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Recent Week(s):

- All paving, sidewalk and electrical work has been completed in the 10th Street intersection.
 The intersection is currently now open to traffic.
- All pole bases for the streetlights have been installed within Phase 1 of the project.
- Electrical conduit was installed on the south side of 7th Avenue and installation began on the north side of the street.
- Work on the masonry pier foundations continued in the locations along 7th Avenue.
- Most of the subbase rock was installed in the 11th Street Plaza and work on the fire tables continued in the 11th Street Plaza.



• The existing sidewalks adjacent to the store fronts in the 1000 and 1100 blocks of 7th Avenue were removed and the ~7.5 foot-wide "café zone" of the sidewalk was installed.

This Week/Next Week:

- Electrical conduit installation along the north side of 7th Avenue will be completed. Once completed, handholes will be set and electrical wiring will begin to be pulled throughout the project.
- Work on the 6 foot-wide "standard zone" of sidewalk is expected to begin in the 1000 and 1100 blocks of 7th Avenue. The paving work for the sidewalk crossing at 11th Street will begin as well.
- The remainder of the sidewalk on the west side of the 11th Street Plaza will be removed and replaced.
- The installation of the pavers on 7th Avenue at the 11th Street crossing will be completed.
- Work on the masonry piers and fire tables will continue.

Phase I Expected Completion:

• 7th Avenue is expected to open within the coming weeks. With continued good weather, the contractor is working to complete as much work as possible this season in order to minimize impacts to traffic and businesses next year. Some streetscape amenity work will carry into 2022. Phase 2 will begin in the spring.

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