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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 (August 19, 2020)

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Superior Street Reconstruction Update: Word on the Street (August 19, 2020)

Wrap-up of Last Week

- Crews removed bricks, paving and ledge rock throughout the project zone.
- Carpentry crews worked on vaults in the project and the Lake Avenue East Plaza.
- Crews striped the Lake Ave. intersection, between 2nd and 3rd Avenue East and the 5th Avenue West intersection.
- Pipefitters finished installing the hot water lines between Lake Avenue and 1st Avenue West.
- Crews continued watermain work at 2nd Avenue West.

What to Expect August 19 - 26

- Access to businesses and residences will remain open.
- Bricks, pavement and ledge rock will continue to be removed throughout the project zone.
- Structural work on vaults and the east plaza at Lake Ave. will continue.
- Signal steel will be installed in Lake Avenue.
- Electrical duct will be completed Lake Avenue and 1st Avenue West.
- Hot water installation will continue between Lake and 1st Avenue West.
- The alley entrances between Superior Street and 1st Street at 2nd Avenue West will be closed to accommodate utility upgrades.
- The Lake Avenue and Superior Street intersection will be opened to north and southbound traffic by Saturday, August 22.
Of note, east and westbound traffic will open after the completion of the Lake Avenue East Plaza.

Lake Avenue Update

- For questions on the Lake Avenue Bridge please contact Margie Nelson, MnDOT Public Affairs Coordinator District 1,
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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