

Phase 2: Downtown Streetscape Project

June 28, 2024



Construction updates for the week of:

June 30th – July 5th

This will be a short but very (positively) impactful construction week. The final layer of pavement will occur at night between Sunday and Tuesday nights. The streets are typically reopened for vehicle traffic by 6am. Paving hours will be as following:

Sunday, June 30th: 5pm – 6am; Scott Street (between State and School) and North State between Norton and Henry Monday, July 1st: 6pm – 6am; South State Street between Mill and Gobbi Tuesday, July 2nd: 8pm – 6am; South State Street between Gobbi and Cherry

During the daytime hours (Monday-Wednesday), crews will be onsite to "raise the irons." This is the process of drilling through the new asphalt to "unbury" the utility manholes and bringing them up to the new level of the street. (No, we didn't accidentally pave over them.;) This is how it's done.) Work will begin on the north end and work toward the south. There will be intermittent jackhammering associated with this work. There will be no construction on Thursday-Friday, July 4th-5th.

Traffic signals are scheduled to be activated between July 9th and 11th. Remember that these will be "smart" signals, like the ones currently installed at Perkins and Standley Street. They are demand based, rather than timed, and allow for left turns on flashing yellow lights, which ensures more efficient traffic flow.

The "Urban Core" project (www.cityofukiah.com/ucrt), which consists of Main, Gobbi and Perkins Street, will continue on West Gobbi between Dora and State to replace water and sewer lines. Main Street will be completely reopened, and there will be intermittent traffic control on West Gobbi. As usual, residents and delivery traffic will be allowed access.

Bonus: Low Gap is getting reconstructed between State and Bush! Starts July 8th; will take about a week.

Where will the work occur? Paving work on both sides.

What are the construction days/hours? Construction hours will be Sunday-Wednesday, day and night.

Will there be dust and noise? Very little dust; some noise associated with paving work and "raising the irons" on both sides.

Will there be any disruptions to parking access or streets? Streets will be entirely closed while paving at night; open the next morning. Traffic signals at Gobbi/State and Mill/State and Scott/State will remain on flash.

Would you like to receive theses updates by email? Call or send an email to Traci Boyl; contact info below.

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