



PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

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STREET DIVISION MAINTENANCE UPDATE
STREET SWEEPING

Rockford, IL- The fall arterial sweeping cycle began Tuesday, September 4, 2018, and was completed by September 14, 2018. The fall residential sweeping cycle commenced on Monday, September 17, 2018.

Areas to be swept the week beginning October 29, 2018 are as follows:

- City Limits east to Huffman Boulevard - Auburn Street north to Halsted Road
- N 2nd Street east to N Alpine Road - Rural Street north to Highcrest Road
- N Mulford Road east to City Limits - Spring Creek Road/Perry Creek Parkway north to E Riverside Boulevard

Each Thursday throughout the sweeping season, weekly updates will be provided to highlight the areas of the city in which street sweepers will be working. Maps will also be included to provide a visual of areas completed, not completed, and those in progress.

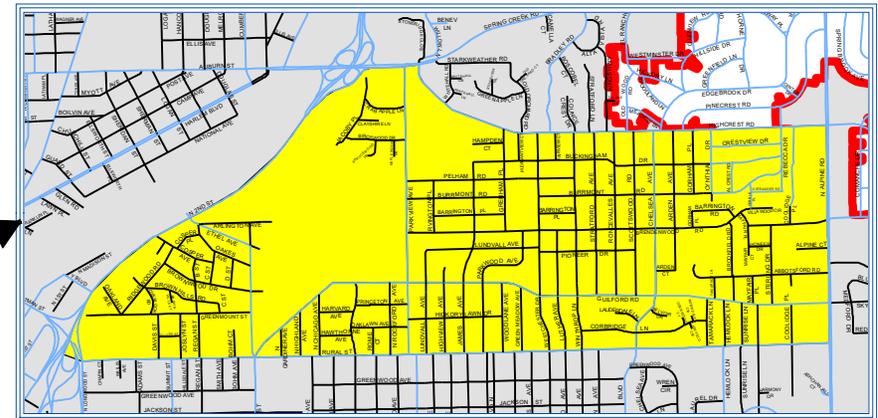
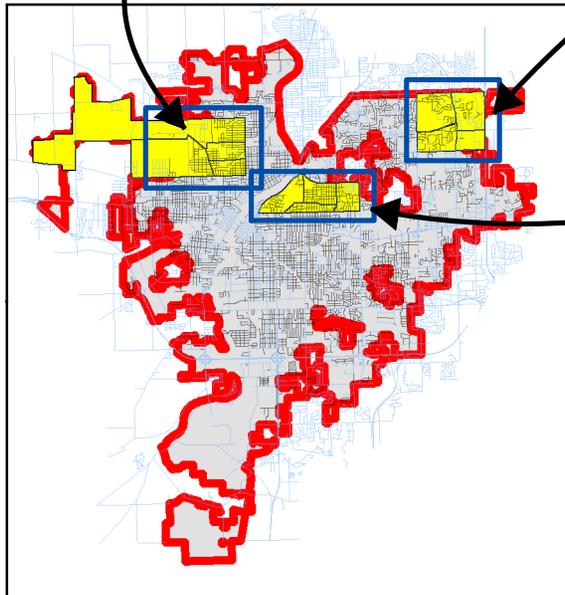
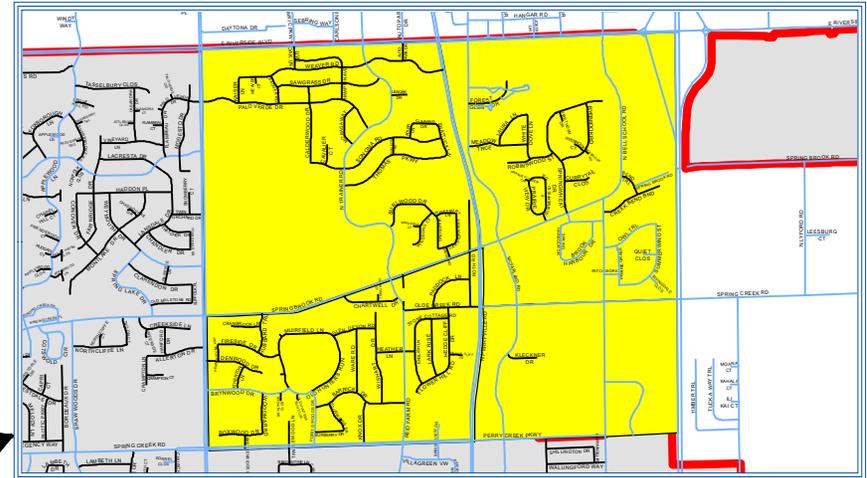
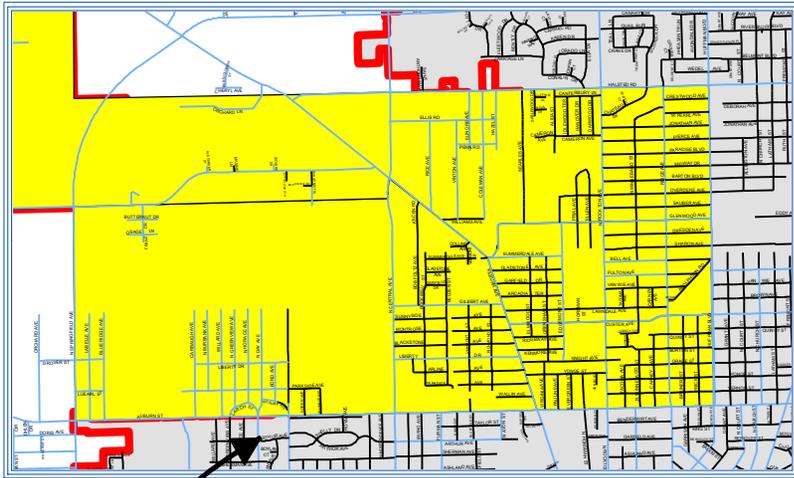
All Street Division Operations are dependent on existing weather conditions and are subject to change accordingly. Citizens are urged to approach Public Works Crews with caution and at a reduced speed below the posted speed limit.

The City of Rockford appreciates your continued patience and cooperation as we perform our Street Maintenance Activities.

For questions regarding this project, please contact Harry Noble, Street Maintenance Supervisor, at (779)348-7619.

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Fall 2018 Street Sweeping Detail



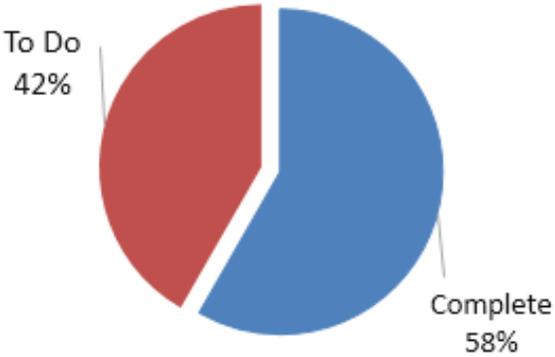
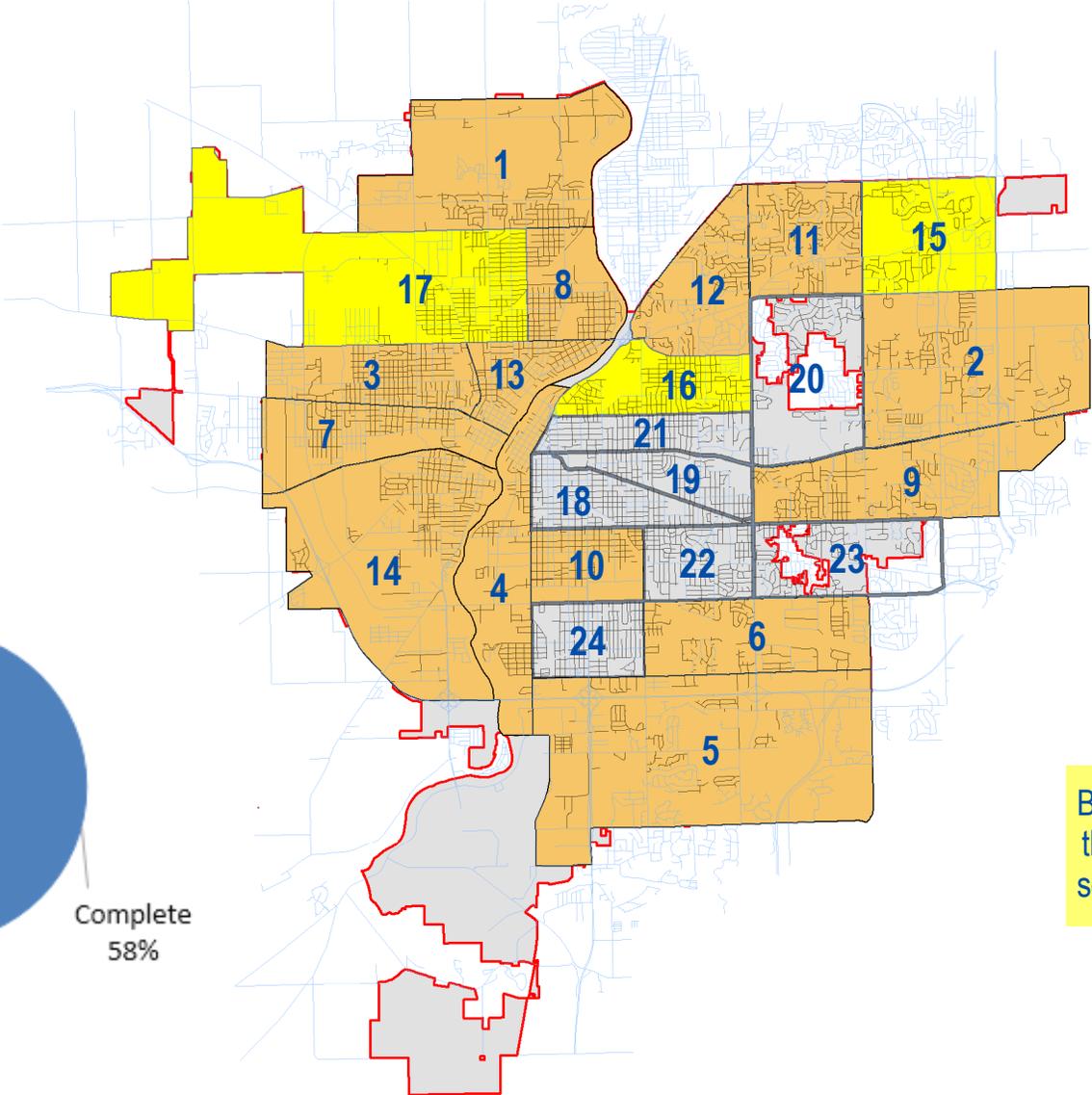
Residential streets in the indicated areas are scheduled* for sweeping the week of:

October 29 through November 2, 2018

*Sweeping operations are subject to weather conditions and may change without notice

Residential Street Sweeping

Fall 2018 Cycle Overview



Blue numbers indicate the order in which the sections will be swept.

Orange areas indicate where residential sweeping has been completed for this cycle.
Yellow areas are scheduled for sweeping during the next week.





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WATER DIVISION MAINTENANCE UPDATE

CITY OF ROCKFORD COMPLETES ANNUAL FLUSHING PROGRAM

Rockford, IL- The City of Rockford has completed its annual unidirectional flushing program. Thank you for your cooperation during this season while flushing operations were conducted.

The City will continue to address all water quality concerns and spot flush as necessary.

Water quality questions and concerns may be directed to the Water Quality Section at 779-348-7151.

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ENGINEERING DIVISION MAINTENANCE UPDATE

IDOT PROJECT LANE CLOSURES AND UPDATE

N MAIN STREET (IL 2) –

PIERCE AVENUE TO CAMPUS HILLS BOULEVARD

Rockford, IL- As of October 8, 2018, the new traffic pattern is in place at the intersection of N Main Street and Riverside Boulevard. Please be aware of this change while driving through the construction project. The River Bluff Boulevard and N Main Street intersection will only be open to traffic traveling north and south bound on N Main Street (IL 2). There will be no access traveling east or west on River Bluff Boulevard. This is in place as a safety measure for the driving public and workers on site. N. Main (IL 2) and Riverside Boulevard will continue to be down to one lane each direction to continue the reconstruction of the project.

Please be advised that using adjacent business and private property parking lots as a cut through detour is prohibited and may result in a traffic ticket. There will continue to be an increase in equipment and construction workers as work progresses throughout the construction season. We ask that all drivers slow down and take extra precautions when traveling through the work zone to protect construction workers, emergency responders, other motorists, as well as themselves. Please expect delays throughout the construction zone and consider alternate routes for the duration of the project. Completion for the project is scheduled for November 2018. **Please note that access to all businesses will remain open during the closures and through the entire construction limits of the project.**

The N Main Street Roadway Project consists of pavement removal, excavation, roadway re-alignment, PCC pavement (concrete), HMA pavement (blacktop), curb and gutter, landscaped median, multi-use path and sidewalk construction, water main replacement, storm sewer installation, landscaping, street lighting, traffic signal modernization and interconnection, pavement markings, erosion control, maintenance

of traffic as well as all other necessary items to complete the improvements.

IDOT and the City will be coordinating with all applicable governmental agencies throughout the project.

For questions regarding this project, please contact Rick Rundblade, Project Manager, at (779)348-7642.

HARMON PARK DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS PHASE 9 & 10

Rockford, IL- Construction is nearly complete at the Harmon Park Drainage Improvement project. The contractor is finishing up with asphalt paving and cleanup for the completion of the project. This is scheduled to conclude by October 31, 2018, and is currently on schedule. The location of the project area is between West Gate Parkway to Nebraska Road as well as Nebraska Road to Louisiana Road/Colorado Avenue. The majority of the work will be completed within the blocks mentioned above. There will be reconstruction of Nebraska Road, Louisiana Road, and Colorado Avenue.

The scope of the project is to increase storage of stormwater to help reduce some of the drainage issues in this area. The roads mentioned above will be closed to through traffic during construction. Please consider using an alternate route for the duration of this project.

For questions regarding this project, please contact Rick Rundblade, Project Manager, at (779)348-7642.

SPRING BROOK ROAD AND LYFORD ROAD INTERSECTION - RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT

Rockford, IL- Beginning Monday, July 23, 2018, construction crews began constructing a new intersection at Spring Brooke Road and Lyford Road. The intersection is closed to all drivers, with the exception of nearby residents. Drivers traveling near the intersection area are required to utilize Spring Creek Road and Shaw Road as alternative routes. It is anticipated that the work will be complete by the mid November 2018.

This project is taking place in conjunction with the Mercy Health Hospital Project. New roadways are currently being constructed along the Mercy Health Hospital campus, which will serve as a corridor for private development in the area. Lyford Road is being extended north and will tie into the Riverside Boulevard and Paladin Parkway intersection.

Drivers are reminded to stay alert for workers when driving through the construction zone.

For questions regarding this project, please contact Austin Crull, Senior Project Manager, at (779)348-7610.

**MARKET STREET ROADWAY CLOSURE –
SIDEWALK RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT**

Rockford, IL- On Monday, September 17, 2018, construction crews began constructing new concrete sidewalk along Market Street. Two sections of Market Street is closed while construction work is being performed. The first section of Market Street closure is from Water Street to Madison Street, and the second section of Market Street closure will be from Madison Street to 1st Street. Each closure will consist of one block.

Madison Street will still be open during this construction project. The road closures will be closed to all drivers except for nearby residents and businesses. Weather permitting, this project is anticipated to be complete by Friday, November 2, 2018.

Drivers are reminded to stay alert for workers when driving through the work zone.

For questions regarding this project, please contact Austin Crull, Senior Project Manager, at (779)348-7610.

15TH AVENUE BRIDGE EXPANSION JOINT REPAIRS

Rockford, IL- The joint repairs on the 15th Avenue Bridge is now complete. The City of Rockford appreciates your continued patience and cooperation during this project.

For questions regarding this project, please contact Marty Ruvolo, Senior Project Manager, at (779)348-7632.

CITY WIDE STREET REPAIRS GROUP NO. 1 – 2018 (RESIDENTIAL)

Rockford, IL- Construction work continues on the City Wide Street Repairs Group No. 1 – 2018 (Residential) Project. This project consists of various pavement repairs throughout the city.

Work will consist of full width resurfacing with curb and gutter, sidewalk, ADA ramps, driveway approaches, as well as structure repairs as needed at the following locations:

- 1) Amphitheater Drive from Argus Drive to Colosseum Drive
- 2) Anee Drive from Laurel Cherry Drive to Revere Ridge Road
- 3) Chartwell Drive from Spring Brook Road to Trainer Road
- 4) Chartwell Court from Chartwell Drive to cul-de-sac

- 5) Fourwinds Drive from Burberry Drive to Barrick Drive
- 6) Laurel Cherry Drive from S Trainer Road to Anee Drive
- 7) Moonhaven from Guilford Road to cul-de-sac
- 8) Old Colony Bend from Woodcreek Bend to cul-de-sac
- 9) Settlement Way from Newburg Road to Old Colony Bend
- 10) Tanglewood Lane from Spring Creek Road to cul-de-sac
- 11) Laurel Cherry Drive from Willowick Lane to S Trainer Road
- 12) 8th Avenue from 17th Street to 20th Street
- 13) Greenwood Avenue from Chicago Avenue to Rome Avenue
- 14) Jackson Street from Chicago Avenue to Rockford Avenue
- 15) Barrington Road from Gorham Place to Brendenwood Road
- 16) Gorham Place from Burrmont Road to Buckingham Drive
- 17) Auto Park Drive from E Riverside Boulevard to Weaver Road
- 18) Hermitage Trail from Kildeer Place to Machinaw Trail
- 19) High Point Drive from St. Moritz Trail to Garden Lane
- 20) Imperial Oaks Drive from Spring Brook Road to Crofton Drive
- 21) Landsdale Drive from Haddon Place to Pepper Drive
- 22) Palo Verde Drive from Mulford Road to Kaiser Lane
- 23) Pepper Drive from Alpine Road to Pepper Court
- 24) Raspberry Trail from Sherbrooke Road to cul-de-sac
- 25) Sherbrooke Road from Providence Forge to Applewood Lane
- 26) Thyme Drive from Charing Drive to Crested Butte Trail
- 27) Alliance Avenue from Safford Road to Broadview Road
- 28) Broadview Road from Alliance Avenue to end of Broadview Road
- 29) Bavarian Lane from Angus Court to Foliage Lane
- 30) East Gate Parkway from 25th Street to 19th Avenue
- 31) Greendale Drive from North Moor Drive to Colorado Avenue
- 32) North Moor Drive at the intersection of North Moor Drive and Wendover Drive
- 33) Custer Avenue from N Church Street to Huffman Boulevard
- 34) Packard Parkway from Duesenberg Drive to cul-de-sac
- 35) Ridge Avenue from Pierce Avenue to Halsted Road
- 36) Sky Mist Way from Elmwood Road to Sundance Lane
- 37) Sundance Lane from Sky Mist Way to end of Sundance Lane
- 38) Alder Avenue from Raven Street to Turner Street
- 39) Belle Meade Lane from Emerson Drive to Blenheim Drive
- 40) Coolidge Place from Rural Street to cul-de-sac
- 41) Crosby Street from Fairview Boulevard to Thrush Circle
- 42) Dafred Drive from Sandra Lane to Donna Drive
- 43) Dempster Avenue from Emerson Drive to Blenheim Drive
- 44) Emerson Drive from Wind Point Drive to Larson Avenue
- 45) Glendale Avenue from Oak Grove Avenue to Michael Drive
- 46) Jackson Street from Hilton Avenue to Warren Avenue
- 47) Medford Drive from Redbluff Drive to Skyline Drive
- 48) Raven Street from N Alpine Road to Alder Avenue

- 49) Turner Street from Alder Avenue to Dawn Avenue
- 50) Wind Point Drive from Glendale Avenue to Peter Avenue
- 51) 6th Avenue from 10th Street to 11th Street
- 52) Deborah Avenue from N Main Street to End of Deborah Avenue
- 53) Oxford Street from Harper Avenue to Brown Avenue
- 54) Sunnyside Drive from Pleasant Valley Boulevard to new pavement
- 55) Filmore Street from Arthur Avenue to Auburn Street
- 56) Taylor Street from Bluefield Street to N Avon Street
- 57) Waldo Street from Elm Street to Chestnut Street
- 58) Azure Court from Highfield Terrace to cul-de-sac
- 59) Berger Place from Highfield Terrace to cul-de-sac
- 60) Carol Court from Starview Drive to Fletcher Place
- 61) Cleveland Avenue from S Alpine Road to Holmes Street
- 62) Highfield Terrace from Villanova Drive to Wichita Drive
- 63) Wagonette Drive from Newburg Road to Sulkey Lane
- 64) Wichita Drive from Capetown Avenue to cul-de-sac
- 65) Anderson Street from S Day Avenue to S Horace Avenue
- 66) Green Street from S Horace Avenue to Vista Terrace
- 67) S Horace Avenue from E State Street to Chestnut Street
- 68) S Horace Avenue from Green Street to Preston Street

Due to weather, completion for this project has been delayed to the end of October 2018. Construction operations at the above listed locations may require parking restrictions at some short periods of time.

For questions regarding this projects, please contact Steve Sumner, Senior Project Manager, at (779)348-7645.

CITY WIDE STREET REPAIRS GROUP NO. 3 – 2018 (CONCRETE)

Rockford, IL- Construction work began on the City Wide Street Repairs Group No. 3 – 2018 (Concrete) Project. This project consists of various pavement repairs throughout the city.

Full width resurfacing with curb and gutter repairs, sidewalk repairs, ADA Ramps, driveway approaches, drainage repairs, and structure repairs will occur as needed at the following locations:

- 1) Post Avenue from Logan Street to Hancock Street
- 2) S Church Street from Loomis Street to Montague Street
- 3) S Court Street from Loomis Street to Montague Street
- 4) Heath Street from S Main Street to Weldon Street
- 5) Weldon Street from Heath Street to Lincoln Avenue
- 6) Lyran Avenue at the intersection of Lyran Avenue to Southworth Street
- 7) Arline Avenue from Belden Street to Rockwell Street
- 8) Lapp Court from Horsman Street to Kilburn Avenue

- 9) Ohio Parkway from Harrison Avenue to Chadwick Drive
- 10) Jackson Street from Warren Avenue to Fairview Boulevard
- 11) 9th Avenue from 7th Street to 8th Street
- 12) Parmele Street from 21st Street to 22nd Avenue
- 13) Ellis Avenue from Harlem Boulevard to Clinton Street
- 14) Winnebago Street from Cherry Street to Locust Street
- 15) Woodlawn Avenue from Winnebago Street to Acorn Street
- 16) 5th Avenue from 11th Street to 14th Street
- 17) 5th Street from 22nd Avenue to 23rd Avenue
- 18) Mulberry Street from N Hinkley Avenue to Irving Avenue

Reconstruction of roadway with new curb and gutter, driveway approaches, and structural repairs will occur as needed at the following locations:

- 1) Sawyer Road from 9th Street to Bildahl Street

Curb and gutter repairs, sidewalk repairs, ADA ramps, driveway approaches, drainage repairs, and structure repairs will occur as needed at the following locations:

- 1) 17th Avenue Sidewalk – 2315 17th Avenue Sidewalk Repairs
- 2) 19th Street Sidewalk – 1315 19th Street Sidewalk Repairs
- 3) Regan Street Sidewalk – 202 Regan Street Sidewalk Repairs
- 4) Brendenwood Road Sidewalk – 1208 Arden Avenue Sidewalk Repairs
- 5) North Court Street Sidewalk – Intersection of N Court Street and W State Street
- 6) Harlem Boulevard Sidewalk – 1227 Harlem Boulevard Sidewalk Repairs
- 7) Latham Place/King Street Parking Lot Curb and Gutter
- 8) Logan Street Sidewalk – 1704 National Avenue Sidewalk Repairs
- 9) Pleasant View Court from Buckingham Drive to Highcrest Road
- 10) 16th Street – 3126-3140 16th Street Curb and Gutter
- 11) 18th Street – 3003-3007 18th Street Curb and Gutter
- 12) Arline Avenue Sidewalk from Vermont Street to Belden Street
- 13) Arline Avenue Sidewalk from Rockwell Street to Astor Lane
- 14) Arline Avenue Drainage – Arline Avenue to Kent Creek
- 15) Belden Street Sidewalk from Parkside Avenue to Arline Avenue
- 16) Grant Avenue Sidewalk – 1028 Grant Avenue Sidewalk Repairs
- 17) Liberty Drive Sidewalk from Kilburn Avenue to Richmond Street
- 18) Liberty Drive Sidewalk from Vermont Street to Belden Street
- 19) Carolina Avenue Sidewalk – 3307 Carolina Avenue Sidewalk Repairs
- 20) Wesleyan Avenue Sidewalk from 20th Street to Ohio Parkway
- 21) 3rd Avenue Sidewalk – 714 3rd Avenue Sidewalk Repairs
- 22) 7th Street Sidewalk – 702 7th Street Sidewalk Repairs
- 23) 4th Street Sidewalk – 1802 4th Street Sidewalk Repairs
- 24) Clinton Street Sidewalk from Cottage Grove Avenue to Brown Avenue
- 25) Douglas Street Sidewalk – 1727 Douglas Street Sidewalk Repairs
- 26) Harlem Boulevard Sidewalk from Ellis Avenue to Cottage Grove Avenue
- 27) Harper Avenue Sidewalk – 315 Harper Avenue Sidewalk Repairs
- 28) 20th Street Drainage – 1405 20th Street Drainage Repairs

- 29) 19th Street Curb and Gutter – Broadway to 15th Avenue
- 30) Eastmoreland Avenue/Louisiana Road ADA Ramps
- 31) Grenshaw Street/Arcadia Terrace ADA Ramps
- 32) Loomis Street Curb and Gutter – Loomis Street/Rail Road

Alley reconstruction with new concrete surface, curb and gutter repairs, sidewalk repairs, driveway approaches, drainage repairs, and structure repairs will occur as needed at the following locations:

- 1) Alley 61 – Between the 2600 Block of 19th Street to the 2600 Block of 20th Street
- 2) Alley 517 – Between the 0700 Block of Ellis Avenue to the 0700 Block of Camlin Avenue

Concrete patching and structure repairs needed at the following locations:

- 1) Alley 828 – Between the 1200 Block of N Church Street to the 0300 Block of Reynolds Street
- 2) Auburn Street from Independence Avenue to Pierpont Avenue
- 3) Spring Creek Road from Saxon Place to Bordeaux Drive

Construction for this project is expected to end on November 2, 2018. Construction operations at the above listed locations may require parking restrictions at some short periods of time.

For questions regarding this projects, please contact Steve Sumner, Senior Project Manager, at (779)348-7645.

CITY WIDE STREET REPAIRS GROUP NO. 4 – 2018 (ARTERIALS)

Rockford, IL- Construction work is scheduled to begin the week of Monday, September 17, 2018, on the City Wide Street Repairs Group No. 4 – 2018 (Arterials) Project. This project consists of various pavement repairs throughout the city.

Full width resurfacing with curb and gutter repairs, sidewalk repairs, ADA Ramps, driveway approaches, drainage repairs, as well as structure repairs will occur as needed at the following locations:

- 1) Barnum Road from Lyle Street to Foley Street
- 2) Hanson Street from Emmett Drive to Pershing Avenue
- 3) Lapey Street from Sawyer Road to Roosevelt Road
- 4) Lyle Street from Fitch Road to Barnum Road
- 5) Marshall Street from Pershing Avenue to Sawyer Road
- 6) Sawyer Road from Horton Street to 15th Street
- 7) Ethel Avenue Patching from N 2nd Street to Oakes Avenue
- 8) Montague Street from N Main Street to West Street
- 9) Prospect Street from Rural Street to Arlington Avenue
- 10) Forest View Road from 26th Avenue to 28th Avenue

- 11) Sandhutton Avenue from Harrison Avenue to Wansford Way
- 12) Stowmarket Avenue from Harrison Avenue to Wansford Way
- 13) Wansford Way from Sandhutton Avenue to cul-de-sac

Replacement of the 6 inch water main, valves, services, and associated appurtenances as well as new installation of the 8 inch ductile iron main, valves, services, hydrants, and associated appurtenances will take place. This construction will occur along Montague Street between S Main Street and West Street.

Construction for this project is expected to end on November 2, 2018. Construction operations for these locations may require a parking restrictions at some short periods of time.

For questions regarding this projects, please contact Steve Sumner, Senior Project Manager, at (779)348-7645.

CITY WIDE SIDEWALK AND ADA REPAIRS PACKAGE 3 – 2018

Rockford, IL- City Wide Sidewalk and ADA Repairs 2018 Package No. 3 is in process. Construction activities may include, but are not limited to, replacing sidewalk and ADA ramps, parkway restoration, as well as other related work on the northwest and southwest sides of Rockford. The necessary traffic control and signage will be posted.

The City of Rockford appreciates your continued patience and cooperation during this project.

For questions regarding this project, please contact Charles Englund, Project Manager, at (779)348-7614.

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