



## TH 61/MAIN ST RECONSTRUCTION

### Weekly Construction Update

#### **Construction Includes:**

- *New sanitary sewer main and service lines*
- *New water main and service lines*
- *New storm sewer*
- *New street pavement*
- *Street lighting & traffic signal upgrades*
- *Streetscape improvements*

#### **Stage 2 Contract Completion Date:**

*August 12, 2016*

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#### **PROJECT UPDATE**

The Contractor continued with removals this week and has successfully completed the existing pavement removal up to west side of Plum Street. The Contractor also finished the installation of the new sanitary sewer manhole located mid-block between Broad & Bush Street, including the connection of the new manhole into an existing sanitary sewer tunnel that flows east down Main Street connecting into another tunnel in Plum Street. The Contractor plans to complete the installation of the new sanitary sewer service connected into the manhole by the end of the week weather permitting.

The Contractor plans to start the installation of the new watermain right away next week. The new watermain will begin at the end point from last summer located on the east side of Broad Street and continue heading east through Bush Street. Then following the successful completion of the new watermain, anticipated mid-week weather and progress depending, the Contractor plans to begin the installation of the new storm sewer system consisting of a couple of new catch basins east of Broad Street and within the Bush Street intersection.

The traffic control was modified late last week to reduce the impact at the Broad Street intersection, with primary outcome the restore the availability of the dual left turn lanes from East Avenue onto NB TH 61. It is anticipated that the dual left turns will be maintained now throughout the project. No other traffic control changes were completed.

As a reminder, during construction, access to and from TH 61 will be maintained at all times at either Bush or Plum Street. Based on the current traffic control and south side construction, access to and from TH 61 (Main Street) at Bush Street is closed, however all of the rest of Bush Street is open for parking and business access. In addition, pedestrian access to the businesses along Main Street will be maintained at all times during construction, whether by the existing sidewalk left in place during the new roadway work or by the new roadway with temporary bridges during the new sidewalk work.

We thank you for your patience and cooperation, especially with the snowfall we experienced on Thursday.