

UPTOWN IS GETTING AN UPGRADE

UPDATES:

Date: Nov. 9, 2021

Recent Week(s):

- Traffic signal poles at the 10th Street intersection were reinstalled. The traffic signal lights will be left off until the roadway is ready to open.
- Light pole bases have been installed on the south side of 7th Avenue.
- Work on the masonry pier foundations began in the locations along 7th Avenue.
- Roadway paving from 10th Street to 12th Street was completed, except for the concrete pavers at the 11th Street pedestrian crossing. Roadway paving within the 10th Street intersection began.
- Building entrance improvements were completed for the 2021 phase of the project.
- Storm sewer, gas and underground electrical work continued in the 11th Street Plaza area. Work on the fire tables also continued in the 11th Street Plaza.
- The handrail was installed for the building entrance ramps in the 1200 block of 7th Avenue.
- Information was shared with building and business owners regarding winter snow removal operations for properties adjacent to the current construction zone.



This Week/Next Week:

- Sidewalk panels adjacent to the buildings in the 1000 and 1100 blocks will be removed and replaced. The contractor will coordinate with individual building owners during these short-term sidewalk closures.
- Work on the masonry piers and fire tables will continue. Masonry work on these items is expected to begin.
- Electrical conduit will be installed for the street lighting on the south side of 7th Avenue. Work will begin on the street light bases on the north side of 7th Avenue.
- Roadway paving of the 10th Street intersection will be completed. Sidewalk curb ramps are expected to be installed as well.

Phase I Expected Completion:

- With continued good weather, 7th Avenue is expected to reopen to traffic around Thanksgiving. The roadway and sidewalks are the top priority. Some streetscape amenity work may carry into 2022. The second phase of the project will begin in the spring.

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