

## Curb Installation On Edgewood Ave & The East Portion Of Westchester Circle Completed

During the past two weeks in Area 1, Northwest crews have completed curb and gutter installation on Edgewood Ave and the east portion of Westchester Circle.

Base course and driveway paving has also been completed on Georgia Ave and the west portion of Westchester Circle. Base course and driveway paving on Edgewood Ave and the east portion of Westchester Circle is scheduled for the week of July 5.

Crews started backfilling boulevards on Westchester Circle and Georgia Ave. **Residents may reinstall irrigation systems as soon as the lawn grading has been completed. Please remember to mark sprinkler heads so crews can see them.**

Sod in Area 1 is scheduled for the week of July 5. Please remember that the contrac-

tor is responsible for maintaining the new sod for 30 days. After that time, City staff will mark any dead sod that needs to be replaced. **All sod that is acceptable after the warranty period ends becomes the homeowner's responsibility to maintain.**

Water main and water service installation continues in the west portion of Area 2. Crews will begin storm sewer and sanitary sewer installation the week of July 5, and should take approximately two weeks to complete.

Residents living in each construction area should check their doors daily for specific information regarding work in each area. City staff is available to address any questions or concerns you have (see Who to Call).

## New This Week

Crews have completed curb and gutter installation and base course and driveway paving on Edgewood Ave and the east portion of Westchester Circle.

## Coming Up

Crews will begin storm sewer and sanitary sewer installation in Area 2 the week of July 5, and should take approximately two weeks to complete.

## Schedules May Change On Short Notice

Weather, delays by subcontractors, or other unforeseen events can cause schedule changes. The contractor makes every effort to notify residents as soon as possible.

## Check Doors For Notices

The contractor will routinely notify you about upcoming work, particularly if the work will make your driveway inaccessible for most or part of a day (you will be able to get back into your driveway each evening). Please check all of the doors around your house for written notices of upcoming work.

## Construction Questions

At the construction site, please direct all project-related questions to City staff. For other questions, call Public Works at 763-593-8030. If you would prefer to have Construction News emailed to you, contact Pat Schutrop at 763-593-3987 or pschutrop@ci.golden-valley.mn.us to get on the list.

## Area 2 Deadline Passed For Signed Driveway Agreements; Area 3 Residents Must Return Signed Agreements By July 16

If your driveway connects with one of the reconstructed streets and a portion of it will be removed to properly perform construction, you may take part in the City's driveway program. **Signed agreements for Area 3 residents must be returned by July 16. The deadline to return signed driveway agreements for residents in Area 2 has passed. The deadline for Area 3 residents to make driveway appointments has also passed. Call Public Works at 763-593-8030.**

### Who To Call (When calling, please identify your construction area.)

#### City of Golden Valley

Brian Dahlberg, Engineering Technician • 763-593-8112 • bdahlberg@ci.golden-valley.mn.us  
Jeff Oliver, City Engineer • 763-593-8034 • joliver@ci.golden-valley.mn.us  
Al Lundstrom, Environmental Coordinator • 763-593-8046 • alundstrom@ci.golden-valley.mn.us  
Mike Meehan, Police Operations Commander • 763-593-8070 • mmeehan@ci.golden-valley.mn.us  
Jeannine Clancy, Director of Public Works • 763-593-8035 • jclancy@ci.golden-valley.mn.us

#### CenterPoint Energy

Customer Service Office • 612-321-5369

#### Special Needs?

The contractor will work with residents needing access for wheelchairs, Metro Mobility rides, etc. Call Public Works at 763-593-8030.

#### After-Hour Emergencies

Call the Golden Valley Public Safety Department at 763-593-8079 to report problems that require immediate assistance by the City (flooded street, disruption to water service, sanitary sewer back-up, etc). Your message will be relayed to on-call Public Works personnel.

## Project List

### Area 1 Streets

- Edgewood Ave N (Glenwood Ave to Westchester Circle)
- Georgia Ave N (Glenwood Ave to Westchester Circle)
- Westchester Circle (Olson Memorial Frontage Rd to Glenwood Ave)

### Area 2 Streets

- Cutacross Rd (Meander Rd to Ski Hill Rd)
- Meander Rd (Glenwood Ave to Cutacross Rd)
- Paisley Lane (Glenwood Ave to Cutacross Rd)
- Pomander Walk (Paisley Lane to cul-de-sac)
- Ski Hill Rd (Paisley Lane to cul-de-sac)
- Windy Draw (Ski Hill Rd to cul-de-sac)

### Area 3 Streets

- Harold Ave (Idaho Ave N to cul-de-sac)
- Idaho Ave N (cul-de-sac to Olson Memorial Frontage Rd)
- Kingston Circle (Idaho Ave N to cul-de-sac)
- Olson Memorial Frontage Rd (Douglas Dr to Glenwood Ave)

## RECYCLING UPDATE

Recycling should be picked up as scheduled. Please continue to have your recycling curbside by 7 am on Fridays. The recycling contractor (Waste Management) will collect recycling in street reconstruction areas on schedule. Please continue to report all missed pick-ups to Waste Management at 952-890-1100. If you feel you are not getting optimum service, call the City's Environmental Coordinator at 763-593-8046.

## Tips For Maintaining Your New Driveway

If you installed an asphalt driveway, follow these tips:

- You should not drive on your driveway for at least one week after it is constructed.
- Please be aware for at least six months after construction, parking any vehicle (including trailers, motorcycles, bicycles, etc) on your driveway, especially when the blacktop temperature is above 60 degrees, may leave depressions in the pavement. Also, avoid making sharp turns because they can scuff the new surface.
- Though some depressions and scuffing are expected because the new asphalt is tender for several months until it has time to cure, parking in your garage is recommended to keep depressions and scuffing to a minimum.
- Applying sealers normally does not result in any structural benefit; however, if you choose to use a sealer, it is recommended not to use any products labeled "coal tar." Instead, use asphalt emulsion sealers. Follow the manufacturer's directions for application of these products. Wait three years before applying any sealer.

If you installed a concrete driveway, follow these tips:

- The contractor sprays the new concrete with curing compound when it is poured. This seals the concrete to keep it moist and help it cure.
- Wait until next fall before sealing your concrete driveway. Several concrete sealant products, including clear acrylic sealers, linseed oil, and penetrating sealers, are available from a variety of retailers. The City identifies three in its driveway maintenance literature: Construction Materials of St Louis Park (952-929-0431), Construction Midwest of New Hope (763-536-8336), and Brock White of St Paul (651-647-0123). Many more concrete sealer retailers are listed in the Yellow Pages under "Concrete - Seal & Waterproof."

For more information about driveway maintenance, see Who To Call on page 1.

## SAFETY NOTICE

The contractor will not allow any resident to come within 25 feet of an excavation zone or into the right-of-way area while equipment, trucks, or any other moving apparatus is in operation. This policy is for the safety of the residents, subcontractors, and employees of both the City and the contractor.

This document is available in alternate formats upon a 72-hour request. Please call 763-593-8006 (TTY: 763-593-3968) to make a request. Examples of alternate formats may include large print, electronic, Braille, audiocassette, etc.



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