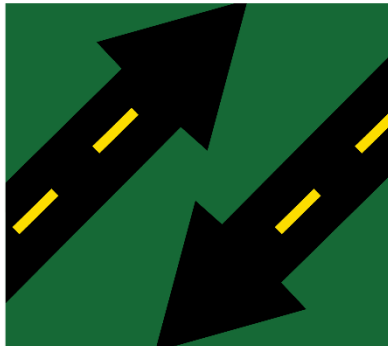




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In an effort to keep local drivers informed of the latest traffic and road maintenance operations by the Road Commission, we have provided the following update for the **week of May 25, 2020**. For further information call 269-381-3171 or visit RCKC website www.kalamazooountyroads.com.

“This information is made available to assist motorists in planning for construction delays,” Joanna Johnson, Managing Director of the Road Commission said. “Motorists are reminded to **be alert, slow down, stay informed, and be cautious when approaching a work zone**. Remember, these projects signify progress in improving our infrastructure!”

Please note: This information is subject to change. Projects, road closures and timing can change from day to day, depending upon a number of factors, and traffic delays can develop in a matter of minutes due to weather conditions, emergency situations, etc.

Brady Township

Road: **29th Street – over Portage River**
Current Status: Tentative start date of July 15, 2020.
Detour: **W Avenue to 36th Street to U Avenue**
Project Information: Bridge rehabilitation including hot mix asphalt deck milling and overlay, remove and replace bridge railing, guardrail, waterproofing membrane and concrete surface coating.
Start Date: July 15, 2020
End Date: August 26, 2020

Road: **U Avenue – 29th Street to 32nd Street**
Current Status: Culvert installations at 32nd Street. Top layer of asphalt pavement and work on driveways tentatively week of May 26,2020 and gravel shoulders to follow.
Detour: **29th Street to W Avenue to 36th Street**
Project Information: This project includes hot mix asphalt base crushing, shaping and resurfacing, culvert replacements, signs and pavement markings.
Start Date: March 16, 2020
End Date: June 30, 2020

Charleston Township

Road: **Kalamazoo River Valley Trail #6 – 35th Street to 37th Street (Charleston / Comstock Townships)**
Current Status: Removals continue along Battle Creek Street and will start on Mill Street. Recent rains have delayed prep work in the woods along the river headed to the park.
Detour: **No Detour**
Project Information: This project includes hot mix asphalt and concrete shared use path, station grading and slope restoration.
Start Date: May 4, 2020
End Date: October 30, 2020

Comstock Township

Road: **35th Street – over Kalamazoo River**
Current Status: Tentative start date of August 27, 2020.
Detour: **Lane closures only.**
Project Information: Bridge rehabilitation including epoxy overlay of bridge deck, guardrail, and concrete surface coating.

Start Date: August 27, 2020
End Date: September 12, 2020

Road: N Avenue – at Grand Trunk Railroad
Current Status: Final project cleanup.
Detour: Open to traffic.
Project Information: This project includes the hot mix asphalt widening, construction of a center-turn lane and pavement markings.
Start Date: April 27, 2020
End Date: May 22, 2020

Road: East Michigan Avenue – Sprinkle Road to River Street
Current Status: Final project cleanup.
Detour: Project to open to traffic, end of the day on May 22, 2020.
Project Information: Finishing emergency repair from 2019 washout of shoulder and lane.
Start Date: April 16, 2020
End Date: May 22, 2020

Cooper Township

Road: 14th Street – E Avenue to D Avenue
Current Status: Pulverizing complete.
Detour: Through traffic discouraged; please seek alternate route. Local traffic please proceed slowly through work zone.
Project Information: This project includes pulverizing and paving.
Start Date: May 6, 2020
End Date: End of July

Road: D Avenue – 17th Street to Riverview Drive
Current Status: Final project cleanup.
Detour: Open to traffic.
Project Information: This project includes hot mix asphalt cold milling and resurfacing, concrete curb and gutter at intersections, culverts, storm sewer, drainage, shoulder widening and pavement markings.
Start Date: April 6, 2020
End Date: May 9, 2020

Road: **D Avenue – Rolling Meadows Drive to Douglas Avenue**
Current Status: Final project cleanup.
Detour: **Open to traffic.**
Project Information: This project includes hot mix asphalt cold milling and resurfacing, concrete curb and gutter at intersections, culverts, drainage, shoulder widening and pavement markings.
Start Date: April 6, 2020
End Date: May 9, 2020

Road: **Riverview Drive – G Avenue to Mt. Olivet Road**
Current Status: Restoration work continuing the week of May 25, 2020.
Detour: **Lane closures only. Expect delays.**
Project Information: This project includes milling, HMA overlay, shoulder widening and traffic signal.
Start Date: March 20, 2020
End Date: May 29, 2020

Oshtemo Township

Road: **9th Street – over Amtrak**
Current Status: Tentative start date of September 14, 2020.
Detour: **Lane closures only.**
Project Information: Bridge rehabilitation including epoxy overlay of bridge deck, guardrail, and concrete surface coating.
Start Date: September 14, 2020
End Date: September 27, 2020

Road: **Drake Road – KL Avenue to West Main Street**
Current Status: Concrete work and some hot mix asphalt paving set to occur the week of May 25, 2020.
Detour: **Lane closures are anticipated during the project.**
Project Information: This project includes hot mix asphalt cold milling and resurfacing, concrete sidewalk and ramps, signal upgrades, and pavement markings.
Start Date: May 4, 2020
End Date: September 15, 2020

Road: Drake Road – Parkview Avenue to West Main Street
Current Status: Underground work from West Main Street to KL Avenue starting the week of May 25, 2020.
Detour: Lane closures are anticipated during the project.
Project Information: This project includes traffic signal upgrades along Drake Road from West Main Street to Parkview Avenue including a new mast arm traffic signal at Parkview Avenue.
Start Date: April 23, 2020
End Date: September 15, 2020

Road: Drake Road Trail (North Section) – Green Meadow Road to West Main Street
Current Status: Final project cleanup.
Detour: No Detour
Project Information: This project includes construction of a new shared-use concrete path, curb replacement, retaining walls and pedestrian ramp and signal upgrades.
Start Date: March 23, 2020
End Date: May 26, 2020

Pavilion Township

Road: S Avenue – 34th Street to 36th Street
Current Status: Crushing of existing asphalt surface complete. Continued work on culverts and grading the gravel surface in preparation for asphalt paving.
Detour: 29th Street to Q Avenue to 36th Street.
Project Information: This project includes hot mix asphalt base crushing, shaping and resurfacing, shoulder widening, drainage, and pavement markings.
Start Date: May 7, 2020
End Date: August 28, 2020

Schoolcraft Township

Road: Portage Road – over Gourdneck Creek
Current Status: Tentative start date of July 15, 2020.
Detour: Lane closures only.
Project Information: Bridge rehabilitation including epoxy overlay of bridge deck, guardrail, and concrete surface coating.
Start Date: July 15, 2020
End Date: July 29, 2020

Texas Township

Road: 9th Street at N Avenue
Current Status: Pole installation and wiring to occur the week of May 25, 2020.
Detour: Southbound lane closures may be necessary at times.
Project Information: Traffic signal repair due to accident
Start Date: May 18, 2020
End Date: June 15, 2020

County Wide Projects

Road: Systemic Signs Upgrade
Current Status: Stop Sign Upgrades in Texas Township
Detour: No detours or lane closures are anticipated.
Project Information: This project includes upgraded installations at stop signs in the southern half of the county.
Start Date: March 23, 2020
End Date: June 30, 2020

Road: Crack filling on various roads in Kalamazoo County
Current Status: Crack filling to begin the week of May 4, 2020, weather pending. Starting in Comstock township progressing counterclockwise through the county.
Detour: Traffic to be maintained during project. Temporary flagging operations may be necessary.
Project Information: Crack Filling
Start Date: May 4, 2020
End Date: Mid-June

Road: Hot Mix Asphalt Wedging on various roads in Kalamazoo County
Current Status: Hot Mix Asphalt Wedging to begin the week of April 27, 2020 in Comstock township progressing counterclockwise through the county.
Detour: Traffic to be maintained during project. Temporary flagging operations may be necessary.
Project Information: HMA Wedging
Start Date: April 27, 2020
End Date: June 30, 2020

Road: **Pavement Marking on various roads in Kalamazoo County**
Current Status: County wide pavement marking in Alamo, Cooper, Oshtemo, and Kalamazoo Townships to start the week of May 25, 2020 depending on weather.

Detour: **Expect delays in work zones. Please do not follow pavement marking operations too close, as to avoid potential paint on vehicles.**

Project Information: Pavement Marking
Start Date: May 11, 2020
End Date: November 15, 2020

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