# CONSTRUCTION MEETING MINUTES DATE: May 12, 2025

## **CITY PROJECTS**

CHAPTER 90-CONTRACT 24 CONTRACTOR: NEWPORT CONSTRUCTION Carl Howard	Chestnut St (Pearl- Sidney)- Curb / sidewalk, Road closures (residents have access) during work hours, Raised Table at Magazine to start Next Monday Dodge St- Paving prep Monday and Tuesday, Final paving this Wednesday, Crosswalk on Thursday
CHAPTER 90-CONTRACT 25 CONTRACTOR: NEWPORT CONSTRUCTION Carl Howard	Montgomery St- flexi pave even side weather permitting, curb and sidewalk odd side Maple (Cambridge- Broadway)- curb and sidewalk, even side for the next month Dana (Cambridge- Broadway)- water main
HARVARD SQUARE PLAZA PROJECT CONTRACTOR: NEWPORT CONSTRUCTION Carl Howard	Demolition of existing site features and prep for concrete formwork
MASS AVE4 PROJECT CONTRACTOR: NEWPORT CONSTRUCTION Carl Howard/ Emily Boyle/ Ken Chartier	Construction signage, layout and Tree protection
HARVARD SQ KIOSK CONTRACTOR: WES Alison Dube	NO EMAIL Punch list
RIVER STREET STREETSCAPE PROJECT CONTRACTOR: P. GIOIOSO Carlo Molinari/ Greg Matchett/ Derek Bellucci	Pleasant St ( Pleasant Pl- Cottage)- water main install River (Memorial- Blackstone)- drainage Mass -Franklin- traffic signal and irrigation conduit install
MISC SIDEWALK CONTRACT CONTRACTOR: DEROMA & SONS Jimmy Chan/ David Wright	Mass Avenue @ Front Street- Set curb, form and grade, Concrete and Asphalt placement (weather dependent) Purrington Street @ Pacific Street- Set curb, form and grade, Concrete and Asphalt placement (weather dependent), Brickwork First Street @ Thorndike Street- Brickwork Richdale Avenue- Site prep, Excavate sidewalk and curb, Set curb; form and grade

	Site Prep: Cambridge Terrace @ Herbert Street Elm Street @ Davenport Street			
SIDEWALK MAINTENANCE CONTRACTOR: DEROMA & SONS Jimmy Chan/ TJ Shea	Walden Street @ News 1-15 Foch St 25 Harrison Ave 15 Harrison Ave 13 Harrison Ave 14 Seven Pines Ave 54 Washburn Ave 35 Buena Vista 23 Buena Vista 113 Walden 405 Walden 81 Sherman 175 Richdale 9 Jackson 19 Pemberton St 52 Rindge Ave 69 Rindge Ave	ell Street		
	Farwell Place 143 Rindge Ave 99 Reed St 368 Concord Ave			
MISC ROADWAY PAVING CONTRACT	Round 1	То	From	
CONTRACTOR: EJ PAVING	Broadway	Columbia	Portland	
Brian McLane/ Yaser Samerraei	Main	Sidney	Portland	
	Main	Albany	Tech Square	
	Magazine	Erie	Mem Drive	
	Waverly Street	Brookline	Sidney	
	Aberdeen (1/2 gas)	Huron	Mt. Auburn	
REMEDIAL CONTRACT	NO EMAIL			
CONTRACTOR: MATTUCHIO	Craige			
Lenny Russell / Ted Bulger	Antrim			
	Concord			
	St Maria			

	Cambridge
	Waverly
	Mass
SEWER & DRAIN LINING	No work in the public ROW
CONTRACTOR: NATIONAL WATER MAIN	
Eric Breen	
TV & CLEANING CONTRACT	Friday 5/16
CONTRACTOR: INSITUFORM	Green st @ Western Ave
Kevin Marlowe	Mooney St
	Porter Sq (Mass Ave Fire Station)
	Saturday 5/17
	King Open School
	Third Ave @ Gore St Fire Station
	Putnam Ave Upper School – Behind Building
FIRE HEADQUATERS	Quincy (Cambridge- Broadway)- lane closure for continued demo loadout,
CONTRACTOR: WT RICH	bike lanes and sidewalks will remain open
Rob Mallett/ Jim Davey/ Greg Keegan	Cambridge- partial lane closure for duct bank work
GOLD STAR COURT RENOVATION	No work in the public ROW
CONTRACTOR: JAM CORPORATION	
Ryan Wambach/ Jane Demoulas	
PEABODY SCHOOL PLAYGROUND	NOT PRESENT/ NO EMAIL (emailed about attendance)
CONTRACTOR: ARGUS	Playground installation
Peter Salem/ Dan Vallee	
I/I DRAINAGE PROJECT	NOT PRESENT / NO EMAIL (emailed about attendance)
CONTRACTOR: DW WHITE	Finished paving, on Land blvd
Billy White / Jim O'Brien	
TOBIN SCHOOL PROJECT	Alpine Path (Concord -Vassal)- closed for rework of our east site fence. Blue
CONTRACTOR: WT Rich	bike access will not be affected by this work.
Diego Corona/ Mark Brine	Trucking on Concord Ave
ELIOT BRIDGE / MASSDOT	North side interior brick removal then sidewalk removal
CONTRACTOR: NORTHERN CONSTRUCTION	All bikes and pedestrians use the south side (American Legion)
Jennifer Letourneau	Open to vehicles in both directions
	Barge is positions at Span #4 evaluating the underside condition

Memorial Drive Phase 3 / DCR	No work in the public ROW
CONTRACTOR:	Contractor TBD
Jennifer Letourneau	Bid Advertised 4/30/2025
	Bid Opening 6/5/2025
Magazine Beach 2.2 / DCR	Public Meeting 4/29/2025
CONTRACTOR: Metro Equipment Construction	Mobilization expected mid-August
Jennifer Letourneau	

#### **CITY DEPARTMENTS**

CAMBRIDGE ELECTRICAL DIVISION  Mark Melo 617-349-4925/ Joe McCarthy	City wide street light repairs Concord (Walden St- the rotary)- rod and rope and install fire alarm cable
CAMBRIDGE TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT	NO EMAIL No work in the public ROW
	Upcoming Bike Lane installs- Broadway, Waverly, Main
CAMBRIDGE WATER DEPARTMENT Rich Holly 617-349-4770 John Terrio, Ryan Connors	Sacramento Garden – Install new meter and backflow with cabinet Huron Ave @ Aberdeen – Leak investigation/repair Hydrant repairs citywide 13 Tremont St – service renewal JNJ Sacca-Haskell St – Water main installation all week(Mass to Rindge)
	Drought Status -Lowered to Level 1 -MILD -Water conservation is still encouraged throughout the City for construction purposes -All non-essential water use is still enforced -Household irrigation systems are allowed to irrigate ONCE A WEEK between the hours of 5 pm and 9 am -All information is posted on CWD website

#### **UNIVERSITY PROJECTS**

HARVARD	NOT PRESENT			
UNIVERSITY	12 Palmer St- Palmer st will be closed Tuesday 5/6			
Vinson Givons	Adams House (13-21 Bow Street)- deliveries and dumpster swaps			
VIIISOITOIVOITS	22 Plympton- masonry work			
	William James Plaza (33 Kirkland)- deliveries			
	Undergrad Move Out – May 15-18			
	Class day - May 28 <sup>th</sup>			
	Commencement – May 29 <sup>th</sup>			
	Senior Move Out – May 30 <sup>th</sup>			
	Harvard College Reunions- June 3 <sup>rd</sup> -June 8 <sup>th</sup>			
	Harvard Alumni Day- June 6 <sup>th</sup> All meters on Quincy St approved for the day			
MIT (Campus	Wadsworth (West side of E52/ 50 Mem Drive)- Saturday- lift, northbound lane will be closed to			
Construction)	traffic during inspection, MIT police on site with signage			
Joyand Charles	3 Ames Street (Parallel Dorms)- Deliveries and dumpster swap			
	Met Warehouse- Deliveries and dumpster swaps			
	Commencement: May 28th - May 30th			
	Undergrade move out: May 22nd			
	Graduate move out: May 31st			

## **UTILITY COMPANIES**

LIGHTPATH (CNS)	No work in the public ROW		
Sarah Howson, Herb Bertoni			
COMCAST	150 Columbia St - Rotondi- Setup for aerial cable from to feed 150 Columbia St		
Shane Flewelling	1158 Cambridge St - Rotondi- Manhole replacement		
617-406-9645	199 Prospect St - Rotondi- Vault repair		
CROWN CASTLE	Discretionary		
Sarah Feely	100 Pacific St - MH 1226 - Noise Variance PHOENIX COMMUNICATIONS		
,	OCCUPANCY – Fiber		
	8 Cambridge Center - PP MH		
1481 Cambridge St MH30515-0208			
	422 Washington St - MH30515-3000		
	65 Line St - MH30515-0209		
	418 Broadway - MH26_113A		
	15 Ware St - VZ MH26_446 NEW WAVE COMMUNICATIONS		

	Robers Rd to P5 Magnolia Ave - 94 Beacon St Hub-PHOENIX COMMUNICATIONS  OCCUPANCY - POLE/NODE  750 MAIN ST - ODAS_N010NEW ENGLAND ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING  29 HEWS ST - ODAS_2e-12 NEW ENGLAND ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING  427 Broadway - ODAS_N042 NEW ENGLAND ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING  1 Amherst St - ODAS_2E-36 NEW ENGLAND ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING  304 Vassar St - ODAS_2e-07 NEW ENGLAND ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING
EVERSOURCE ELECTRIC	Overhead
Jason Wright	22 Larch Rd – OH wire
	Huron Ave
	Loomis St – P800/9
	0 Second St – OH wire
	Underground (cable and splicing activities)
	Hancock St
	237 Brattle St
	1200 Mass Ave
	81 Washington Ave
	Prospect St
	59 7 <sup>th</sup> St
EVERSOURCE GCEP	3 <sup>rd</sup> Street
Jonny Williams- United Civil	-Test Pitting for K5A Line in Work Zone (*coordinate with J. Derenzo Work)
Jason Wright- Eversource	-Excavate for Prop. Manholes on edge of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street ROW and Volpe Private Property
	Linskey Way
	- Enabling Work to remove Curb and Sidewalk ahead of upcoming Ductbank Excavation
	Ames Street
	- Enabling Work continues for Test Pitting and S.O.E. Sleeves around the MIT Building 64
	Project Site @ Southern End
	Galileo Way
	-Excavate and Install Shoring at Manhole
	-Crane and Precast is scheduled for Wednesday to Set Manhole
	-Backfill and Remove Shoring
EVERSOURCE GAS	Garden St @ Linnaean St – Main
Michael Kerwin / AJ Ortiz	Cameron Ave (from Mass Ave to #18) – Main
	May St & Vineyard St (from Cushing St to Lawn St) - Services

	Mt Auburn St (from Gibson St to Willard St) - Services			
MIRRA	NO EMAIL			
Tyler Nardone	125 sixth- existing ariel work for comcast			
VERIZON	200 Cambridge Park Dr splicing			
Matt King				
Matthew.i.king@one.verizon.com	675 mass			
VICINITY STEAM	Cambridge Parkway @ Land Boulevard on (DCR property)- condensate line repair			
Chad Joyce				
PHOENIX COMMUNICATIONS	NOT PRESENT			
Fred York	Water -> Child -> Jacobs > North First St – proofing manholes and fiber placement for AT&T			

#### **PRIVATE DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS**

MBTA MT AUBURN CONTRACTOR: NEWPORT	Mt. Auburn Cemetery (Aberdeen)- excavated Ductbank with sidewalk closure Duration 6 weeks, Daily single lane closure at Mt. Auburn Street
KENDALL COMMON/ Volpe (55 & 75 BROADWAY) CONTRACTOR: JMA Pat Onissemo, Pat Crosby, Tom Moules, Mark Winsor	55 Broadway (demo of Volpe):  -Lane shift on Potter St for existing Building #4 demo. Lane shift will stay in place for the duration of this demolition phase (~6-7 weeks).  -BrightView repairing paver's & landscape in front of 90 Broadway this week.  -Regular deliveries to the project site.  75 Broadway (construction of new lab):  -Temporary extension of 5th Street to Binney St for project truck traffic  -Regular deliveries to the jobsite  I & I Work along Broadway: Upcoming Work  -Starting the week of 5/15 message boards will be set up along Broadway & Third Street, and Ames  -The week of 5/19 – 5/23 sidewalk work in front of the Marriott hotel will be completed. Small section of curb will be brought in to start the dual bike lane.

	-No work the week of 5/26-5/31
	-Road closures will begin the week of 6/6
121 BROADWAY	Continued culvert work on Broadway (Broadway remains a 1-way road)
CONTRACTOR: TURNER	Daily dumpsters and deliveries through Broadway at East Service Road
Zach Viegas/ Nick Pisanelli	Overhead protection install at West Service road and Broadway
123 BROADWAY	No work in the public ROW
CONTRACTOR: TURNER	Daily dumpsters & dirt tucks entering & exiting Binney St
Zach Viegas	
BOSTON PROPERTIES MXD	No work in the public ROW
(290 Binney)	Daily dumpsters & deliveries to the job site from Binney St at East Service Road
CONTRACTOR: TURNER	Weekend work - Tower Crane removal on East Service Road (Friday 5/16 -Sunday
Zach Viegas, Ben Paskal	5/18). Trucking in and out of East Service Road on Binney St
320 THIRD STREET/585 KENDALL	NOT PRESENT (merged projects / emailed about attendance)
CONTRACTOR: SUFFOLK	No work in the public right of way
Victor Proops, Fernando Fiuza	Ongoing concrete / misc construction deliveries
200 MAIN STREET	No work in the public ROW
CONTRACTOR: JM-A	Regular deliveries
Mike Marinucci	
IQHQ PROJECT	No work in the public ROW
CONTRACTOR: AECOM	
Danny Frias- IQHQ/ Mike Shanahan- AE	
1 JACKSON PLACE	NO EMAIL
CONTRACTOR: DERENZO	No work in the public ROW
Adam Noel / Jeremy Sencabaugh	Rindge Ave- trucking continued
605 CONCORD AVE	as across Concord
CONTRACTOR: NAUSET	Grind and overlay curb to curb Mid June
Michael Burke	
	NOT PRESENT
52 NEW STREET	No work in the public ROW
CONTRACTOR: CALLAHAN	Deliveries and dumpster swaps
Melanie Coo / Scott Martin	

## **SPECIAL EVENTS**

Date	Event	Location	Guests	Time
Wednesday, May 14 <sup>th</sup>	CRLS Black	Russell Field Playground	200	4:00 PM -
	Student Union			8:00 PM
	Cook-out			
Friday, May 16 <sup>th</sup> -	Santo Cristo Feast	The event is on Church Property all Day. They will have a	800	Procession
Sunday, May 18 <sup>th</sup>		Processions.		on May 17
		Event Procession: Start at 400 Cardinal Medeiros Ave to		at 5 p.m.
		Plymouth St to Berkshire St to Cambridge St and then		and May 18
		back onto Cardinal Medeiros		at 3 p.m.
Friday, May 16 <sup>th</sup>	Allium Montessori	Cambridge Common	40	3:00 PM -
	Fun Run			5:00 PM
Saturday, May 17 <sup>th</sup>	Spring Bike Ride	Map Attached		10:00AM
Saturday, May 17 <sup>th</sup>	People Party Music	Church Street Parking Lot and entire length of Church	2,000	1:00 PM -
	Festival	Street Closed		6:00 PM
Saturday, May 17 <sup>th</sup>	Port Arts Festival &	Windsor Street closure between Harvard and Main	300	10:00 AM -
	Mural Masters	Street		6:00 PM
	Competition			
Saturday, May 17 <sup>th</sup>	72nd Annual BBN	Buckingham St., Parker St. and Craigie St	700	11:00 AM -
	Circus			3:00 PM
Sunday, May 18 <sup>th</sup>	Inman Eats &	Inman Square - between Springfield St. and Prospect	3000	- MA 00:8
	Crafts	St.		5:00 PM
Monday, May 19 <sup>th</sup>	DPW Touch a	Joan Lorentz Park	30	9:00 AM -
	Truck Event			12:00 PM
Friday, May 23 <sup>rd</sup> -	Boston Calling	Street Closures: JFK St from Memorial Dr to T-Station	45,000	9:00 PM -
Sunday, May 25 <sup>th</sup>	Music Festival			11:00 PM

Sunday, May 25 <sup>th</sup>	Boston's Run To	Closures: Memorial Dr / Edwin Land Blvd (from	6,000	7:00 AM -
	Remember	Cambridgeside Place to JFK St.)		10:00 AM
Sunday, May 25 <sup>th</sup>	Somerville Sports	Rolling Closures: Gore Street, Warren Street, Cambridge	75	10:00 AM -
	Club Holy Ghost	Street and Cardinal Medeiros Avenue		1:00 PM
	Procession			
Monday, May 26 <sup>th</sup>	Memorial Day	Cambridge Common	100	8:00 AM -
	2025			4:00 PM
Tuesday, May 27 <sup>th</sup>	Rock and Roll	Sennott Park (Playround Area Only)	40	4:00 PM -
	Daycare			7:00 PM
	Broadway Spring			
	Tea			
Friday, May 30th	Puma-palooza	Rindge Field	400	3:00 PM -
				8:00 PM
Saturday, May 31st	The Attic Vintage	Entire length of Arrow Street	200	11:00 AM -
	Block Party			5:00 PM
Sunday, July 1st	Cambridge Side	First St, Binney St, Cardinal Medeiros Ave, Hampshire St,	2,200	7:00 AM -
	5K	Cambridge St		11:00 AM
Sunday, July 1st	School of Honk	Centanni Way	100	6:00 PM -
	10yr Anniversary			8:00 PM
Sunday, July 1st	Family Music Fest	Lowell School Park	100	11:00 AM -
				4:00 PM