



NOTICE TO RESIDENTS Holbrook Avenue Reconstruction (Lumpkin to Joseph Campau)

Through a competitive bidding process, The Michigan Department of Transportation and the City of Hamtramck has awarded Florence Cement Company of Shelby Township, Michigan a contract to complete the road reconstruction and water main replacement on Holbrook Avenue from Lumpkin to Joseph Campau. Work is anticipated to start during the week of April 6, 2020. This project will consist of the complete removal and replacement of the existing road, sidewalk, driveway approaches, storm sewer crossings and water main. **Please have all vehicles removed from Holbrook Avenue from Lumpkin to Brombach by 7AM, Monday, April 6, 2020 or risk having your vehicle towed at your expense.**

During the course of the construction you should expect the following:

COVID-19

The City of Hamtramck, Hennessey Engineers, and the Contractor are aware of the ongoing COVID-19 Pandemic and are taking extra precautions to ensure the health and safety of the residents of Hamtramck, business and construction personnel. Specific actions plans have been developed by the Contractor to ensure that social distancing, hygiene and other best practices for mitigating the spread of COVID-19 are in place, and we will all work together to follow the guidelines of The Governor's office, Michigan Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control, and other governing agencies. Therefore, we ask that if you have any questions or concerns regarding this project to please call our office or construction personnel to discuss. Pertinent numbers are listed at the end of this notice.

Traffic Control and Detours

Holbrook Avenue will be reconstructed in three (3) phases. Phase one is the reconstruction of Holbrook from Lumpkin to Brombach. Phase two is the reconstruction of Holbrook from Brombach to Joseph Campau. Phase three is the installation of new water main underneath Joseph Campau. The area of Holbrook under construction will closed to traffic with detours provided to navigate around the closed section of Holbrook. During the closure we ask residents to utilize the existing alleys and side streets.

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The Hamtramck Police and fire Departments are aware of the construction and precautions are being taken to continue proper protection of this street.

Water Service Replacement

In conjunction with the replacement of the water main, existing lead water services will be replaced from the new main to at least 18-inches inside the structure of the home. This work is as mandated by The Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes and Energy (EGLE). In order for this work to be completed, the Contractor will require entry into your home to make the connection to existing plumbing. Attached to this correspondence is a consent and release form to be signed by all property owners to allow the contractor to enter onto private property. **ELGE has mandated that municipalities SHALL NOT connect new copper services to existing lead services. If the City is unable to obtain permission from homeowners to complete the water service connection on private property, EGLE has stated that the water CAN NOT be reconnected and the home/structure will be without water until approval is obtained to complete the entire service to 18 inches inside the home/structure.**

Water Service Consent and Release Form

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 Pandemic, we understand the need to social distance and avoiding unneeded interactions. Once you have completed the attached consent form, please contact our Construction Manager, Charles Smith at 734-365-3553, and we will schedule a contactless pick-up of your consent form. At this time the water service work is not scheduled to begin until May, when social distancing guidelines are scheduled to be reduced. However, we understand that the guidelines and mandates are changing frequently and are keeping up to date to ensure the safety of the workers and the residents of the City of Hamtramck. If guidelines change this work may be delayed or rescheduled.

Dust Control

The Contractor, on a regular basis will sweep the travel lanes during construction and all adjacent side streets to control dust as much as possible; however, this will be an active construction zone, and dust will exist and should be expected.

Sprinkler Systems

If you have a sprinkler system, to prevent any damage, we ask that you mark or flag where the sprinkler systems may be located within the right-of-way (between the road and sidewalk). If sprinkler systems are accidentally damaged, the Contractor will replace the damaged sprinkler system as a part of this project.

Driveway Approaches

Driveway approaches will be removed and replaced as needed for the entire project to account for adjustments to the elevations of the new roadway. Following the completion of the drive approach, the approach will require seven (7) days to cure before it can be opened for use. Driveway replacements will not be allowed to be a greater width than what currently exists.

Restoration

Upon completion of the project, all areas disturbed by the Contractor during this road reconstruction project will be replaced with topsoil, seed and mulch. The Contractor will be responsible for watering each site until vegetative growth has been established.

Garbage Pick-Up/Mail and Parcel Delivery

Your garbage pickup will remain uninterrupted during construction. Place your garbage at your normal rear alley pick-up location. Yard waste collection will take place in the rear alley for the duration of the project. Mail delivery and parcel delivery will not be interrupted at any time.

Working Hours

Working hours will typically be from 7:00am to 6:00pm Monday through Friday, with occasional work taking place on Saturdays. However, during main line paving operations and sawcutting of joints following the placement of concrete, it is possible work hours may be extended later than 6:00pm.

Handicap Accessibility/Assistance for Seniors

If you have a disability and need handicap accessibility at all times during construction, please contact Hennessey Engineers at the phone number below and we will work to provide handicap accessibility as best as possible.

It is anticipated that the project will be completed in August 2020. We apologize for any inconvenience that this work is causing, but trust that you will understand the benefit of this project once it is completed.

Future resident notices will be made available during the construction to keep you up to date.

During the project, if you have any questions or concerns, please CALL Charles Smith at 734-365-3553. Otherwise, you can also contact Troy Nuccio at Hennessey Engineers, the City of Hamtramck's engineering consultant at (734) 759-1600.

Sincerely,

**THE CITY OF HAMTRAMCK and
HENNESSEY ENGINEERS, INC.**

