

UPTOWN IS GETTING AN UPGRADE

UPDATES:

Date: March 24, 2022

Recent Week(s):

- Alliant Energy has run a new feed to the transformer which will power the Uptown street lighting.
- Street light poles have been installed along 7th Avenue and the 11th Street Plaza.
- The catenary string lights were installed in the 11th Street Plaza.
- Work resumed on the brick pavers in the 1100 block of 7th Avenue.



Looking ahead:

- Electrical work will continue along 7th Avenue and the 11th Street Plaza. The street lights are expected to be operational in the next week.
- Concrete work in the 11th Street Plaza will resume as the weather allows. (Phase 1 pictured below)
- The installation of other finish materials, such as benches, light shrouds and decorative lead pavers will begin.
- The contractor will begin Phase 2 of the project on March 28, 2022. Phase 2 includes the reconstruction and streetscaping work of 10th Street from 7th Avenue to 8th Avenue. Fencing will be installed to allow sidewalk access to the 10th Street businesses.
- Phase 2 will begin with the removal of the existing pavement and the reconstruction of the sanitary sewer within that block. Water main work will follow the sanitary sewer work.
- On March 31, 2022, the contractor will close eastbound 8th Avenue at 10th Street to install a new sanitary sewer manhole at the intersection and install the new sewer line. This closure is expected to last 7-10 days, weather dependent. A detour will be posted.

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