

October 15, 2020

Traffic Alert Mabel Street Sewer Improvement Project

Hunter Contracting Co., under contract with Pima County Regional Wastewater Reclamation Department (RWRD), is continuing with construction field activities on the Mabel Street Sewer Improvement Project.

The traveling public should anticipate the following:

Mabel Street East of Stone Avenue:

On Friday, October 16, 2020 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Mabel Street will be closed to all vehicle and bicycle traffic **at the intersection of Sixth Avenue so that the pavement can be removed in preparation for the upcoming sewer installation**. Pedestrian access will be maintained.

- North and southbound Sixth Avenue at Mabel Street will be reduced to one travel lane in each direction.
- Westbound turn movements from Sixth Avenue to Mabel Street will not be permitted.
- Westbound Mabel Street through-travel at Sixth Avenue will be required to detour north or southbound at Sixth Avenue.
- Left turn movements from southbound Sixth Avenue to Mabel Street are permitted, however, there will not be a dedicated center left-turn lane at Mabel Street during this work.
- The intersection will re-open to traffic by the end of the day Friday, October 16.

The contractor continues with excavation and installation of new sewer pipe along Mabel Street east of Stone Avenue. The following restrictions will be in place through approximately mid-November 2020

- Eastbound turn movements from Stone Avenue to Mabel Street are permitted.
- Access to Stone Avenue from Mabel Street will not be permitted.
- Mabel Street between Stone and Sixth avenues will be closed to all but local traffic.
- Access to businesses on Mabel Street will be maintained.
- North and southbound access on Seventh Avenue at Mabel Street will be maintained.
- Vehicle, pedestrian and bicycle travel on Stone Avenue will not be impacted by this work.

Mabel Street West of Stone Avenue

The contractor is also continuing manhole and 12-inch sewer line installation along Mabel Street between Thirteenth and Main avenues.

Beginning Thursday, October 22 through Friday, October 30, the contractor will install the sewer line across Main Avenue. **This will be a nighttime operation**.

• Work will take place from 6 p.m. to 5 a.m. weeknights only (no work Friday and Saturday nights)

- Main Avenue will be open with one travel-lane in each direction as they trench across the roadway, shifting traffic from one side of the roadway to the other as work progresses.
- Westbound turn movements from Main Avenue to Mabel Street will not be permitted.
- The work area will be covered, and Main Avenue will re-open to full travel lanes each day from 5 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The project includes the installation of new sewer line and manholes along Mabel Street between 13th Avenue and 6th Avenue. The traveling public will see heavy equipment, work crews and traffic control during this project. Construction is scheduled to be complete by the end of 2020.

Because of the extensive work and excavation required, portions of Mabel Street will be intermittently CLOSED in the area of work. Access for local traffic and emergency response will be maintained.

The schedule is subject to change due to inclement weather or unforeseen circumstances. For your safety, please observe all traffic control, message boards and reduced speed limits.

Watch for construction personnel and equipment in the work zone.

For additional information visit <u>www.sewerimprovements.info</u>. You can also call the information line at 520-622-2527