



Press Release
City of Douglas
Week of September 13, 2010

The City of Douglas continues work on various projects. This work is being completed by the Department of Public Works and is part of the Mayor and Council's ongoing infrastructure improvement program.

Pan American Avenue Traffic Control Measures

Pan American Avenue southbound traffic will be restricted to alleviate traffic congestion and eliminate gridlocked intersections. Eastbound, southbound and westbound traffic at the 3rd Street and 5th Street intersections will be restricted. For questions or concerns please call the Public Works Department at 417-7329.

Curbing Installation

There will be curb, gutter and sidewalk installation on 20th Street from Washington Avenue to 'A' Avenue. Reconstruction work will take place on 21st Street between 'A' Avenue and Washington Avenue on September 17th & 18th. Asphalt repair will begin on 15th Street between Florida Avenue and San Antonio Avenue on September 13th. Construction work hours will be from 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Saturday. No parking will be allowed within the construction limits and vehicular traffic will be restricted along project limits. Vehicles parked within the project limits WILL BE TOWED AWAY.

Street Closure

Twenty-first Street from 'A' Avenue to Washington Avenue will be closed for road chip sealing which began on September 10th & 11th beginning at 7:00 a.m. through 4:00 p.m. on Friday & Saturday. Please DO NOT PARK in this area during construction. If your vehicle is parked in the area that is under construction, IT WILL BE TOWED AWAY.

Water Main Replacement

A new water main system upgrade and fire hydrant installation will take place on 20th Street at the 1100 and 1200 blocks between 'A' Avenue and Division Avenue. Streets will be closed during the day beginning at 6:00 a.m. through 3:30 p.m.

Sewer Construction

New sewer-line installation will continue at the south-side of Wal-Mart.

Fire hydrant and water system maintenance also continues along with miscellaneous concrete repairs, pothole patching, and graffiti cleanup throughout the city. Should problems arise with water and/or sewer services on the weekend or a holiday, please contact the Douglas Police Department at 417-7550, and staff on call will be dispatched to your residence. The City asks that you please obey all construction detours and use caution while driving or walking through these construction zones. Please help keep everyone safe.

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