

# 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: September 04 Monday – September 09 Saturday**

- The north half of the intersection of North James St and Beaverbrooke Blvd was closed to traffic. After traffic closure, pavement was removed and subgrade compacted in the north half of intersection.  
*NOTE: Construction at Beaverbrooke Blvd. requires detours of recreational trail at the intersection. Please route around construction areas.*
- The cast-in-place west end of concrete box culvert was finished.
- A concrete footing was poured for a retaining wall next to the box culvert.
- Subdrain was installed at edge of Phase 1 roadway north of the box culvert.

#### **Weekend work**

- The contractor will work Saturday Sept. 09 placing rock subbase at the Beaverbrooke intersection, and on James St north of the box culvert.

### **What to expect next week: September 11 Monday – September 16 Saturday**

- Excavation and concrete work will continue for retaining walls next to the box culvert.
- Roadway subbase (crushed stone) will be placed and trimmed to final grade before paving.

#### **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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