

Downtown Road Construction Planning Meeting #16
October 19, 2021 via Zoom

A 15-minute video recording of the meeting will be posted at www.SyrGov.net/Infrastructure.

- These meetings will continue to be recorded and posted to the city's infrastructure page on their [website](#) to allow those who were unable to join the meeting an opportunity to hear the presentation, questions asked, and see the project visuals shared. The notes will include any updated information provided before the notes are posted.
- **It is still important to attend these meetings if possible to share real-time comments and concerns** from your perspective as a property/business/residential owner or representative to help collectively mitigate impacts of the water and road construction activities that will occur this season, along with National Grid repairs.

Due to the video recording, abbreviated notes follow:

City of Syracuse Water Dept Work – Joe Awald jawald@syr.gov

- Major downtown work complete
- Jefferson St – still need to wrap up pavement and service connections

City of Syracuse Engineering Dept (Paving) Work – John Kivlehan jkivlehan@syr.gov

- State and Salina Streets – major downtown paving work complete. Now working at outer fringes
 - Still need to permanently stripe streets. The layout has been completed but permanent treatments are weather dependent so the finishing of this work may need to take place next year (in which case temporary string would be installed)
 - Restoration of services (snow shelf, brick reset) – no time estimate provided as to when this work will be complete as contractors are focused on temperature-dependent work.
- Montgomery Street- milling will start 10/20/21 and the area has already been signed with No Parking. This work is expected to be complete end of this week/early next week.
- ADA corners – being poured along Warren and Montgomery
- Columbus Circle – installation of granite curbing
- Brick Pavers on Warren, Montgomery, Clinton Streets – expect these to be addressed week of 10/25/21
- Final layers of pavement for Clinton, Warren, Jefferson – installation anticipated for end of October, but this is weather dependent.

National Grid – Chris Gorman Christopher.Gorman@nationalgrid.com

- Montgomery St
 - The gas main has been installed except for a portion we are working on near city hall.
 - Three services remain to be connected/installed: the diner, a café and city hall.
 - Biggest challenge will be getting across the intersection of Water St – it is very congested with underground utilities.
 - A walk-thru is being performed this afternoon with the restoration contractor and that work will begin as soon as possible.
- East Jefferson St
 - The gas main had been installed in the western portion of the block and we are currently working on the eastern portion next to the circle.
 - Early next week, we will make a connection at the circle as well as one at Warren St.
 - We will then connect the services to the new main.
 - Anticipate completion of piping work in a couple of weeks.
 - Again, the restoration contractor will follow.

Next Meeting – November 2nd -- Meetings will be hosted via Zoom every other week on Tuesdays @ 8:30 am.

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