

# North James Street & Bridge Improvements

## Weekly Construction Update – Grimes, IA



The intent of this weekly update is to give an overview of work completed and a projection of work in the following week. It is intended to be a general overview and be tentative in nature. Things may differ from the listed schedule if weather or other unknown factors come into play.

*Please see the attached map for project Phases and current Detour Routes.*

### **Weekly Overview: August 07 Monday – August 12 Saturday**

#### **Phase 1**

- Sand backfill was placed and compacted around the culvert.

#### **Phase 2**

- Pavement was removed at the intersection of North James St and NW 18<sup>th</sup> St. Access to the Daycare and Apartments was maintained with a gravel road.
- Roadbed was excavated to subgrade below future pavement.
- Utilities were relocated to allow construction.

#### **Saturday work**

- The contractor will work until noon Saturday, August 12 on storm sewer in Phase 2.

### **What to expect next week: August 14 Monday – August 19 Saturday**

- Excavation and forming will begin for cast-in-place culvert sections on each end of the tied precast units.
- Phase 2 roadway subgrade will be compacted.

### **What you need to know:**

- Working hours are Monday-Friday (7:00 am to 9:00 pm). Work on the weekends and at night will require City approval.
- The contractor will notify property owners if work will impact access to property.
- Please do not remove any construction stakes located within the limits of work.
- During construction if property owners lose utility service, please contact your local service provider as follows:
  - Electric - MidAmerican Energy 1-888-427-5632
  - Gas - Black Hills Energy 1-888-890-5554
  - Cable, Internet, Telephone
    - CenturyLink 1-866-642-0444
    - Mediacom 1-800-332-0245
  - Sewer / Water – US Water 1-515-968-3176 (regular business hours)  
1-515-822-4671 (emergency after hours)

- Construction projects are fluid in nature, and depend on many variables. Examples are poor weather, utility conflicts, unknown underground items, and fabrication schedules. While we will do our best to meet planned schedules, we appreciate your patience with unforeseen circumstances and understanding the possibility of changes to the schedule.

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