



## 2018 STREET RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT

**TO:** Residents in Project Areas 17-06 and 18-01  
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**City Project Nos.: 17-06 and 18-01**

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On a project-wide basis, Forest Lake Contracting is ahead of schedule.

For **Project Area 18-01**, curb and gutter was placed on 10th Street, 11th Street, and Morehead Avenue (north of 11th Street). These areas, including the alleys north of 10<sup>th</sup> Street are expected to be paved on Monday June 4<sup>th</sup>. Concrete sidewalks, and four incomplete concrete driveways, are planned to be poured on June 5<sup>th</sup>. Prior to these dates, the contractor will be shaping and preparing the subgrade. Please avoid driving atop new concrete for at least 5 days.

Q3, Xcel Energy's contractor, is making good progress completing gas main improvements. They are trying to stay ahead of the City's work and so far are doing a good job.

Next week, utility work will continue on Johnson Avenue, 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> Street. Johnson Avenue will likely be subcut next week. This work prepares the base of the road for eventual pavement placement.

For **Project Area 17-06** (Old White Bear Avenue), the new forcemain was officially put in service at approximately 3:00 am on Wednesday, 23rd. The switchover activities took place in the middle of the night, our sincere thanks for your patience. Next week the subgrade will be receiving significant soil corrections – that is part of the reason for the current conditions.

The contractor is spending additional time today cleaning up the sites for the holiday weekend. However, the site is still an active construction zone – please be careful driving through the site, and please advise any visitors to use extra caution in your neighborhood.

If you need special assistance, please contact our office at 651-429-8531 and we will do our best to accommodate these needs. Thank you for your patience!



On Johnson Avenue, workers dig to evaluate the material type of the existing water service. Lead and galvanized water services are being replaced with copper.



On 9<sup>th</sup> Street (viewed westward from Johnson Avenue), deep sanitary sewer repairs were completed at this location over the last week.