THOMPSON AVENUE (COUNTY ROAD 6) & OAKDALE AVENUE (COUNTY ROAD 73) ROUNDABOUT, TRAIL, & SIDEWALK PROJECT

Construction Update

The City of West St. Paul awarded the project to Bituminous Roadways, Inc. at its March 27, 2023 City Council Meeting. Tree clearing work is tentatively scheduled to begin April 10th and roadway, trail, and sidewalk construction is tentatively scheduled to begin April 17th.

A tentative, overall construction schedule provided by the contractor is shown below.

 April 10th: Tree Clearing and Erosion Control
April: Curb and Pavement Removals
May-June: Storm Sewer and Utility Work
June-July: Roadway/Roundabout Curb and Gutter and Paving
May-August: Trail and Sidewalk Construction
August-September: Mill and Overlay
September-October: Sod Installation and Striping

Project Map



About this Project

Dakota County and the City of West St. Paul are preparing for construction of roadway, trail, and sidewalk improvements along Thompson Avenue from Robert Street (Highway 3) to Waterloo Avenue and along Oakdale Avenue from Wentworth Avenue (County Road 8) to Butler Avenue (County Road 4) in West St. Paul. The project includes:

- Replacement of the all-way stop at Thompson Avenue and Oakdale Avenue with a single-lane roundabout.
- Restriping Thompson Avenue from a two-lane to a three-lane roadway with a continuous center left turn lane from Robert Street to Highway 52.
- Resurfacing of both Thompson Avenue between Robert Street and Highway 52 and Oakdale Avenue between Butler Avenue and Wentworth Avenue.
- Construction of sidewalk on the north side and a multi-use trail on the south side along Thompson Avenue and construction of sidewalk on the west side and a multi-use trail on the east side along Oakdale Avenue.
- Reconstruction of a connection to the trail system of Thompson County Park as part of the River to River Greenway.

General Construction Information

Thompson Avenue and Oakdale Avenue will be closed to thru traffic and the intersection of Thompson and Oakdale Avenues will be completed closed. Carrie Street will also be closed at Emerson Avenue. **A detour map is provided on the back side of this mailing.**

- Access to driveways within the project area will be maintained during construction.
- Survey stakes are important for project progress; please preserve them for the duration of the project.
- Private utility companies have already started relocation work and you can expect to see utility companies working in the project area during the Spring and Summer.

Please direct questions regarding construction to Mike Kriesel, on-site inspector.

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Project Website

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