

**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.

**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 17th, 2017**

**Night Work -**

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

Crews will continue construction to improve the sidewalk, curbing and approach islands at the Main Street Roundabout. Work this week will consist of replacing the crosswalk ramps and continuing with curb installation. The center of the roundabout is also scheduled to be paved, weather permitting. 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)**

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

- State Street – Post Office and between Pinky's and Main Street
- Main Street – Cool Jewels to Aubuchon Hardware

The following driveway entrances have sidewalk panels that are scheduled for replacement. Entrances will be closed to vehicles for 4-5 days while the new concrete cures—

- Main Street – entrance next to the pocket park (Est. 7/16)
- Main Street – Legion and Rite Aid (Est. 7/19-7/20)
- State Street – Between Post Office and Vermont Mutual (Est. 7/19-20)

### **Day Work-**

Sign crews will be installing new traffic signs throughout the project. Minimal traffic impacts are expected.

### **Northfield Street Update**

There will be no work performed this Saturday (7/15)

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

Sewer Installation - Crews will continue installing the new sewer main pipe from #31 Northfield Street working towards Derby Drive.

Water Installation - A separate crew will continue to work on the water main. They are approximately 50' from Memorial Drive and are working towards Prospect Street. Service has been transferred to the temporary water main.

**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](http://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.