

City of Fitchburg



Department of Public Works

FITCHBURG – The Department of Public Works advises residents of the following work that will be done, weather permitting, during the week of October 26.

COMMISSIONER

301 Broad Street
978-829-1910
978-345-9687 FAX

STREETS & PARKS

301 Broad Street
978-829-1900
978-345-9687 FAX

WASTEWATER

301 Broad Street
978-829-1930
978-345-9687 FAX

WATER

1200 Rindge Road
978-345-9616
978-345-9555 FAX

ENGINEERING

301 Broad Street
978-829-1917
978-345-9687 FAX

CEMETERIES

115 Mount Elam Road
978-345-9578
978-345-9686 FAX

Citywide Water Meter Upgrade Project

The City's contractor, Baystate Winsupply, will be installing new water meters throughout the City Monday – Saturday, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m. Customers are notified via U.S. mail and asked to make appointments for meter replacement through a website or over the phone.

Road Construction

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

- Construction on Beech Street will continue with the paving of driveway aprons.
- Installation of driveway aprons along Crawford Street from the Nashua River to the Leominster line will continue.

Gas main work by Unitil/NEUCO, which may result in road closures and detours will continue all week in the areas of:

- Electric Avenue from Old Deerfield Road to Woodworth Avenue
- Franklin Road from Clarendon Street to Beech Street
- Franklin Road from Shea Street to Depot Street
- Pratt Road from Clarendon Street to Beech Street
- St. Andrews Street from Clarendon Street to Edward Street

Street Sweeping

Monday - Friday 7 a.m. – 3 p.m. Spot sweeping City Wide. Residents are asked to sweep sidewalks in front of their properties. Sand should be placed in windrows and not in piles so that the equipment can successfully remove it.

Maintenance Work

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

- Pothole repairs in all wards.
- Sewer cleaning & TV of various locations. Expect loud truck noise, localized detours and lane shifts.
- Sewer trench paving on Elm Street- Oliver Street to Hartwell Street. Monday – Friday 7 a.m. – 5 p.m. Expect road closures and construction noise.
- Sewer manhole cover repair on Pearl Hill Road at John Fitch Highway. Monday – Wednesday. Expect detours.
- Combination manhole separations on Theresa Street at St. Andrew Street and 94 & 60 Hurd Street. Tuesday – Friday 7 a.m. – 5 p.m. Expect local road closures and detours.
- Highview Street sewer work will begin with road narrowing and excavation within yards. Expect truck noise and equipment in the roadways.
- Repair water gate boxes at various locations throughout the City.
- Unitil will have tree crews working on Wallace Road and Water Street.

Hydrants

- Hydrant flushing on the high system (hydrants with red tops) in the area of Ashby State Road and Pearl Hill Road including all side/interconnecting streets.
- Hydrant flushing on the low system (hydrants with black tops) in the area of Townsend Street from John Fitch Hwy towards McIntosh Lane including all side/interconnecting 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.