

# MAIN St

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## OPEN DURING CONSTRUCTION



## MAIN events

*Photo:* After the sanitary main is replaced, crews remove old earth material from the roadway and replace it with new, imported material. Doing this significantly improves the life of the road.

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## MAIN improvements

The concrete work down 49C Avenue is now complete and the sidewalks and road are now open! Concrete crews have now advanced west of 49C Avenue installing new curb/gutter and replacing sidewalks up to the 52nd Street intersection. Very soon the changes to the 52nd Street intersection will be visible that, once complete, allow motorists to turn north and east to/from 52nd Street. At this time we anticipate the new sidewalks and road will be complete will be open to 51st Street later next week. Wherever the sidewalk is being replaced in front of businesses gravel ramps and temporary wood bridges will be constructed to maintain access until the sidewalk is ready for pedestrians again. We understand front access is critical to your favorite business so if you have any questions or concerns with the ramp or temporary bridges, please don't hesitate to let us know. We want the opportunity to address any issues right away.

Prior to pavement, crews will return to finish building the road base and shape it to its final grade. Paving for these stages will occur later into the season with the temporary roadway surface

being continually maintained. Thank you very much for your patience this far. More sections of 50th Avenue will be opened to motorists as crews continue west.

The underground crew is complete their work up to 51st Street and has transitioned west and is working to replace the sanitary main up to the 53rd Street intersection. Pedestrian access to businesses will be maintained at all times.

Our team is striving to open 50th Avenue as soon as possible without compromising workmanship, public safety and business access. Crews are making extra efforts to ensure access to businesses adjacent to the construction zone. Please let us know what is working well and what we need to improve to ensure you reach your favorite businesses. **Overall, the construction is still scheduled to be complete by the end of October.** Please note that construction schedules can change based on a number of variables. Reading this newsletter is the best way to stay up to date on the construction schedule.