



CITY of CRYSTAL

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2020 Utility Reconstruction May 20, 2020

Construction Updates and Schedule

Please keep in mind that the construction schedule may change due to a variety of factors including weather and subsurface conditions. The contractor will make an effort to notify properties with utility or driveway access restrictions.

Jersey Avenue – Construction is expected to begin on **Tuesday, May 26**. The existing blacktop surface and concrete curb and gutter will be removed. Sanitary sewer and water main construction will begin shortly thereafter.

Construction on Jersey Avenue is expected to last approximately three months.

Kentucky Avenue – A construction start date has not yet been determined. Residents will be notified before construction is expected to begin.

Construction on Kentucky Avenue is expected to last approximately three months.

Trash and Recycling Pickup

Trash and recycling pickup will continue throughout construction on the normal collection day. When construction is taking place on your street, please continue to place receptacles at the end of your

driveway as normal. As needed, Northdale Construction will pickup the receptacles, place in a common location outside of the construction limits and return them to the end of each driveway following collection.

It is requested that each resident label their receptacles with their address to assist Northdale in returning the carts to the right home.

When construction is not taking place on your street, trash and recycling pickup will continue to be from the end of your driveway as normal.

Mail Pickup

Mail pickup will continue as normal throughout construction. Residents may continue to place outgoing mail in their mailbox for pickup.

Utility Service and Driveway Access

Efforts will be made to maintain active utility services and access to each driveway during construction. However, there will be times when this is not possible (i.e. sewer construction, water main construction, preparation and paving of curb and gutter, etc). Impacted residents will be notified via door hanger the day before restrictions will be in effect. Please make sure to routinely check your main door for door hanger updates.

Private Utilities

CenterPoint Energy – The crews completed the installation of new gas and services.

No other private utility work will occur with the project.

Sanitary Sewer Service Lining Program

The deadline has passed for residents to express interest in participating in the project. For those that received the agreements, the deadline to return them is **Friday, May 29**. Please note that due to planning and construction coordination, this date will not be extended.

Communications

Comments or Questions? Please contact us (please include your address)

Spencer Szymonowicz (SEH)
at 952-449-1417

Or

Mick Cyert (City of Crystal) at
763-531-1161 or
2020recon@crystalmn.gov

Construction Updates

Construction update newsletters will be mailed to properties in the street reconstruction area throughout the course of the project. Electronic PDF copies of these updates will also be available on Crystal's website at

https://www.crystalmn.gov/our-city/public_works_projects

Written correspondence

You can put project-related written correspondence in the utility payment mailbox located outside city hall or mail it to City Hall.

ACTION ITEMS

- Label your trash, recycling, and yard waste carts with your address using a sharpie
- For those that received sanitary sewer lining agreements, please sign and return them by Friday, May 29th
- Remind children of the importance of staying away from construction activities and equipment.

Important Reminders

Emergencies: If you have an **emergency situation** regarding the street reconstruction project after working hours, please call 911.

Construction Safety: Please remind your children to stay **as far as possible** from all construction activities and equipment. **Construction safety is our utmost concern and your cooperation is imperative.** Construction activities are extremely dangerous and we do not want any mishaps.

Survey Stakes and Utility Flags: Surveyor stakes and colored utility flags will continue to be placed along streets throughout the project. They are hard to miss because they have a colored ribbon or flags tied to them. These stakes and flags guide the contractors operations. **Please do not tamper with these stakes in any way. These must remain in place until the sod is placed in front of your home.**

Yard Parties: Please let us know now of any large events you have planned at your home during the spring, summer, and fall. These events include, but might not be limited to, large yard parties for graduations or wedding receptions.
