



Construction Newsletter

September 21, 2018

The watermain work has been proceeding and the Contractor has begun curb removals along the project. The rain this week has caused some delays in the work progress. Most notably the watermain crossing at Australian Avenue was not completed on Tuesday of this week due to the forecasted rain. That work has been rescheduled for **Monday, September 24th**. On that day **the road will be fully closed at the intersection of Australian Avenue and Lake Shore**. Advanced noticing signs have been installed to inform travelers of the closure. All traffic to the south of the excavation will need to utilize Demont Avenue for access and all traffic north of the excavation will need to utilize Little Canada Road/County Road C for access on that day.

Schedule

The Contractor anticipates having all watermain work completed on Monday or Tuesday of next week. The concrete Contractor will begin pouring concrete curb in the areas where it has been removed on Monday as well. Please stay off of the new concrete for 5 days to allow it to gain the strength sufficient for it to support the weight of a vehicle without damage. The Contractor will continue with curb removals next week and possibly the restoration of boulevard areas behind the replaced curb late in the week. At this time a specific date is not known for the milling and paving of the street but that information will be provided in a future newsletter.

Watermain Service Impacts

The last anticipated water shut off will be this Monday and will affect properties between Australian Avenue and Little Canada Road. The properties affected will receive a delivered notice.

If you do not receive a shut-off notice we do not expect your water service to be interrupted. There is a small chance that the City would need to shut the watermain down unexpectedly if something unforeseen occurs while the Contractor is working around the live watermain. We will not be able to provide notice of this type of shut down, but as previously stated it would only be required if something unanticipated occurs.

We urge you to use caution around the work site during the construction. Large and small construction equipment will be working in the area during the street improvements and it can be a powerful draw to curious children. Your assistance in reminding children to stay clear of construction equipment is helpful in maintaining a safe environment. Your patience and cooperation during this construction is appreciated.

Questions

Property Owners with questions about the project should call Elfering & Associates representatives – Lee Elfering, City Engineer, at (763) 780-0450 Ext. 3, or Lyle Splittstoser, Inspector, at (651) 587-9209 for construction related questions or concerns.

