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Council,

Wanted to provide some citywide updates on some of the road work going on:

- #1- The sidewalk work on Granville in District 5, from the bridge all the way north to the Mall has begun. Most of the northern portion doesn't have sidewalks. Once the sidewalks are complete, the milling and paving will commence.
- #2- Columbus Ave in District #5 is closed for four blocks. Closure is from Walnut to Madison. See attached for a photo of the first two blocks. This will be completed in November.
- #3- With our City team, we will be paving Walnut from Wysor to the Bridge in front of Muncie Central, in the next couple of weeks. We want this work finished prior to students returning to school. That will mean there will be new pavement from downtown all the way to the mall when Granville and Walnut are complete. That's great news.
- #4- McGalliard in District #2 and #4, is being paved currently on the outside lanes. Cars are traveling on the inside lanes. Once this paving is complete, cars will be re-routed to the outside lanes and work will begin on the inside lanes.
- #5- McGalliard between Wheeling and Broadway, in District #5, will start seeing some prep work and activity after July. We will continue to move east.
- #6- South Madison in District #1, is seeing lane closures for the sidewalk work that is under way. This will take a while. Remember we do sidewalks and utilities before any paving most of the time.
- #7- Tillotson in District #2 and #3, has been seeing sidewalk work. The corners around Godman in District #3 are now complete. The corners near Gilbert are still under construction for sidewalks. We do sidewalks before paving.
- #8- Walnut street downtown between Jackson and Main has reached a completion level. The replacement of the bad water lines is finished. Now the Water company is doing the sidewalk and street reconstruction work which we are told will be less than 2 weeks. That section should be completed soon and reopened.
- #9- 5th Street from Madison East to Jefferson(dead end) in District #6, has been milled out and will be paved soon.
- #10- Elm Street in that same area in District #6, is next to be milled out and paved.
- #11- East Jackson in District #6, is now closed to thru traffic on Jackson near the Bridge over White River. Detour signs have been posted and we shared details earlier this month regarding this. Long term work in that area for a Federal required Levee adjustment.
- #12- West Amherst west of Tillotson in District #4, has some MSD upgrade work under way. We will be paving Amherst once MSD is finished with their work.

There are other utility projects underway as well. Plus, I provided the full paving plan back a number of weeks ago, so you each know what is scheduled for 2025. Just wanting you all to be able to answer your resident questions.

Best regards,

Dan Ridenour
Mayor

