May 21, 2019: Construction Update No. 18
Brooklyn Boulevard Reconstruction Project

The Brooklyn Boulevard Reconstruction Project is completing work on the west side of Brooklyn Boulevard south of Highway 100. Last week, the contractor installed trials and new sod along the west side of Brooklyn Boulevard, 51st Avenue and Lilac Drive. They also completed work on the Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) C Line bus stations along Brooklyn Boulevard at 51st Avenue.

Construction activity for this week will be the following:
- Shift traffic to the west side of Brooklyn Boulevard from 49th Avenue to Highway 100.
- Remove existing pavement, curb and gutter and sidewalk and install new storm sewer along the east side of Brooklyn Boulevard between 49th Avenue and Highway 100.
- Remove concrete medians along Brooklyn Boulevard between Highway 100 and 59th Avenue.
- Continue work on BRT stations along Brooklyn Boulevard at 51st Avenue.

Construction activity for next week will be the following:
- Shift traffic to the west side of Brooklyn Boulevard from Highway 100 to 59th Avenue.
- Install storm sewer, roadway base and curb and gutter along Brooklyn Boulevard between 49th Avenue and Highway 100.
- Remove existing pavement, curb and gutter and sidewalk along Brooklyn Boulevard between Highway 100 and 59th Avenue.
- Continue work on BRT stations along Brooklyn Boulevard at 51st Avenue.

Stage 1 – Reconstruction west side of Brooklyn Blvd between 49th Ave and Hwy 100, Realign Lilac Drive to intersect Brooklyn Blvd at Highway 100 south ramps, Reconstruct 51st Avenue between Brooklyn Blvd and Xerxes Ave
Stage 2 – Reconstruct eastside of Brooklyn Blvd between 49th Ave and just north of Bass Lake Road. Reconstruct Highway 100 northbound off ramp at Brooklyn Blvd
Stage 3 – Reconstruct west side of Brooklyn Blvd between Hwy 100 and just north of Bass Lake Road. Realign Brooklyn Blvd Service Road at 55th Ave
Safety is always our highest concern during construction of these types of projects:

- Please slow down through construction zone for the safety of others, and the workers on site, as well as your own safety. Avoid using a cellular phone when walking or driving near a construction zone.
- Please stay clear of machinery and construction trenches in the work zone. Construction vehicles can move quickly and suddenly. Staying alert to your surroundings reduces the likelihood of an incident.
- In addition, your assistance in directing your children away from construction areas is appreciated.

Thank you for your consideration and patience. The City has hired SRF Consulting to help oversee the construction work. For any questions or concerns you may contact the following at SRF Consulting or City of Brooklyn Center Engineering Staff:

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Please contact 911 during evenings and weekends if you have a construction related emergency such as ruptured water service, sewer backup or significant flooding. The 911 dispatcher will contact the appropriate on-call Public Works personnel.