



**TOWN OF BROOKLINE**  
*Massachusetts*  
**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**  
**ENGINEERING & TRANSPORTATION DIVISION**

*Erin Chute Gallentine*  
Commissioner

## **CLINTON ROAD CONSTRUCTION UPDATE**

September 29, 2020

Dear Clinton Road Neighbor,

I hope this notice finds you well amid the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. We understand that construction activities in the public way are disruptive and want to take this opportunity to provide an update on the ongoing work at Clinton Road and apologize for any inconvenience that it may have had on your daily activities.

The Town's contractor has completed work on the underground drainage system and work has begun to excavate the existing roadway at Clinton Road where it meets Buckminster Road for the proposed intersection realignment. Work has also recently begun to strip areas of existing sidewalk and driveway aprons that are either deteriorated and/or do not comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act/Massachusetts Architectural Access Board (ADA/MAAB) regulations. The Contractor has delineated a temporary pedestrian access route with appropriate signage that will remain in place until the sidewalk construction is complete. Please feel free to reach out to the Project Manager should you encounter any issues with the temporary pedestrian access route.

In the near future you may notice orange paint marks on the sidewalk indicating the limits for removal. The contractor will continue to excavate sidewalks/driveway aprons for the next week and a half. Please note that if your driveway apron is called to be removed, the contractor will immediately place compacted gravel in its place so you may access your driveway. All driveway aprons removed will be replaced with cement concrete. A notice will be sent out in advance of concrete pouring so you can arrange to park your vehicle on the street.

Saw cutting for proposed curb work began this week with curbing work to follow. Once the curb work is complete the roadway will be milled, and subsequently paved with a base course of hot mix asphalt. We are hopeful the project will be substantially complete by the time winter weather arrives, however the final top course of pavement is temperature dependent and will be scheduled accordingly. We will keep the neighborhood apprised of the milling and paving schedule as the project progresses, but anticipate this work happening in late October. If necessary, the final top course of pavement will be deferred to the spring.

If you have any questions about this work, please do not hesitate to contact the Project Manager, Jared Duval, P.E. at (617) 264-6443 / [jduval@brooklinema.gov](mailto:jduval@brooklinema.gov). Periodic updates will be posted on the project webpage on the Town's website at <https://www.brooklinema.gov/1805/Clinton-Road-Improvements>

Thank you for your continued patience during construction. We hope you enjoy these roadway improvements once complete.

Sincerely,

Erin Gallentine  
Commissioner of Public Works