2023 Street and Utility Improvement Project New Prague, Minnesota

Project Update



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

Holtmeier Construction has begun mobilizing equipment and installing temporary water main along Sunrise Avenue N and 3rd Street NE this week. After testing the temporary water main, water services will then be connected to adjacent house. Private gas main relocation by Michels has also been occurring throughout the project area.

Next week, the contractor intends to complete connection of temporary water services on Monday and begin removals of pavement on 3rd Street NE. Access to driveways will be difficult starting on Tuesday morning for the next few weeks as the pavement will be removed along with curb and concrete driveways. The contractor will likely complete all utility work east of Rising Moon Alley by the end of next week, with street crews starting the following week.

It should be anticipated that access to driveways on Sunrise Avenue N will become difficult starting the week of April 24th as pavement removals will begin. Utility reconstruction on this street is more involved and includes sanitary sewer main, water main, and storm sewer.

If you have plans to replace driveways, water service, and/or sewer services up to your house, please contact me to discuss. There may be some coordination we can assist with, especially if any relocation is needed. If you have access to alleys, we suggest you utilize them for parking starting that week.

This is also the time to remind everyone that anything within the public right-of-way could be in jeopardy of being damaged and/or removed. This includes landscaping, irrigation or pet containment systems, etc. Locating them and marking them in and near the right-of-way is the property owner's responsibility. It would be helpful for those of you who have irrigation or pet containment systems to contact me so that we are made aware of them. Any damage to those systems because of failure to locate and mark them will be the property owner's responsibility.

To continue receiving project updates, please email your name, property address, and email address to Julie Brinkman at jbrinkman@sehinc.com.

OR

Receive Notices by Text Message by texting NP2023 to the number 833.709.1208.

If you do not have access to email or text messaging and need to have hard copy updates mailed to you, please contact City Hall at 952.758.4401 and provide your name and address for future mailings.

If you have any questions or concerns, either now or as the project progresses, feel free to contact me or City Engineer/Project Manager Chris Knutson.

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