

Allegan Downtown Streetscape Project

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Current Progress

Many crews are now at work in Downtown Allegan with the acceleration of the project schedule. With various work being done across the site, there's a lot to discuss! Along Brady St., road grading is underway to bring pavement to the newly reconstructed roadway segment. Currently, Milbocker has laid the aggregate base that will be underneath the new Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) pavement for the road and is working on providing the proper grades for the finished roadway.

At the same time, Milbocker's pipe crew has been working to install new underground utilities along Hubbard St. Ranging from sanitary sewer to water main and storm sewer, the crews have been diligently working their way across Hubbard St. and turning down toward the waterfront as Hubbard St nears completion of its underground utilities.



Fig 1: Road grading along Brady St. has been completed up to aggregate base



Fig 2: Milbocker continues to install underground utilities across the project site.

Upcoming Work

As the roadbed work progresses on Brady St, new sidewalk, and other surface elements such as curb and gutter will be prepared for installation. Alongside this grading and concrete work, water services will be replaced on Hubbard St in the coming weeks once proper testing on the new water main section is completed.

As was done with Brady St, once the water main is complete, water service may temporarily be interrupted while Milbocker transfers service from the old main to the new main. Any affected properties will be coordinated with ahead of time, and a notice will be provided in advance.

Throughout the project, the contractor plans to leave sidewalks in place as long as possible to maintain access to residences and businesses. When a section of existing sidewalk needs to be removed, the affected property will be coordinated ahead of time, and a temporary walkway will be maintained.