October 8th, 2019: Construction Update No. 38
Brooklyn Boulevard Reconstruction Project

The Brooklyn Boulevard Reconstruction Project is still progressing into the autumn season. The contractor is performing work in Stage 3 (see below for description of Stages) on the reconstruction of the westside of the road within the project area. Last week, new bituminous pavement was placed on SB Brooklyn Boulevard from Bass Lake Road to Highway 100. Concrete sidewalk was installed at Bass Lake Road. The contractor completed work on a deep storm sewer crossing at Northport Drive.

Construction activity for this week will be the following:
- Continue miscellaneous concrete repair between Highway 100 to Bass Lake Road in preparation for paving.
- Continue installation of monument signs at 49th Ave, Lilac Drive and Bass Lake Road.
- Northport Drive is anticipated to be reopened on gravel by Wednesday and paving in the intersection will be completed this weekend pending weather.
- Continue installation of concrete curb and maintenance strip on the westside of Brooklyn Boulevard from Highway 100 to Bass Lake Road.
- Prepare gravel base and pave trail on the westside of Brooklyn Boulevard from Highway 100 to Bass Lake Road.

Construction activity for next week will be the following:
- Place the final lift of bituminous paving on Brooklyn Boulevard between Highway 100 and 49th Avenue.
- Install trees on the eastside of Brooklyn Boulevard from Highway 100 to Bass Lake Road.

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
- Continue installation of turf on the westside of Brooklyn Boulevard.
- Shift traffic into the outside lanes on Brooklyn Boulevard and begin work on the medians.

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.