

DELAWARE STREET STREETSCAPE PROJECT

RebuildIndy is Mayor Greg Ballard's initiative to transform the city through investment in infrastructure improvements to restore deteriorating thoroughfares, residential streets, sidewalks and bridges, as well as address neighborhood drainage and flooding issues and demolish unsalvageable abandoned homes that pose a public safety threat to neighborhoods.

These construction projects will create local jobs and ultimately increase public safety for neighborhoods and residents, which supports Mayor Ballard's commitment to making Indianapolis a more livable city.

PROJECT SCOPE

The Indianapolis Department of Public Works is moving forward with a street revitalization project for Delaware Street from Bicking Street to South Street in Center Township. The streetscape project includes spot repair to the sidewalks, curbs and ADA compliant access ramps along the corridor, as well as resurfacing. The project will upgrade the Merrill Street intersection and new planter median islands will be installed throughout.

The Delaware Street Streetscape project will be constructed in three phases.

Phase One:

Modification of the curb and sidewalk at the northwest corner of the Delaware Street and McCarty Street intersection. This phase is complete.

Phase Two:

Remove existing pavement surface, perform street base repairs as needed and resurface east lanes of Delaware Street from south to north construction limits. The east half of the Merrill Street intersection renovation features brick pavers, pavement and framing.

PROJECT DETAILS

PROJECT STATUS: In Construction

ANTICIPATED CONSTRUCTION PERIOD: March to October 2012

ESTIMATED PROJECT COST: \$887,000

CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER: Hunt Construction

PROJECT BENEFITS:

- Increased commuter and pedestrian safety
- Improved infrastructure functionality

Project schedules and costs are subject to change.

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Phase Three:

Spot repair sidewalk, curb and ADA access ramps along the Delaware Street, west right-of-way will be constructed. Lilly garage drive approaches along the west side of Delaware Street north of McCarty will be modified to accommodate traffic entering from the north. The west half of the Merrill Street intersection renovation will feature brick pavers, pavement and framing. A new pedestrian signal will be added. New depressed planting areas will be installed within the limits of Delaware Street running and south of the Merrill Street intersection separating the north bound and south bound lanes of traffic, completing the conversion from one-way northbound to a two-way north and southbound street. The planting areas will be bordered on all sides with concrete curb.

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