

City of Fitchburg



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FITCHBURG – The Department of Public Works advises residents of the following work that will be done, weather permitting, during the week of April 3, 2023.

Road Construction

Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Expect road closures, delays and detours.

- Due to building construction at the Dickenson Building located at 37 Boulder Drive, Cushing Street is closed to pedestrian traffic.
- MassDOT will be continuing their reconstruction and rehabilitation of the Circle Street Bridge. Due to construction, the bridge will remain closed to vehicle and pedestrian traffic until further notice.

Combination Sanitary Sewer/Storm Drain Separation Project. Monday – Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Expect detours, lane shifts, road closures, and traffic delays.

- On-going Combination Sanitary Sewer/Storm Drain Separation Project:
 - No construction work will be conducted this week.

Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Minor traffic impacts:

- Pothole repairs in all wards.
- Picking up of City trees.
- Spot sanding around the City.
- Catch basin repair on John Fitch Highway.
- Drain line repair on Spring Street.
- Repair water gate boxes at various locations throughout the City.
- Unitil Gas will be conducting their annual pipe replacement program on Franklin Road and Simonds Street.
- Pine Ridge Technologies (PRT) will be installing streetlight bases on various streets throughout the City.
- Arcadis will be conducting storm water infrastructure inspections in the following areas: Water Street, Laurel Street, Richardson Road, Rindge Road, Will Thompson Way, John Fitch Highway, and Townsend Street. Expect minor delays, road closures, and/or detours. The contractor will work with residents if access is need to their property. Please note, the inspections of the infrastructure may include the use of dye and residents should not be alarmed.

Hydrants

- Hydrant maintenance City-wide.

Street Sweeping 2023

- Street Sweeping of Ward 1B and Ward 2A will be performed at night.
- Street sweeping of Ward 2A will be performed during the day.

Residents are asked to sweep sidewalks in front of their homes. Sand should be placed in wind rows – not in piles – so that the equipment can successfully remove it.

Use [SeeClickFix](#) to report maintenance requests or concerns including potholes, sidewalks, signs/signals, lights, parks, catch basins or manholes.

Please call the DPW Dispatcher at 978-829-1900 with any immediate request including weather related events (snow, wind, ice, flooding) or sewage backups.