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Project Update: Week of August 20th, 2018

For the week of August 20th the construction project continued with work on the intersection of Penn Avenue and 82nd Street.

Trenchless storm sewer is being constructed along 82nd St into Penn Ave that allows north and southbound traffic to flow on Penn Ave during construction. The intersection of Knox Ave and American Blvd will have trenchless utilities installed, pavement removed, underground utilities replaced, and the pavement restored. Tree removals were completed throughout the project site the week of August 13th. You will start to see more materials hauled into the construction staging area as preparation is underway for the rest of the project.

The lane restrictions currently in place on Penn Ave will continue through September and possibly into October. On August 27th, Knox Ave will be closed between American Blvd and W 81st St, keeping both intersections open to traffic. This closure will last until mid-November. The existing pavement on Knox Ave will be removed during the week of August 27th, between American Blvd and 200 feet south of 81st St, leaving a gravel driving surface at the intersection of Knox Ave and 81st St.

Advanced warning signs will be placed on the nearby streets one week ahead of any work.

Please see the map below:

