

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE City of Duluth - Superior Street Reconstruction - Weekly Newsletter



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SUBJECT: Superior Street Construction Update: Word on the Street (July 3, 2019)

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Wrap-up of Last Week

- -Electrical ductwork installation continued.
- -The street between 5th and 6th Ave W. was opened to vehicular traffic.
- -Storm sewer was installed on 2nd Ave E.
- -The closed loop hot water system was installed through 1st Ave E.
- -Electrical duct was installed through 2nd Ave E.
- -Buildings between 2nd and 3rd Ave E. were tied into permanent water.

Additional Road Closure on July 8

-The road East of 3rd Ave E through 4th Ave. E. will be closed on Monday, July 8th to begin the next phase of Superior St. reconstruction. 3rd Ave E and Superior St will remain open until 1st Ave E. is reopened to vehicular traffic.

What to Expect July 3 - 9

- -Access to all businesses and residences will remain open.
- -Pipefitters continue to install the steam lines between 1st Ave E and Lake Ave.
- -The backfilling and grading will begin on 1st Ave E.
- -Steam lines will be installed between 1st Ave E and Lake Ave.
- -Electrical duct bank installation will continue.
- -Crews will begin removing light poles, meters and bricks from 3rd to 4th Ave E.

Sidewalk Days Festival – July 10-13!

-Next week is the Greater Downtown Council's Sidewalk Days Festival! Superior Street, between Lake Avenue &5th Avenue West, Duluth, MN. Downtown Duluth's biggest summer shopping festival will fill Superior Street for three days with great shopping, abundant food, and lots of activities and fun for everyone. Grab your friends, family and colleagues and make a date with the sunshine.

Weekly Meeting

-All are welcome at the weekly construction update meeting every Tuesday at 9:00 am at Greysolon on the ballroom level.

Clean and Safe Team

-The Clean and Safe Team (in bright yellow shirts) are helpful construction navigators. Look for them in the construction zone. If you need to contact a team member, call 218-390-8899.

Detour Routes

- -Pedestrian detour route maps are included in large kiosks at each intersection.
- -Please use the following link to review vehicle detours www.superiorstreet.org

Parking Ramps

- -Many ramps are offering free parking if you enter and leave in with an hour. For those accessing businesses in the construction zone, the following ramps are participating:
- -Hart District Ramp 125 E. Superior Street
- -Medical District Ramp 302 E. First Street
- -Tech Village Ramp 10 E. First Street