

Construction Update
Montpelier Transportation Projects

Project Location: State Street, Main Street, and VT 12 – Elm Street - Work to include milling, paving, manhole and drainage structure adjustments and extensive sidewalk improvements. VT 12-Northfield Street - new water, sewer, storm water improvements, sidewalks and a stabilized road base.

Paving Project - For the remainder of July, the nightly work plan is to work at the Main Street Roundabout until midnight and then move to sidewalk replacement work after midnight. This will include hammering out the sidewalk after midnight in all locations, except for the section in front of the Capitol Plaza. Concrete will be poured each morning, weather permitting.

Northfield Street – Motorists are strongly encouraged to seek alternative routes using Derby Drive or Dog River Road during construction. Traffic delays of up to 10 minutes can be expected on Northfield Street.

Week of July 10th, 2017

Night Work -

Main Street Roundabout Improvements (5:00 pm to 12:00 am)

Crews are scheduled to start construction to improve the sidewalk, curbing and approach islands at the Main Street Roundabout. Work will consist of removing and resetting the concrete approach islands and removing the old pavement and repaving the center island. Sidewalk and curbing between Spring Street and Main Street also will be removed and replaced. Final paving will follow completion of the curbing and sidewalk improvements. Duration of this work is expected to extend through the end of July.

Removal of the sidewalk, approach islands and structure adjustment will require the use of jackhammers and saws. An excavator will be used for most all other work.

Roundabout Detour – During active construction at the Roundabout, traffic will be directed to an alternate route marked with signs.

- Main St [north / south] - Passenger vehicles will be directed to use School Street and Loomis Street.
- Trucks (tractor units) will not be directed to use the School Street/Loomis Street detour to access County Road and/or Main Street. They will be held at the roundabout until equipment is cleared and then directed through.
- Trucks (tractor units) on Main Street wanting to access VT 12/Elm Street will be directed to use School Street to Elm Street.
- Local traffic will have access to all businesses and/or residents between School Street and the roundabout while the detour is in use.

Sidewalk Replacement Work (7:00 pm to 11:00 am)

As part of this paving project, the City of Montpelier has identified and marked various sidewalk panels for replacement along State Street and Main Street. Some of the sidewalk near the crosswalk ramps has been replaced prior to final paving. This work will start this week and is estimated to extend through early August.

This week, crews will start replacing the various marked sidewalk panels in the following locations:

- Main Street - NECI to TD Bank (State Street), including the entrance to Hazen Place, early to mid-week. Access to Hazen Place from Main Street will be closed Monday thru Friday while the new concrete cures.
- State Street - TD Bank to Asiana House, mid-week to late week

Northfield Street Update

There will be several active construction operations on site this week.

Sewer Installation - Crews will continue installing the new sewer main pipe from the Prospect Street intersection working towards Derby Drive.

Water Installation - Crews will continue to work on switching residences over to the temporary water main and installing (2) valves; one by the Mobil gas station and the other by the Derby Drive intersection. Once the water connections and the valves are installed they will begin work on the permanent water main. Likely the middle to end of the week.

Water interruptions to switch individual residences over to the temporary water line are estimated to take 15-30 minutes. Advance notices will be provided.

Saturday work can be expected every week through the end of July.

Traffic – Alternating one-way traffic is anticipated all week. Motorists are strongly encouraged to seek alternative routes using Derby Drive or Dog River Road during construction. Traffic delays of up to 10 minutes can be expected on Northfield Street.

It is illegal in VT to use any handheld portable electronic devices while driving. The law carries fines of up to \$200 with points assessed if the violation occurs in a work zone.

Contact Francine Perkins, Project Outreach Coordinator, FRP Enterprises, LLC with any questions or concerns with regards to the project at 802-479-6994. Construction updates will be posted on www.roadworkupdates.com, The City of Montpelier's Front Porch Forum and Facebook Pages, Montpelier Alive's Facebook Page and Makeover Montpelier's Facebook Page.