



North Central Street Streetscapes Water Main Replacement Project

Project Information Sheet and Map

Last updated on 10/10/16

Project Area

This project will replace the water main along a 12-block section of North Central Street, beginning at the area just north of the railroad tracks in the Old City (near Depot Avenue) and progressing north to Woodland Avenue. Crews will also replace a section of water main on Fifth Avenue, between Lamar Street and Williams Street, as part of this project. Sections of water main date back to the late 1800's and early 1900's. This utility upgrade is being completed ahead of the City of Knoxville's planned Streetscapes Project in the historic Happy Holler section of North Knoxville.

Project Overview

- Water main to be replaced: approximately 8,800 feet
- Fire hydrants to be replaced: 26
- Customer Service line connections: 131
- Total project cost: \$1,850,000

Project Details

- Safety of public and workers during this project is KUB's highest priority
- Construction methods include boring and open-cut trenching
- Project coordinated with City of Knoxville
- Construction to progress from south to north along North Central Street
- Installation of the water main will be on the west side of North Central Street between the Old City railroad tracks and Fifth Avenue and on the east side between Fifth Avenue and Woodland Avenue
- Fifth Avenue installation will be on the south side of the street
- Existing water main and services will remain active until construction and tie-ins to new main are complete
- KUB will coordinate planned service interruptions for tie-ins to the new main

Traffic Impacts

- Construction to be completed in block-to-block sections
- Entire length of North Central will not be impacted at one time
- Lane closures in immediate work zone, but shifts will be made to keep at least one lane in each direction open at all times
- Section between Old City railroad tracks (south of Depot Ave.) and Fifth Avenue will require a detour of southbound traffic
- Sidewalk closures in immediate work zone
- KUB will coordinate to maintain means of ingress/egress to businesses, offices, and parking areas
- Where possible, efforts will be made to coordinate work around special events and to minimize potential conflicts

Project Schedule

- Construction prep work to begin in late October 2016
- All utility construction scheduled for completion by June 2017
- City Streetscapes Project will extend beyond completion of utility construction
- Weekday work hours will be from 6 a.m.–6 p.m.
- Some overnight and weekend work may be required to accommodate ingress/egress issues, planned service interruptions, and to facilitate timely completion

Project Communications

- **KUB Major Construction Projects Blog.** Includes weekly updates on utility traffic control and utility construction progress
- Blog Link – <http://kubmajorprojects.blogspot.com/>
- Send your e-mail address to **blog@kub.org** to receive updates
- **Project hotline – 558-2330** – After normal business hours
- Updates posted on www.kub.org (Special Projects Page)
- Information posted on KUB's Online Construction Projects Map (visit www.kub.org, click on "Maps" link at top of homepage, then click on "Construction Projects Map")
- **Social Media** — key updates and information about the project posted on Facebook and Twitter

See reverse for project area map.

Public Meeting

City of Knoxville and KUB Officials

Date: Thursday, October 13

Time: 5:30 p.m.

Location:

Central United Methodist Church
(Rear Entrance)
201 E. Third Avenue
Knoxville, TN 37917

KUB Project Contact



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Customer Support Hotline:
558-2330 (Leave recorded
message. Responded to by
end of next business day.)

KUB Century II Program



Century II is KUB's long-range program to improve and maintain our utility systems for our customers. It will help move KUB into our second century of service through sound planning, resource allocation, and continued or accelerated investment. Century II reflects KUB's commitment to provide reliable utility services and meet customers' needs—now and in the future. Anticipating and addressing needs now provides long-term benefits. Visit www.kub.org for more details about the Century II program.

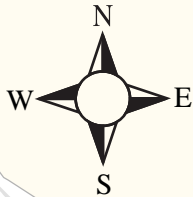
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City of Knoxville North Central Street Streetscapes
Depot Avenue to Woodland Avenue

Additional short section of water main on Fifth Avenue
Lamar Street to Williams Street



Utility Construction Time Frame: Fall 2016 to June 2017
City of Knoxville Streetscapes Project to Follow Block-by-Block



TRAFFIC

- Work completed block-to-block
- Lane closures will be in effect in immediate work zone
- At least one lane will remain open in each direction at all times
- Section between Old City railroad tracks (south of Depot Ave.) and Fifth Avenue will require a detour of southbound traffic
- KUB will issue traffic advisories and updated maps for all lane closures as construction progresses from block-to-block

Map Legend

Water Main Replacement North Central Street

- West side of street from Old City railroad tracks to Fifth Avenue
- East side of street from Fifth Avenue to Woodland Avenue

Fifth Avenue

- South side of street from Williams Street to Lamar Street