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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 26, 2020)

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Superior Street Reconstruction Update: Word on the Street (August 26, 2020)

Wrap-up of Last Week

- The Lake Avenue intersection was opened to north and southbound traffic. East and westbound traffic will open after the completion of the Lake Avenue East Plaza.
- Signal steel was installed at Lake Avenue.
- 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.
- Pipefitters finished installing the hot water lines in 1st Avenue West.
- Temporary water connections were completed from 2nd to 3rd Avenue West.
- Planned asbestos abatement in the historic steam ducts was completed.
- The alley entrances between Superior Street and 1st Street at 2nd Avenue West were closed to accommodate utility upgrades.

What to Expect August 26 – September 2

- 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 Avenue will continue.
- Electrical duct will be installed at 1st Avenue West.
- Hot water installation will continue from 1st to 2nd Avenue West.
- Existing watermain will be removed and fusing will begin on the new watermain pipe.

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

