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Repaving Project on North Water Street to Impact Traffic and Parking Patterns

Project begins Monday, July 15th, 2013

Beginning Monday, July 15, North Water Street from E. Kilbourn Avenue to E. Mason Street will be repaved. The project involves grinding off the existing asphalt surface, and replacing it with a new asphalt pavement. New traffic lines, crosswalks, and parking lines will also be added.

Traffic will be affected as follows:

- The southbound lanes of N. Water St. will be closed
- Two-way traffic will be maintained in the northbound lanes – one lane in each direction
- When repaving is completed on the southbound lanes, the northbound lanes will be closed, and two-way traffic will switch to the newly paved southbound lanes
- Intersection/driveway access will be maintained except during paving and marking operations

On-street parking will be affected as follows:

- “No Parking Any Time Monday-Friday” signs will be posted on both sides of N. Water St. Signs will be posted on Friday, July 12th but parking restrictions will not be enforced until July 15th.

In addition, the intersection of E. Clybourn and N. Water St. will also be repaved during this project.

Traffic will be detoured as follows:

- Westbound traffic on E. Clybourn will be rerouted onto N. Broadway south to E. St. Paul Ave. Take St. Paul over the bridge to N. Plankinton – right onto Plankinton to W. Clybourn
- Northbound traffic on N. Water St. will be rerouted onto E. St. Paul Ave. west over the river to N. Plankinton – right onto Plankinton to W. Michigan – right onto Michigan to N. Water
- Southbound traffic on N. Water St. will be rerouted onto E. Michigan west over the river to N. 2nd St. – left onto N. 2nd to W. St. Paul – left onto St. Paul over the river to N. Water St.

This project is scheduled to be completed by Friday, July 19, but this schedule is weather dependent – repairs may take longer if rain delays or interrupts work.

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