

Tuesday, February 21, 2023

HUNTINGTON -- The median and one lane in each direction on Hal Greer Boulevard will be closed between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. daily as work begins on the initial phases of the Hal Greer Boulevard Corridor Project beginning February 21, 2023.

Work during this initial phase includes digging out the median to build planter boxes between 3rd and 7th avenues, breaking up pavement for a new paving base from 7th to 8th avenues and digging out the median for planter boxes between 8th Avenue and Washington Boulevard. Contractors also will install temporary traffic controls and temporary traffic signals. One lane in each direction on Hal Greer Boulevard will remain open to traffic.

Motorists traveling through the area should watch for flaggers, equipment and workers in the area and pay attention to posted signs and message boards for current traffic patterns. Motorists also should expect delays, adjust their commuting schedules and avoid the area if possible.

In November 2022, Triton Construction Inc. was awarded a contract for \$13,551,000 to renovate Hal Greer Boulevard from 3rd Avenue to Washington Boulevard. The project will realign intersections at 10th Avenue and Charleston Avenue, widen sidewalks, add bicycle lanes, install new lighting, reconfigure traffic lights and add green space along Hal Greer Boulevard. The project aims to make Hal Greer Boulevard more user-friendly for drivers, pedestrians and bicyclists and make it more attractive.

For general questions about the project, please contact the West Virginia Division of Highways' District 2 Office at 304-528-5625 or visit <http://www.completehalgreer.com>.

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