

April 10, 2020

- PHASE I: Liberty St. (E. Kent to Scott)
- PHASE II: Lamson St. (E. Kent to Jenne) / Taylor St. (Lamson to Jenne)
- PHASE III: E. Kent St. (Degroff to Jenne) / E. South St. (E. Kent to Park)

## NOTICE OF STREET RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT



On Monday, April 13, 2020, a project to reconstruct Liberty St. (E. Kent to Scott), Lamson St. (E. Kent to Jenne), Taylor St. (Lamson to Jenne), E. Kent St. (Degroff to Jenne), and E. South St. (E. Kent to Park) is scheduled to begin. The project will include water main replacement (including water services to the shut-off near the sidewalk), city sanitary sewer replacement, storm water drainage improvements, and street reconstruction. The street portion of the project will include removal of the existing surface, installation of a sand and gravel road base, and application of new pavement. The existing curb, gutter,

and driveway approaches in the project area will also be replaced as part of the work. The contractor for the project is E.T. Mackenzie, Co., of Grand Ledge, MI.

**As with any construction project, there will be increased construction traffic, noise, dust, and inconveniences. We ask you to be understanding as we work towards completing this important project, and thank you very much for your cooperation and patience!**

While many portions of each street project will happen simultaneously, a large portion of active construction will happen on one street at a time, beginning with Liberty Street, then Lamson and Taylor Streets, and finally E. Kent and E. South Streets. Please note E. South and Taylor are full street reconstructions and minor concrete repairs, but will not include infrastructure replacement.

Beginning April 10, crews will be on site delivering materials and preparing street closures on Liberty St. The contractor intends to start work on Monday, April 13 and will work daily, Monday through Friday (weather permitting). Please understand this is a **tentative** schedule and will be subject to change.

**Why is the schedule 'tentative'?** Weather conditions, especially rain, can impact the start and/or completion of the construction project. The City will provide updates via, [www.cityofgrandledge.com/construction](http://www.cityofgrandledge.com/construction) and to your email, if you have provided one.

## TENTATIVE CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE IS APRIL 13 – OCTOBER 1, 2020

	APRIL	MAY - WEEK OF:	JUN - WEEK OF:	JUL - WEEK OF:	AUG - WEEK OF:	SEP - WEEK OF:
PHASE I: LIBERTY	TENTATIVE PROJECT DATES: WEEK OF APRIL 13 - AUGUST 1, 2020					
PHASE II: LAMSON & TAYLOR		TENTATIVE PROJECT DATES: WEEK OF MAY 4 - SEPTEMBER 1, 2020				
PHASE III: E. KENT & E. SOUTH			TENTATIVE PROJECT DATES: WEEK OF JUNE 1 - OCTOBER 1, 2020			

### LIBERTY STREET

Week of April 13:

- Street milling and removal, sanitary sewer replacement.

Week of May 4 – Week of May 18:

- Watermain installation, testing, connections.

**STREET AND DRIVEWAY ACCESS:** Streets within the project area will be closed to all through traffic, but remain open to residents only. Residents in the project area will have normal driveway access during project construction, with interruptions as follows:

- Minor interruptions as crews complete milling and/or paving in front of their home. Residents will need to move any vehicles out of the project area prior to paving.
- Crews need to form and pour new concrete driveway approaches, and curb. New concrete requires up to ten days to properly cure and cannot be driven on by vehicles during this period. During that time, residents will be required to park either on the street or on adjacent streets.

**WATER SERVICE:** Residents should expect periods when water service will be interrupted. These interruptions are scheduled and residents will be notified in advance. We ask residents to understand there may be unanticipated interruptions caused by emergency situations. The City will work with the contractor to keep these shut-offs to a minimum, and keep you informed accordingly.

**TRASH COLLECTION:** Scheduled trash pick-up will occur on a normal basis and trash bins should be placed on the curb as usual. Should the street be impassable at the time, the contractor will transport trash bins to an adjacent area outside of the construction zone for pick-up. We ask that residents label their trash cans with their address to ensure the trash bin is returned to the correct home. This can be done with tape and a marker. Trash pick-up companies have been notified of the construction.

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The City advises all pedestrians and vehicles to use caution while navigating around construction. If you have special circumstances, we should be aware of, please contact the Public Services Department at 517-627-2149.

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Functioning critical infrastructure is imperative during response to the COVID-19 emergency for both public health and safety, as well as community well-being. The age and condition of the water and sewer systems in this project area deem this project critical. We ask for your patience and understanding during this time as we recognize that many in this area are home during the day or have additional family members home. Please look for project updates on our website at [www.cityofgrandledge.com/construction](http://www.cityofgrandledge.com/construction). Thank you for your patience as we work through this street improvement project.