



Department of Public Works & Utilities

June 29, 2015

Dear Citizen/Property Owner:

Design work is currently underway for improvements to Oliver Avenue from 17th to 21st Street. This work will be split into two projects: 21st & Oliver Intersection and Oliver from 19th Street (approximately 800' feet south of 21st Street) to Vesta Drive/Kensington Street.

The proposed project at 21st and Oliver consists of improving the intersection to add dual left turn lanes as well as dedicated right turn lanes for all directions. A new traffic signal, brick crosswalks, and 10' wide multi-use path will be built on the west side of Oliver and the south side of 21st Street. Construction is planned to begin in the spring of 2016 and be completed in late 2016. The City's project manager for this project is Julianne Kallman. She can be contacted at (316) 268-4236 or jkallman@wichita.gov.

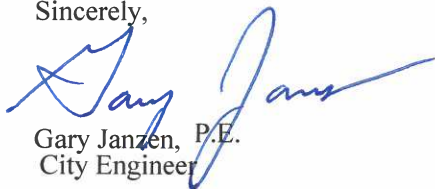
For Oliver, 17th to 19th Street, the proposed project includes, widening Oliver to provide left and right turn lanes at 17th Street and at the proposed entrances to the Wichita State University Innovation Campus, as well as realigning the cemetery approach. The project will also include a new traffic signal and brick crosswalks at 17th & Oliver and continuation of the 10' multi-use path on the west side of Oliver. Construction is planned to begin in the spring of 2017 and be completed in late 2017. The City's project manager for this project is Tim Davidson. He can be contacted at (316) 268-4455 or tdavidson@wichita.gov.

The proposed improvements will be presented to the District I Advisory Board on July 6, 2015 at 6:30 pm. The meeting will be held at Atwater Neighborhood Resource Center, 2755 E. 19th St North in Wichita. An open house will be held at 6:00 pm, prior to the meeting, to display drawings and for staff to answer questions.

The City Council public hearing on this project is scheduled for August 18, 2015, in the City Council Chambers, 1st Floor City Hall, 455 N. Main. The City Council meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact the corresponding project manager listed above.

Sincerely,



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