



WASHINGTON STREET BI-WEEKLY STATUS REPORT

MEMORANDUM

DATE: SEPTEMBER 25, 2017
TO: STAKEHOLDERS OF THE CITY OF HOBOKEN WASHINGTON STREET PROJECT
FROM: THE WASHINGTON STREET PROJECT TEAM
SUBJECT: BIWEEKLY PROGRESS REPORT FOR:
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2017 THROUGH SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2017

1. ITEMS COMPLETED IN THE PAST 2 WEEKS - 9/11/17 THROUGH 9/24/17

- a. Punchlist work commenced from Observer Highway up to 2nd Street.
- b. Saw cutting and removal of existing curbs and preparation for new curbs at 2nd, 3rd and 4th Street intersection.
- c. Electrical work at 3rd and 4th Street intersection.
- d. Saw cutting and removal of existing curbs and preparation for new curbs at 4th Street intersection.
- e. Microgrid installation from 5th to 6th Street.
- f. Water main installation at 4th to 5th Street.
- g. Insertion valves at 5th Street.
- h. Water service installation from 6th to 7th Street.
- i. Installation of foundations for PSE&G lighting at 2nd and 3rd Street intersections.
- j. Test pits in various locations from 8th Street to 12th Street.

2. ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR THE NEXT 2 WEEKS- 9/25/17 THROUGH 10/8/17

- a. Base repair paving at Newark, 1st & 2nd Street intersections. This is not final paving.
- b. Sidewalks, curbs, and ADA ramps at 2nd and 3rd Street intersections.
- c. PSE&G lighting foundations and rain garden installations at 4th Street.
- d. Up-lighting installations at 4th Street.
- e. Saw cutting and removal of existing curbs and preparation for new curbs at 5th Street intersection.
- f. Water main intersection tie-ins at 5th and 6th Street intersections.
- g. Flushing of the main may occur for service installation. The water main flushing is necessary to dechlorinate and remove any trapped air prior to pressure testing.
- h. Construction layout will continue as necessary to provide the locations of proposed work.



3. SCHEDULE STATUS/DELIVERABLE STATUS

- a. At the April 5, 2017 Council Meeting a project extension of 60 days from Notice of Award was approved for the Contractor. The Notice of Award was November 22, 2016.
- b. As a result of the extension, the Contractor must now complete all work on the Project by July 24, 2018, additionally, all work contemplated from Observer Highway to 8th Street must be completed by January 20, 2018.
- c. Water services, saw cutting, flushing of main, drainage, PSE&G light foundations, traffic light installation, curb, and sidewalk is targeted to occur within the two-week period of 9/25/17 through 10/8/17.

4. OTHER COMMENTS

- a. Residents and businesses should be aware of the following means of notice for water service disruptions:
 - i. Initial Notice
 - a) On April 10, 2017, all property owners were mailed a notice from the City and SUEZ regarding water main work, service interruptions and lead services
 - ii. Interruption Notice
 - a) 72 hours prior to a service interruption, a notice is posted on the door (or handed to business/tenant/property owner) of each building with the anticipated date/time range
 - b) If access beyond the inside foyer door is not possible, notice will be posted in the foyer
 - c) Direct Communication - Inspection Staff and the contractor speak to the affected building (owner/tenant, business) before work begins or when someone is available to speak with; time of the interruption and reinstatement of the service is provided
- b. Additionally, routine updates of the blocks where water services connections are occurring are posted to Social Media Accounts. You can subscribe to Social Media accounts at the following links:

Twitter

<https://twitter.com/WashStProject>

Instagram

<https://www.instagram.com/washingtonstreetproject/>

Facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/WashingtonStreetProject/>

