



Engineering Division

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RE: Downing Square Improvement Project: Road Work Notice

Dear Resident/Business Owner:

This is an important update informing you that the contractor for the Town's Downing Square Improvement Project will be performing road work during the last part of September. Due to logistical and safety challenges the work will begin on or about September 16, 2013 and is anticipated to take two (2) weeks to complete. Once a scheduled date of work is determined for overnight operations (milling and paving), another flyer will be handed out to adjacent homes and residences.

The first phase of the road work will be road milling which will take place in the intersection and on the connecting streets of Park Avenue, Park Avenue Extension, Lowell St., Bow Street and Westminster Avenue. Given the potential traffic congestion, business disruptions and safety issues involved it was determined to perform the majority of this work at night to increase safety and expedite the project.

The project will entail three (3) phases of construction:

Phase #1 - will include road milling operations, which will grind and prepare the road surface for future paving and will require approximately six (6) hours to complete. This work will be performed at night between the hours of 9:00p.m & 3:00a.m.

Phase #2 - will last approximately a one (1) week and will include adjustments and preparation of the road prior to paving. This work will be performed during the day between the hours of 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Phase #3 - The paving operations will also be performed at night and is anticipated to be completed within 6-8 hours.

Traffic may be re-directed by Police officers to alternate lanes as necessary to coordinate with the progress of the road work and paving operations. Please adhere to traffic signs and directions. Police detail officers will be available to provide assistance with traffic management as necessary and will enforce parking restrictions.

All scheduling details are weather permitting and may be altered due to encountered site conditions. If you have any questions about the project, please contact the Arlington Engineering Division; Pete Lento at (781) 316-3323 or Wayne Chouinard at (781) 316-3320.