

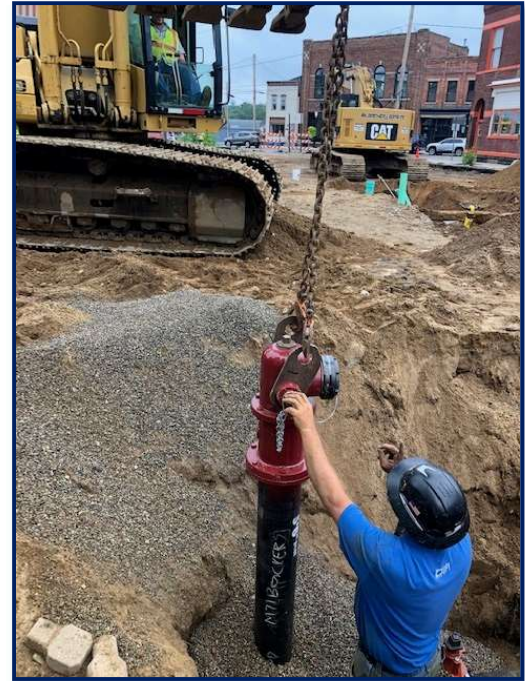
# Allegan Downtown Streetscape Project

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## **Current Progress**

Work continues in earnest this week around Allegan's downtown. With Locust and Trowbridge street's pavement removed, Milbocker's pipe crew has gotten to work installing a new water main along Locust St. This water main should be completed this week and water services will begin in the upcoming week, once testing is completed on the new main. Similar to Hubbard and Brady St, affected residents will be notified and provided with a door hanger for water service shutoffs.

Sidewalks also continues to be poured behind Milbocker's crew as grades are adjusted to provide suitable pathways for the downtown streetscape. As concrete work and excavations are performed at various locations in the downtown area, please refrain from disturbing or entering them so that concrete can cure properly without disfiguration and excavations can remain safe.



*Fig 1: Milbocker installs new fire hydrants that are fed off the new water main on Locust St.*



*Fig 2: Duran Concrete forms and pours sidewalk on Hubbard St.*

## **Upcoming Work**

The surface of downtown Allegan continues to shift and change as the project moves past the halfway mark of completion! Next on the docket is the removal of sidewalk on Hubbard St to facilitate work on underground utilities/conduits. During these removals, existing removed sidewalk will continue to be poured by Duran Concrete and the final underground utilities on Trowbridge and Locust St will be installed.

Throughout the project's duration, the contractor remains committed to minimizing disruptions and maintaining accessibility for residents and businesses. Sidewalks will be preserved as long as possible to ensure continued access. However, now that existing sidewalks are being actively removed, the affected property owners will be contacted in advance, and temporary walkways will be established as necessary. Please refrain from disturbing these pours so that concrete can cure properly without disfiguration.

