



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 November 19, 2018 are as follows:

- N Alpine Road east to N Mulford Road - E State Street north to Spring Creek Road
- N 3rd Street - east to N Alpine Road - E State Street north to Rural Street

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.

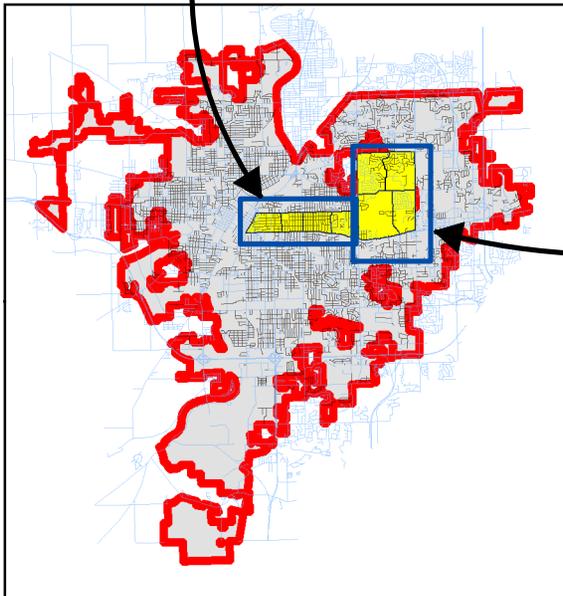
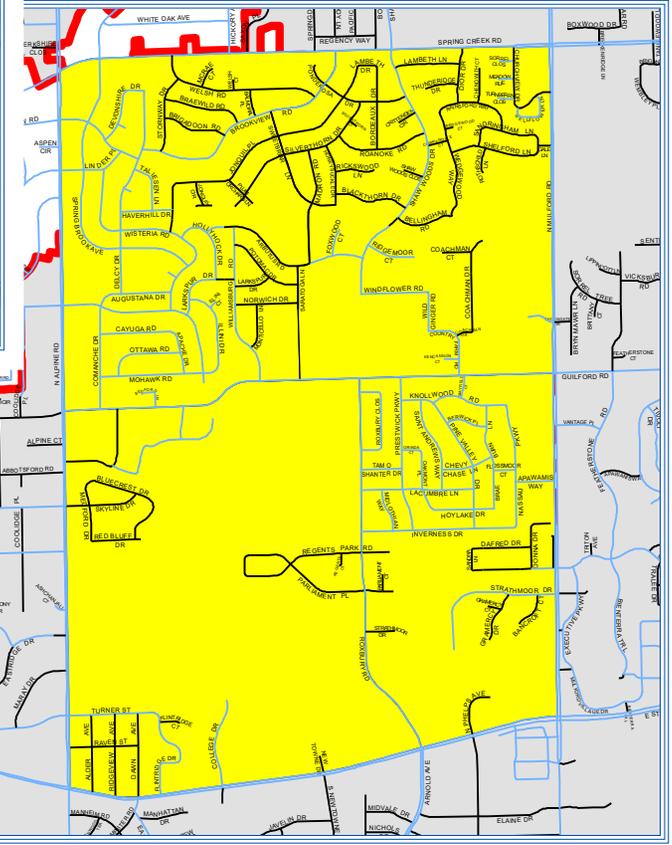
All Street Division Operations are dependent on existing weather conditions and are subject to change accordingly. Citizens are urged to approach Public Works Crews with caution and at a reduced speed below the posted speed limit.

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

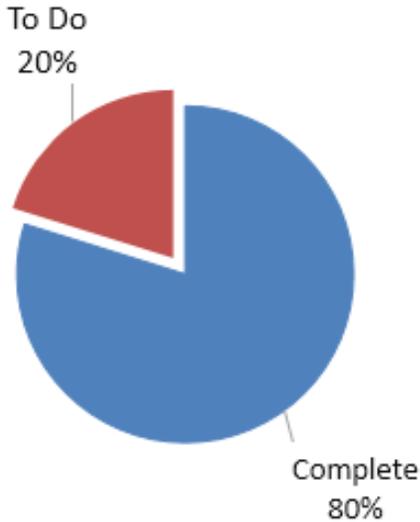
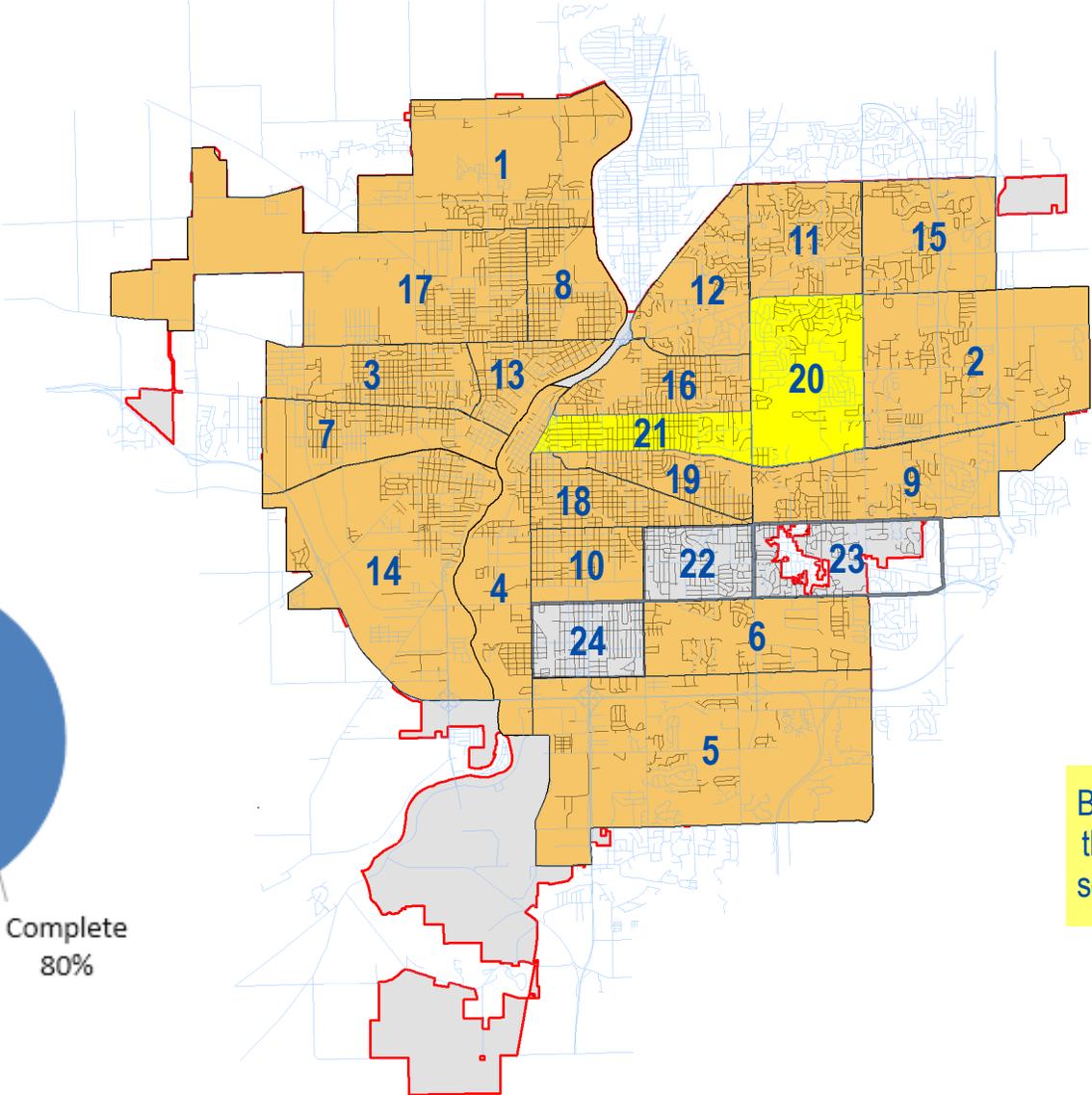


Residential streets in the indicated areas are scheduled* for sweeping the week of:
November 19 through November 23, 2018
*Sweeping operations are subject to weather conditions and may change without notice



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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ENGINEERING DIVISION MAINTENANCE UPDATE

IDOT PROJECT LANE CLOSURES AND UPDATE

N MAIN STREET (IL 2) –

PIERCE AVENUE TO CAMPUS HILLS BOULEVARD

Rockford, IL- N. Main Street (Il 2) and Riverside Boulevard will continue to be down to one lane each direction under the new traffic pattern 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 the end of 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.

YALE DRIVE CULVERT REPLACEMENT

Rockford, IL- Construction work has begun on replacing the drainage pipes under Yale Drive near the intersection of Yale Drive and Carthage Drive. The anticipated completion date for this project is scheduled for December 31, 2018.

The project consists of removing and replacing two pipes that are located under Yale drive, reshape and stabilize the ditch with rip rap stone, as well as reconstruct the sidewalk, curb, railing, and pavement. Yale Drive will be closed to traffic throughout the project. Please use an alternate route during this period of time. Weather is a dependent factor when dealing with the scheduling of construction. The City of Rockford thanks you for your continued cooperation and apologizes for any inconvenience this may cause.

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 end of 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.

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 anticipated to be completed by Friday, November 16, 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 anticipated to be completed by Friday, November 16, 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 STREET REPAIRS GROUP NO. 5 – 2018 (ARTERIALS)

Rockford, IL- Construction work began the week of Thursday, October 4, 2018 on the City Wide Street Repairs Group No. 5 – 2018 (Arterials) Project. This project consists of various pavement repairs throughout the city.

Full width resurfacing with structure repairs as needed at the following locations:

- 1) Elmwood Road from Spooner Drive to Browns Beach Road
- 2) McFarland Road from Spring Brook Road to East Riverside Boulevard
- 3) Rote Road from Lyford Road to University Drive

Construction for this project is anticipated to be completed by Friday, November 16, 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 4 – 2018

Rockford, IL- City Wide Sidewalk and ADA Repairs 2018 Package No. 4 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 northeast and southeast 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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