

Scheduled Construction Activity for the Week of Friday, April 22 – Thursday, April 28, 2011:

Affected Property Owners: 506-532 Ridgewood Drive

- Valley gutter/curb placement on the north side of Ridgewood Drive. Contractor has been able to work 300-400' increments. One crew will cut and remove segments of asphalt wing, and then the next day the concrete crew places new curbing. The crews will leapfrog with a goal of 300-400' per day. Then crews will back up and clean up previously worked areas. It is expected that as the project gets well underway, that they will be able to work in 500-600' increments per day.
- Contractor will continue removing concrete driveway aprons and replacing them with concrete. New aprons will require at least 24 hours to cure before being driven on. If any cracking is observed, it will immediately be identified and corrected.
- During this phase thru traffic is being detoured via Worcester Drive. Local traffic, police, fire and public works will be allowed access. The detour is during the work day only; roadway will be open to thru traffic each evening. Contractor will notify Daphne Police of road closures and details which will be relay to the Fire Department and other Emergency Agencies. Additional detour signage will be placed to assist with diverting of traffic.
- Tree removal in the medians may commence next week as well.

Notes for Property Owners and other affected parties:

- The Contractor's goal is to accomplish 400 linear feet of curbing per day. Frontage property owners will be displaced from access to their driveways for 48-72 hours while their new driveway aprons are built and cure. Affected residents will be directed to park in a designated median.
- Sod is expected to be delivered and placed starting on Monday, April 25, 2011.
- There will be lane closures, detours and flagmen present during construction hours. Delays are inevitable, please plan accordingly. Daphne Police will be requested to enforce speeds at approaches to and in construction zones. During this phase of the project, work hours are expected to be from 8:00 AM until 4:00 or 5:00 PM.
- During the next phase work hours will be adjusted to accommodate school traffic.
- City Officials, Project Engineers, Contractors and other stakeholders will hold weekly project briefing and update meetings every Thursday at 1:30 p.m. An update release will be issued every Friday for the duration of the project.

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