

# City of Fitchburg



# Department of Public Works

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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 September 29, 2025.

### Road Construction

*Monday – Sunday 12:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.*

#### River Street Bridge:

- MassDOT's contractor Northern Construction has implemented a detour on the River Street Bridge. All southbound traffic will follow the West Street detour. Northbound traffic will be maintained.

#### Newton Place:

- Newton Place from Main Street to Boulder Drive will be closed to traffic.

*Monday – Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (expect road closures, traffic delays and/or detours).*

#### Combination Sanitary Sewer/Storm Drain Separation Project:

Parking near the construction zone(s) will not be allowed.

- GVC will be performing the following work:
  - Burbank Street – Gate Valve Installation (a scheduled water main shutdown is currently planned for Tuesday, 9/30).
  - Elm Street – new drainage installation (a scheduled water main shutdown is currently planned at Elm & High Street for Wednesday, 10/1).
  - High Street – new drainage installation.
- Amarello A.F. Amorello & Sons, Inc. and JA Polito Crews will be performing pavement preparation and final paving in the following locations: School Street, Prince Street, Bond Street, and Crescent Heights.

#### Main Street Water Main Improvements:

Service interruptions to abutting properties are anticipated.

- JA Polito will be working in the following areas:
  - Main Street between Oliver Street and Mill Street - temporary water main service and valve installation.
  - Main Street between Fox Street and Oliver Street - water main installation.
  - Main Street between Grove Street and Fox Street - water service installation.

#### Pipeline Replacement:

- Unitil and its subcontractors Neocon, Path Mechanical, S-Fors and Allard's Lawn & Order will be conducting natural gas pipeline replacement projects on Blossom Street, Weymouth Street, Gage Street, Gage Place, Westminster Hill Road, Rollstone Street, Hazel Street, North Street, Rogers Ave, Brown Ave, Highland Ave, Holman Street, Rice Street, Pine Street, Charles Street, Shattuck Street, Myrtle Ave, Cedar Street, Fairview Street, Terrace Place, Farmer Ave, Baltic Lane, Tremont Street, McKay Ave, Congress Street, Green Street, Morris Street, and Willow Street.

Pearl Street, Townsend Street & John Fitch Hwy:

- Lazaro Paving will be paving these streets starting from John Fitch Highway/Coolidge Park working easterly starting early Monday morning 9/29. Driveway apron work will take place later in the week.

Klondike Ave:

- Lazaro Paving will be paving Klondike Ave on Tuesday, 9/30. Driveway apron work will take place later in the week.

*Monday – Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.*

Minor traffic impacts:

- Pothole repairs Citywide.
- Stormwater maintenance to prevent flooding from blocked catch basins.
- Repair water gate boxes at various locations throughout the City.
- Various repair of the existing drainage infrastructure(s).
- Stanley Tree Service will be working on side roads off of Shea Street for Unutil.

Hydrants:

- Hydrant maintenance City-wide.
- Water gate valve exercising/maintenance in the Main Street area including all side streets.

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.**