

Downtown Streetscape Phase II Progress & Communication Meeting
Tuesday, August 20, 2013
10:00am

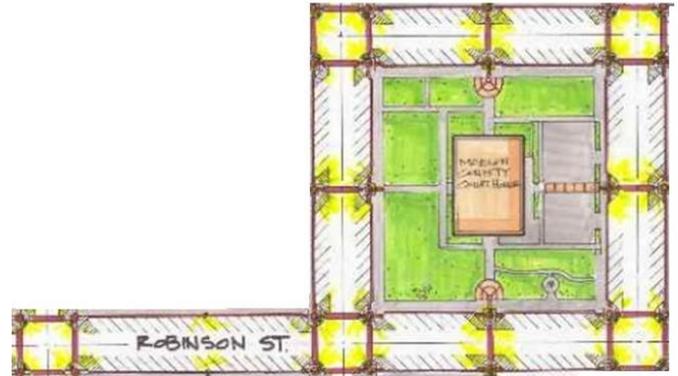


Present

Beau Perkins, Hawkeye Paving
Dylan Feik, City of Knoxville
Harold Stewart, City of Knoxville
April Verwers, City of Knoxville – Council
Carol Reed, Business Owner

Agenda

1. Introductions
2. Sign In sheet
3. Work to date (since last meeting)
4. Expected work this next period
5. Shop drawings
6. Questions
7. City's comments
8. Business/Property Owner comments
9. Field Review as needed
10. Wrap Up



Minutes

Work to Date

Hawkeye has moved equipment to the project site and additional crews will begin work on street removals this week. The temporary fence is installed.

Expected Work

Sewer main installation and private sewer service replacements will begin on Monday, August 26th and the contractor will replace a small portion of the main *and* service connections as they work up the street. Sewer services will always be operational and service connections tied back into the main each day.

Water services will be temporary and shouldn't have service disruptions during the project except when the service is replaced.

Shop Drawings

Hawkeye indicated shop drawings for light fixtures should be finished and will be forwarded onto the project engineer, Greg Roth.

Questions

No questions presented by business owners

City's Comments

The city manager asked if the snow fencing was permanent or temporary. Hawkeye stated it is permanent but additional fencing and barriers will be used as excavation continues and services are removed.

The “Sidewalk Closed” signs are creating confusion for business owners and should be removed, except when absolutely necessary. Hawkeye agreed.

The City requested the holes around the fence posts be filled with gravel and brought to surface level. Hawkeye agreed.

The City also requested Hawkeye to utilize the vacant city lot behind Taso’s for staging and equipment parking and asked trailers and vehicles not park around the square. The City also requested, if possible, to relocate construction barricades at the Robinson & Second Street intersection to allow as much parking as possible. Hawkeye agreed.

Lastly, the City requested that during excavation, Hawkeye would contact the City of Knoxville immediately if items of historic nature are discovered so they may be documented and preserved, if necessary.

Business/Property Owner comments

No comments.

Field Review as needed

Field Review not needed.