

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE – JULY 3, 2018

Huron Boulevard Reconstruction Connecticut Avenue to M-29

Paving of the first 3 layers of asphalt pavement on the south half of Huron Boulevard from Connecticut Avenue to M-29 is scheduled for Monday and Tuesday, July 2-3, 2018. The south half of Huron Boulevard will remain closed through the 4th of July holiday, with westbound traffic being allowed on Huron from M-29 to Connecticut.

Traffic Direction Switch on Huron Boulevard

On Thursday, July 5, 2018, the contractor will begin switching construction operations from the south half of the road to the north half. In order to safely maintain traffic through the work zone, **traffic will also be switched to the south side and will be allowed in the eastbound direction only from Connecticut to M-29**. Turns from M-29 on Huron will be prohibited and no westbound traffic will be allowed through the construction zone.

Also, southbound Michigan Avenue and Delaware Avenue will be closed to through traffic at Collard Drive. No turns or through traffic will be allowed at these streets intersections with Huron Boulevard. All businesses and public facilities on Michigan and Delaware north of Huron will be accessible during construction. Northbound Michigan will be required to turn right onto Huron to M-29. No traffic will be permitted to cross the north half of the roadway at Michigan.

Temporary access will be provided to businesses and to the main high school parking lot to the maximum extent possible during construction. Businesses are urged to notify their customers of the closures and provide directions on how to access the business if it is located within project limits. Area businesses that have trucks that typically use Huron Boulevard or Michigan Avenue should plan the most efficient detour routes and notify all carriers.

Residents and businesses within the work area will be provided access to their driveways throughout the project except for periods where concrete work will necessitate closure of the driveway for placing and curing of concrete. When necessary, efforts will be made to provide alternative parking locations. Anyone having physical disabilities within the work area should contact the Project Engineer to attempt to coordinate accommodations.

Tentative Road Closure Schedule

Reconstruction of eastbound lanes of Huron Boulevard

- July 2-3, 2018 – Paving south half of roadway. Eastbound Huron Boulevard closed between Connecticut Avenue and M-29. One lane of westbound Huron Boulevard will remain open during construction. The signed detour for eastbound Huron will be southwest on Gratiot Boulevard, south on Range Road, east on Cuttle Road and north on M-29. Closure will remain for July 4th holiday.

Reconstruction of westbound lanes of Huron Boulevard

- July 6, 2018 – Eastbound Huron Boulevard reopens with one lane maintained. Westbound Huron Boulevard closed between M-29 and Connecticut. Michigan Avenue will remain closed at Huron Boulevard. The signed detour for westbound Huron Boulevard will be south on M-29, west on Cuttle Road, north on Range Road and northeast on Gratiot Boulevard. Detours for Michigan Avenue will remain the same as in the eastbound reconstruction phase.
- August 24, 2018 – Roadway open to traffic in both directions.

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The project is being financed by city road funds, a state economic development grant and federal surface transportation funds and will result in Huron Boulevard being reduced from 4-lanes (two in each direction) to 3-lanes (one in each direction with a center left-turn lane). The change in configuration will improve the safety of the roadway, while maintaining the necessary capacity for the traffic volumes.