

19th Ave Path Improvements Project Newsletter

August 9, 2024

Construction schedule:

Start: June 17, 2024

Finish: August 2024

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Overview

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 side of 19th Ave from 15th St SW to 1st S and along the north side of 19th Ave from 1st St to 5th St SE. (see location map on back page)

Project Timeline

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

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

- All concrete and bituminous paving has been completed.
- Topsoil, final grading and turf establishment is planned to be completed in the next several weeks, followed by sign installation and pavement markings.

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

- All concrete and bituminous paving has been completed.
- Topsoil, final grading and turf establishment is planned to be completed in the next several weeks, followed by sign installation and pavement markings.

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

- Concrete paving and trail paving has been largely completed.
- Remaining patching is planned to be completed in the next week.
- Topsoil, final grading and turf establishment is planned to be completed in the next several weeks, followed by sign installation and pavement markings.

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

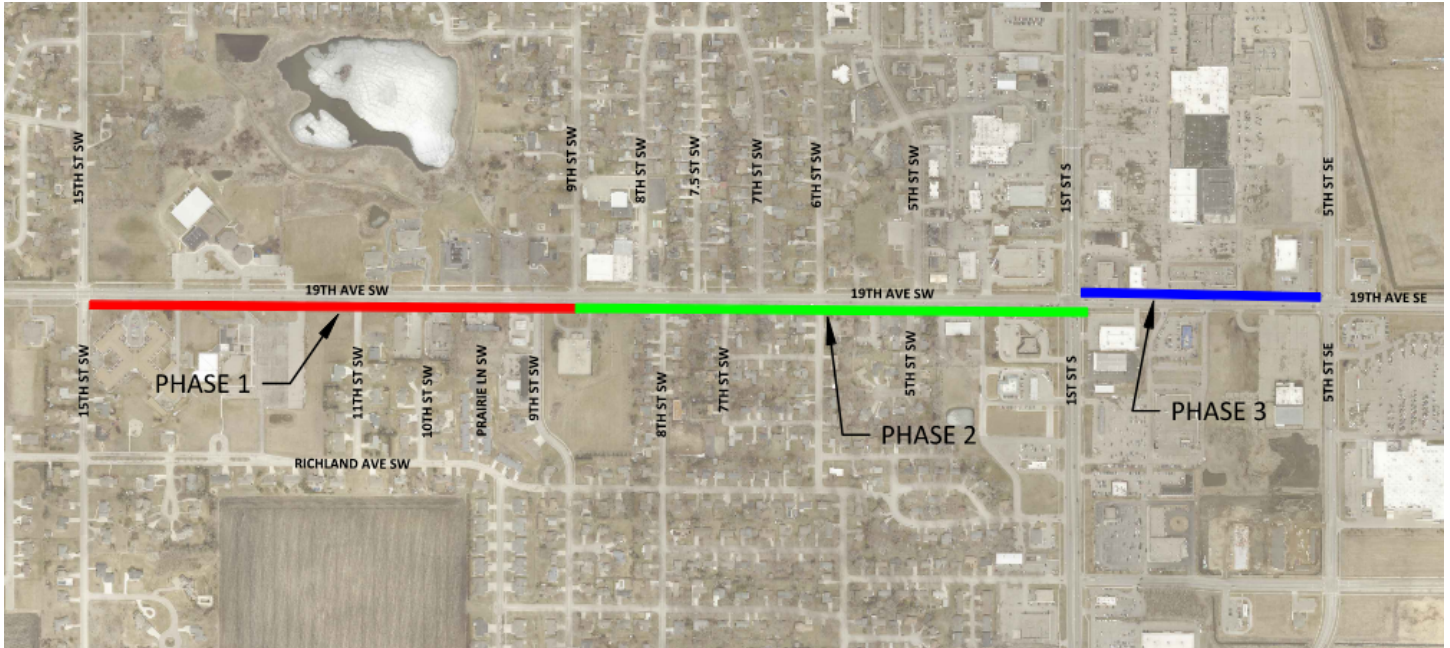
We also request sprinkler systems, underground dog fence systems, and any other private improvements within the public right-of-way be marked by the property owners so the contractor can attempt to avoid them during construction. In some instances, these items will need to be relocated.

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Construction

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.



Contacts

Moving forward, all project updates will be provided electronically on the City of Willmar's Construction Project Website, www.WillmarConstruction.com. 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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