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**City of Duluth - Superior Street  
Reconstruction - Weekly  
Newsletter**

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**SUBJECT: Superior Street Reconstruction Update: Word on the Street (July 15, 2020)**

**BY: Kate Van Daele, Public Information Officer**

**Superior Street Reconstruction Update: Word on the Street (July 15, 2020)**

**Wrap-up of Last Week**

- Crews continued grading, forming and pouring sidewalk and roadway at Lake Avenue.
- Carpentry crews worked on the east plaza at Lake Avenue and a bus shelter between Lake and 1st Avenue West.
- Pipefitters continued installing the hot water lines in 1st Avenue West.
- Workers made connections from the old storm sewer system to the new storm sewer system in 1st Avenue West.
- Crews removed bricks, paving and ledge rock to prepare for the steam removal.
- Steam removals were finished between 2nd and 3rd Avenue West.
- Crews made a critical water connection into Michigan Street.
- The alley at 2nd Avenue West between Superior Street and 1st Street will be closed to perform utility upgrades.

**What to Expect July 15 - 21**

- Access to businesses and residences will remain open.
- Bricks, pavement and ledge rock will continue to be removed throughout the project zone.
- Crews will pour roadway and sidewalk at Lake Avenue.
- Structural work on vaults will continue.
- Permanent water and storm sewer tie-ins will begin between from 1st Avenue West and 2nd Avenue West.
- Hot water installation will continue from in 1st Avenue West.
- Storm structure work will continue in 1st Avenue West.

**Lake Avenue Update**

- For questions on the Lake Avenue Bridge project please contact Margie Nelson, MnDOT Public Affairs Coordinator District 1, O: 218-725-2708, [Margaret.nelson@state.mn.us](mailto:Margaret.nelson@state.mn.us)

**Weekly Meeting**

- Weekly construction meetings will be held on Tuesdays at 10:00am. To accommodate public meetings, community members may use the following conference line until group gathering restrictions have been lifted. [+1 651-964-6935](tel:+16519646935)  
United States, St. Paul (Toll) Conference ID: 289 046 099#

**Parking Ramps**

- Many ramps are offering free parking if you enter and leave within an hour. For those accessing businesses in the

construction zone, the following ramps are participating: Civic Center Ramp—410 West First StreetTech Village Ramp—10 East First StreetDuluth Transportation Center—228 West Michigan Street4th Avenue Auto Park—402 West Michigan StreetHart District Ramp—125 East Superior StreetMedical District Ramp—302 East First Street