



June 28, 2011

CONCORD AVENUE CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

The City's contractor, Mabardy Construction, will begin sidewalk reconstruction on the north side (business side) of Concord Ave on Wednesday, June 29. Crews will begin working on Concord Ave between Griswold and Spinelli Streets (initially between Sancta Maria Hospital and #769 Concord Ave).

Project Schedule

- Construction of the northerly sidewalk and cycle track will begin during the week of June 27. The work is expected to take 2 months to complete.
- Final paving will take place in late summer/early fall.
- Normal work hours will be 7 AM to 4 PM, Monday through Friday; however some Saturday work may take place as needed.

What to Expect during Construction

- Traffic on Concord Ave will be impacted by construction, but one lane will remain open in each direction; police details will be in place to assist with traffic and pedestrian flow.
- Pedestrian and vehicle access into properties will be maintained at all times, but may be restricted during utility or sidewalk construction.
- Access to bus stops and cross walks will be maintained to the extent possible
- Emergency vehicles will have access at all times.
- City services will continue uninterrupted.

For Information or Assistance

If you have any questions regarding construction, please contact Dan Vallee, Project Manager, at 617.349.4813 or dvallee@cambridgema.gov. Please also contact Kelly Dunn, Community Relations Manager at 617.349.4870 or kdunn@cambridgema.gov if you have any special need or disability that requires special accommodations. Project plans and information can be reviewed on line at: <http://www.cambridgema.gov/theworks/cityprojects.aspx>, under Concord Ave Reconstruction.

Thank you for your continued patience and understanding during these improvements.

Sincerely,

Dan Vallee, P.E.
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Cambridge Department of Public Works