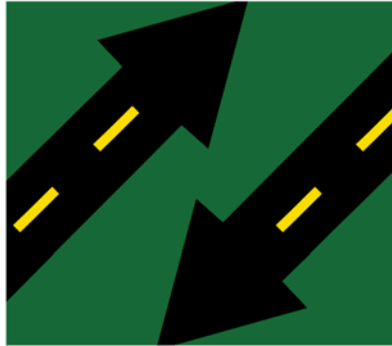




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Weekly Project Updates

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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 July 26, 2021**. 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.

Alamo Township

Road: Country View Drive - 8th Street to 1,400 east of 8th Street
Current Status: Milling and HMA paving week of 7/26
Detour: None
Project Information: This project includes milling and HMA overlay.
Start Date: End of July
End Date: Mid August

Road: Owen Drive - 1,875' south of B Avenue to B Avenue
Current Status: Awaiting Chipseal
Detour: None
Project Information: This project includes high shoulder removal, gravel, pulverizing, culvert installation, tree removal
Start Date: June 14, 2021
End Date: August 31, 2021

Climax Township

Road: R Avenue - 36th Street to east County Line
Current Status: Completing culvert replacement in the west phase of project 36th St to 43rd St. Starting the east phase of culvert replacements from 43rd to the County Line. Follow posted detour.
Detour: One lane open to traffic during construction except during culvert replacements. Road will be closed during culvert replacements. Easterly detour route: 43rd Street, Q Avenue, 44th Street, ON Avenue, ½ Mile Road in Calhoun County. Westerly detour route: 36th St, PQ Ave, 38th St, O Ave, 42nd St, ON Ave, 44th St, Q Ave, 43rd St.
Project Information: Road rehabilitation project including 2 inches of existing road surface milling and hot mix asphalt overlay. Intersection improvements including curb at 38th Street and paved gravel road intersections. Replacement of culverts under the roadway.
Start Date: April 19, 2021
End Date: August 31, 2021

Comstock Township

Road: Hidden Shore Drive - 1,813' south of G Avenue to G Avenue, Waterwood Drive - 1,662' west of Hidden Shore Drive to 603' east of Hidden Shore Drive
Current Status: Roadside Restoration Late-July
Detour: None
Project Information: This project includes milling, HMA surface coarse, roadside restoration, and tree trimming/removal.
Start Date: May 19, 2021
End Date: October 15, 2021

Road: Kincaid Street - Josephine Street to 2,200' north of Josephine Street
Current Status: Paving end of July
Detour: None
Project Information: This project includes high shoulder removal, pulverizing, HMA base and surface coarse
Start Date: June 7, 2021
End Date: End of July

Cooper Township

Road: 14th Street - E Avenue to D Avenue
Current Status: Fog Seal over the construction joint the week of 07/26
Detour: No Detour, but slight delays may occur during paving operations.
Project Information: This project includes HMA paving, driveway adjustments, and gravel shoulders.
Start Date: June 30, 2021
End Date: Late July

Road: G Avenue - Riverview Drive to 24th Street (Cooper / Kalamazoo Townships)
Current Status: Milling the south (east-bound) lane of G Avenue scheduled for 7/27. Paving to follow 7/28 weather pending. Traffic down to one lane and one direction at a time. Delays could be up to 15 minutes. Manhole structures to be adjusted later in week.
Detour: One lane to be kept open throughout project. Expect delays.
Project Information: Road rehabilitation project including 2 inches of existing surface milling and hot mix asphalt overlay. Some drainage improvements at intersection of Mt. Olivet and new curb installation. Sidewalk ramp improvements to current standards.
Start Date: June 14, 2021
End Date: August 6, 2021

Kalamazoo Township

Road: G Avenue - Riverview Drive to 24th Street (Kalamazoo / Cooper Townships)
Current Status: Milling the south (east-bound) lane of G Avenue scheduled for 7/27. Paving to follow 7/28 weather pending. Traffic down to one lane and one direction at a time. Delays could be up to 15 minutes. Manhole structures to be adjusted later in week.
Detour: One lane to be kept open throughout project. Expect delays.

Project Information: Road rehabilitation project including 2 inches of existing surface milling and hot mix asphalt overlay. Some drainage improvements at intersection of Mt. Olivet and new curb installation. Sidewalk ramp improvements to current standards.
Start Date: June 14, 2021
End Date: August 6, 2021

Road: Nichols Road - W. Main Street to Ravine Road
Current Status: Work to install concrete curb and gutter from Grand Prairie to Ravine and structure adjustments the week of 7/26.

Detour: Road closed to through traffic during the project. The detour route is West Main Street, Drake Road, Squires Drive, and Ravine Road.

Project Information: This project includes roadway resurfacing of Nichols Road from West Main Street to Ravine Road. Shoulder widening for non-motorized, curb and gutter, and storm sewer installation will occur with this project on Nichols Road between Alamo Avenue to Ravine Road. The traffic signal at Nichols Road and Grand Prairie will also be replaced and modernized.
Start Date: May 19, 2021
End Date: October 15, 2021

Road: Solon Street - City of Kalamazoo Limits to W. Main Street
Current Status: The contractor is anticipated to start structure adjustments and other necessary removals the week of 7/26 in preparation for milling and paving.

Detour: Road will remain open to traffic except for a couple of days during paving operations. At that time the detour route will be Arboretum Pkwy, Drake Road, Squires Drive, Ravine Road.

Project Information: This project includes milling and HMA overlay on Solon Street from West Main Street to the City of Kalamazoo Limits. This project will be coordinated and constructed with the Nichols Road project.
Start Date: May 19, 2021
End Date: October 15, 2021

Oshtemo Township

Road: Quail Run Drive - Stadium Drive to 9th Street
Current Status: Manhole adjustments and roadside restoration week of 7/26

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes milling and HMA overlay.

Start Date: July 1, 2021
End Date: Beginning of August

Pavilion Township

Road: S. Sprinkle Road - Milham Avenue to N Avenue (Pavilion Township / City of Portage)

Current Status: Installing dewatering wells at Meredith followed to begin water main work.

Detour: One lane to be kept open in each direction on Sprinkle Road. Expect delays. Side roads may be closed temporarily for culvert replacements and water main work.

Project Information: Road rehabilitation project including 4 inches of existing surface milling and hot mix asphalt overlay. Culvert replacement at the County Drain under the intersection at Meredith Street. Additional culvert replacements and culvert lining within project limits. Drainage improvements at intersection of Milham Ave. Partnering with City of Portage for minor water main improvements at Meredith Street.

Start Date: June 16, 2021

End Date: October 30, 2021

Prairie Ronde Township

Road: 8th Street - XY Avenue to W Avenue

Current Status: Shoulder widening to start week of 7/26. Could be some traffic delays.

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes Gravel, Shoulder Widening, Pulverizing, Trees, Culverts, HMA Base, Leveling , Surface courses

Start Date: July 26, 2021

End Date: July 26, 2021

Road: XY Avenue - 8th Street to US-131(Prairie Ronde / Schoolcraft Townships)

Current Status: Shoulder widening to start week of 7/26. Could be some traffic delays.

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes Gravel, Shoulder Widening ,Pulverizing, Trees ,Culverts, HMA Base, Leveling , Surface courses

Start Date: July 26, 2021

End Date: July 26, 2021

Richland Township

Road: AB Avenue - 29th Street to 30th Street

Current Status: Awaiting pulverization Late - July

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes gravel and pulverizing.

Start Date: June 7, 2021
End Date: June 30, 2021

Road: AB Avenue - M-89 to 28th Street
Current Status: Gravel installation Late - July
Detour: None
Project Information: Gravel, Pulverizing, Culvert Installation, HMA Base and Surface Paving, Tree Trimming/Removal
Start Date: June 15, 2021
End Date: October 1, 2021

Road: CD Avenue over Spring Brook
Current Status: Additional culvert replacement of smaller 36" diameter culvert west of Spring Brook scheduled for 7/27. Road expected to be closed for 1-2 days. Through traffic should seek alternate route. Main project at Spring Brook tentatively starting week of 8/9.
Detour: Road closed during culvert replacement up to 3 weeks. Follow posted detour route: 26th St, DE Ave, Sprinkle Rd, 24th St, CD Ave.
Project Information: Replacement of existing culvert with 6 foot span concrete box culvert.
Start Date: August 9, 2021
End Date: October 1, 2021

Schoolcraft Township

Road: 15th Street - 2,650' south of YZ Avenue to YZ Avenue
Current Status: Culvert installation week of 7/26
Detour: None
Project Information: This project includes high shoulder removal, gravel, pulverizing, tree trimming/removal, culvert installation, double chip seal, and fog seal.
Start Date: May 5, 2021
End Date: July 31, 2021

Road: 15th Street - 2,300' south of YZ Avenue
Current Status: Culvert replacement complete.
Detour: Road closed during culvert replacement.
Project Information: Replacement of existing culvert with a 10 foot span corrugated metal pipe arch.
Start Date: July 6, 2021
End Date: July 30, 2021

Road: Channelview Avenue - 23rd Street to Waterview Avenue, Waterview Avenue - 23rd Street to 220' south of Channelview Avenue, Bayview Avenue - Waterview Avenue to Peninsular Drive, Peninsular Drive - Bayview Avenue to 578' east of Bayview Avenue

Current Status: Roadside Restoration End of July

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes milling and HMA overlay.

Start Date: June 29, 2021

End Date: End of July

Texas Township

Road: 10th Street - R Avenue to Q Avenue

Current Status: Roadside Restoration, Shoulder Gravel Week of 7/26

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes milling, HMA surface coarse, culverts, and tree removal/trimming.

Start Date: June 14, 2021

End Date: End of July

Road: 10th Street - Q Avenue to Texas Drive

Current Status: Manhole Adjustments week of 7/26

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes milling, HMA surface coarse, and tree removal/trimming.

Start Date: June 30, 2021

End Date: End of July

Road: Bel Villagio Drive - S Avenue to Bel Shore Lane, Bel Shore Lane - 659' west of Pleasant Meadow Trail to 341' east of Bel Villagio Drive, Pleasant Meadow Trail - Bel Shore Lane to Bel Villagio Drive

Current Status: Roadside Restoration End of July

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes milling and HMA overlay.

Start Date: June 18, 2021

End Date: End of July

Road: Treasure Island Drive - Pepper Avenue to 2,544' north of Pepper Avenue, Pepper Avenue - Treasure Island Drive to 667' east of Finnagen Street, Woods Drive - Treasure Island Drive to 934' north of Treasure Island Drive, Finnagen Street - PQ Avenue to Pepper Avenue

Current Status: Drainage improvement work, Driveway adjustments, and Slope restoration beginning of August

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes milling, HMA overlay and drainage improvements

Start Date: Week of 7/19

End Date: End of September

Wakeshma Township

Road: 39th Street - TU Avenue to T Avenue

Current Status: Culvert Installation Late-July, Tree removal Late-July, Paving End of July

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes high shoulder removal, gravel, pulverizing, culvert installation, HMA base and surface paving.

Start Date: June 7, 2021

End Date: End of July

Road: X Avenue - 38th Street to 40th Street

Current Status: Awaiting tree removal late July

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes high shoulder removal, gravel, pulverizing, culvert installation, and tree trimming/removal.

Start Date: May 7, 2021

End Date: July 31, 2021

Road: X Avenue - 37th Street to 38th Street

Current Status: Awaiting tree removal late July

Detour: None

Project Information: This project includes high shoulder removal, gravel, pulverizing, culvert installation, tree trimming/removal.

Start Date: May 23, 2021

End Date: Early June

Other Township

Road: S. Sprinkle Road - Milham Road to N Avenue (City of Portage / Pavilion Township)

Current Status: Installing dewatering wells at Meredith followed to begin water main work.

Detour: One lane to be kept open in each direction on Sprinkle Road. Expect delays. Side roads may be closed temporarily for culvert replacements and water main work.

Project Information: Road rehabilitation project including 4 inches of existing surface milling and hot mix asphalt overlay. Culvert replacement at the County Drain under the intersection at Meredith Street. Additional culvert replacements and culvert lining within project limits. Drainage improvements at intersection of Milham Ave. Partnering with City of Portage for minor water main improvements at Meredith Street.

Start Date: June 16, 2021
End Date: October 30, 2021

County Wide Projects

Road: Crack filling on various roads in Kalamazoo County
Current Status: Crack Fill continues; week of 07/26/2021 on Primary Roads County Wide.

Detour: Traffic to be maintained during project. Temporary traffic regulators may be necessary.

Project Information: Crack Filling
Start Date: April 19, 2021
End Date: Mid-December

Road: Hot Mix Asphalt Wedging on various roads in Kalamazoo County
Current Status: Wedging began the week of 4/26 starting in Charleston Township and progressing counterclockwise throughout the county

Detour: Traffic to be maintained during project. Temporary traffic regulators may be necessary.

Project Information: Wedging
Start Date: April 26, 2021
End Date: Mid-October

Road: Pavement Marking on various roads in Kalamazoo County
Current Status: Repainting is anticipated to continue the week of 7/26.
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, 2021
End Date: November 15, 2021