



April 15, 2015

MAIN STREET CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

Roadway and Sidewalk Reconstruction Begins Week of April 21

Dear Kendall Square Neighbor,

On **Tuesday, April 21**, the city's contractor, Newport Construction, will begin roadway and sidewalk reconstruction on Main St between Ames St and Wadsworth. The road work is expected to take about 1 month to complete, while the sidewalk work will be ongoing throughout the spring and summer.

PROJECT SCHEDULE

- Starting Tuesday, April 21, crews will mobilize on Main St to begin roadway reconstruction. Work will begin on the eastbound side first (2 weeks), and then switch to the westbound side (2 weeks).
- Additionally, starting on April 21, crews will begin sidewalk reconstruction on the north (Marriott) side of Main St (2 months), followed by the south side (2 months). We will continue to provide updates as the construction progresses.

WHAT TO EXPECT DURING CONSTRUCTION

- During the road work phase, Main St will function as a one way. While crews reconstruct the eastbound lanes, only westbound traffic on Main St will be permitted. When crews switch to the westbound side, only eastbound traffic will be permitted. Please see the attached maps for detour routes.
- MBTA Bus, shuttle and trolley stops on Main St may be adjusted during roadway reconstruction. Please check signs for temporary stops.
- "No Parking" signs will be posted; please be sure to check dates/times.
- Emergency vehicles will have access at all times.

INFORMATION OR ASSISTANCE

For information or assistance during this project, please contact Dan Vallee, DPW Engineer at dvallee@cambridgema.gov / 617.304.7756 or Kelly Dunn, Community Relations Manager at kdunn@cambridgema.gov / 617.349.4870. Please also contact us if you would like to receive construction updates via email. In case of an emergency after hours or on weekends, please call the 24-Hour line at 617.349.4800.

Additional information and project plans are available online at: www.cambridgema.gov/theworks/cityprojects.aspx, under Main Street Reconstruction Project.

Thank you for your patience during this construction. We hope you enjoy these improvements once they are complete.

Sincerely,

Kelly Dunn, Community Relations Manager
Cambridge Department of Public Works

