb will be replaced. At that time you will NOT be able to get in or out of your drive and you should make arrangements to park in the street. NOTE: New concrete needs about 6 days to cure before it can be driven on.

County Road 37 (East of Columbus): Over the next few weeks, the proposed work along County Road 37 is expected to include select curb removals, storm sewer repairs, and concrete curb replacement, followed by grading of the gravel base in anticipation of paving of the first lift of blacktop on County Road 37 around the week of June 24th.

Local Streets: Over the next few weeks, select curb removal and replacement work will continue on the local streets which have yet to be worked on. Once the curb has been removed and replaced, the contractor will follow up with patching along the curb and restoration of black dirt and seeding behind those curb locations. Afterwards you may not see much activity until tentatively the week of June 24th when the streets are prepared for overlay paving. At that time, the area along the curb will be milled and the roadway surface will be undersealed prior to the overlay paving, which is tentatively expected to take place late the week of June 24th or early the week of July 1st (as always, schedules are weather dependent).

NOTE: If you are hosting a Graduation Party or other events, please contact us with that information. Where reasonable, we will do our best to accommodate your events.

Weekly Progress Meetings for this project are held every Thursday at 1:00 p.m. at City Hall. You are welcome to attend these meetings at any time during the course of the project as your schedule allows. Your attendance is not required but is more than welcome. **We encourage everyone to “save a stamp” and receive future Project Updates quicker by e-mail. Please send your name, street address, and e-mail address to Julie Brinkman at jbrinkman@sehinc.com.**

If you have any question or concerns, feel free to contact me.

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