



# 19<sup>th</sup> Ave Path Improvements Project Newsletter

June 5, 2024

#### Construction schedule:

Start: June 17, 2024 Finish: August 2024

City of Willmar 333 6<sup>th</sup> Street SW Willmar, MN 56201

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The City of Willmar is undertaking a construction project to reconstruct and upgrade the existing concrete sidewalk to a 10' bituminous multi-use trail with ADA improvements along the south of side of 19<sup>th</sup> Ave from 15<sup>th</sup> St SW to 1<sup>st</sup> S and along the north side of 19<sup>th</sup> Ave from 1<sup>st</sup> St to 5<sup>th</sup> St SE. (see location map on back page)



The following is a tentative schedule for the construction in each of the project areas:

#### **All Phases**

 Trees marked by a pink ribbon/paint will be removed during the week of June 17<sup>th</sup>.

# Phase 1 (15th St SW to 9th St SW):

- Sidewalk removal and trail reconstruction will start June 24<sup>th</sup>.
- Anticipated completion date is Mid-July

## Phase 2 (9th St SW to 1st St):

- Sidewalk removal and trail reconstruction will start Early-July.
- · Anticipated completion date is Late-July

# Phase 3 (1st St to 5th St SE):

- Sidewalk removal and trail reconstruction will start Mid-July.
- Anticipated completion date is Early-August.

Driveway access to businesses and residences will be maintained to the greatest extents possible throughout the project. Additional notices similar to this one will be sent out as construction progresses. If construction is delayed due to inclement weather, assume it will proceed the following day.

## Sprinkler Systems/Dog Fences and Tree Removal

Trees located within the project area that need to be removed to accommodate the proposed trail have been marked with Pink ribbon/paint. Property owners can contact Dylan Idso if there are questions about the trees. We also request sprinkler systems, underground dog fence systems, and any other private improvements withing the public right-of-way be marked by the property owners so the contractor can attempt to avoid them during construction. In some instances, these items will need to be relocated.

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## **Project Area**



## **Work Area**

It is very common on these types of projects that area residents (especially children) become quite curious about the work the Contractor is performing. We ask that you please be respectful of and stay well clear of construction zones. Many hazards and dangers exist from heavy machinery, trenches, loose material, confined spaces, hot asphalt, etc. and often times are not recognizable by the general public. The Contractor has responsibility to ensure safety on the project and within the construction area.



Moving forward, all project updates will be provided electronically on the City of Willmar's Construction Project Website, <a href="www.WillmarConstruction.com">www.WillmarConstruction.com</a>. Please sign up for email and text message updates on the project website. We encourage you to watch the "What to Expect During Construction" video located on the project website for more information on what to expect during the construction process. If special access accommodations are needed or if you have questions or concerns at any time, please contact any of the people listed on the left side of the front of this newsletter. Thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation with this improvement project.



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