

MEMORANDUM

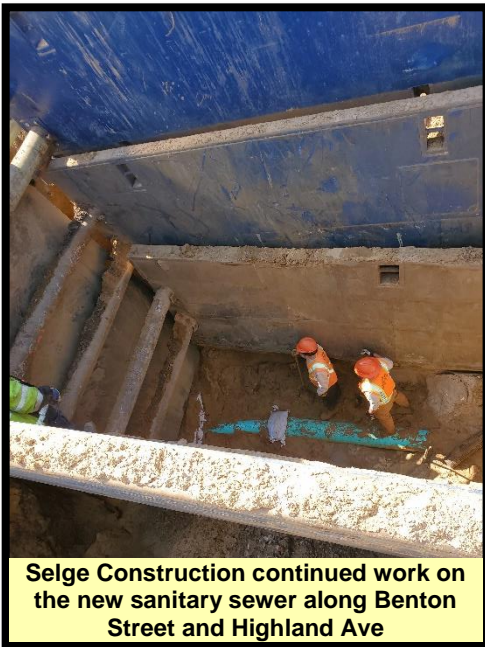
DATE: April 2, 2021

TO: Ellis Mitchell

FROM: Eric Kamps, EIT

RE: City of Benton Harbor Construction Project Updates

Northeast Section Reconstruction Project

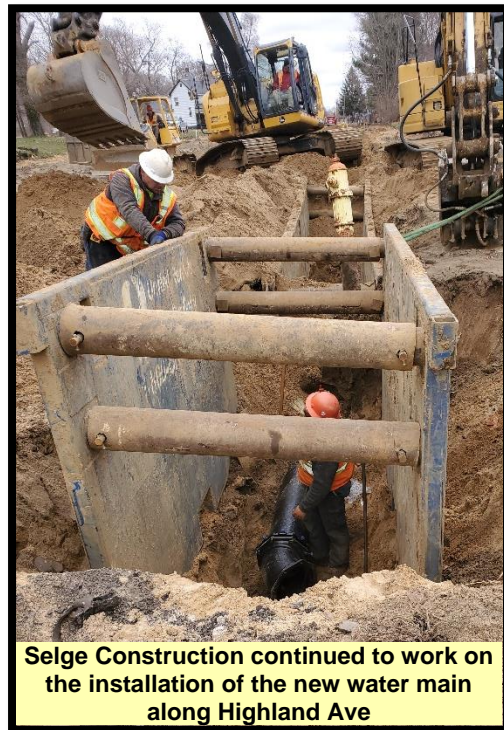


Selge Construction continued construction on the Northeast Section Reconstruction project, Phase 2, this week. The contractor continued placing water main along Highland Ave. They have continued to test and chlorinate sections of new water main testing along Highland Ave and began to prepare for new water services. The contractor also continued to work on the new sanitary sewer along Benton Street. They were able to complete the new sewer from Main Street to Highland Ave. Selge Construction has turned the sewer work to the east down

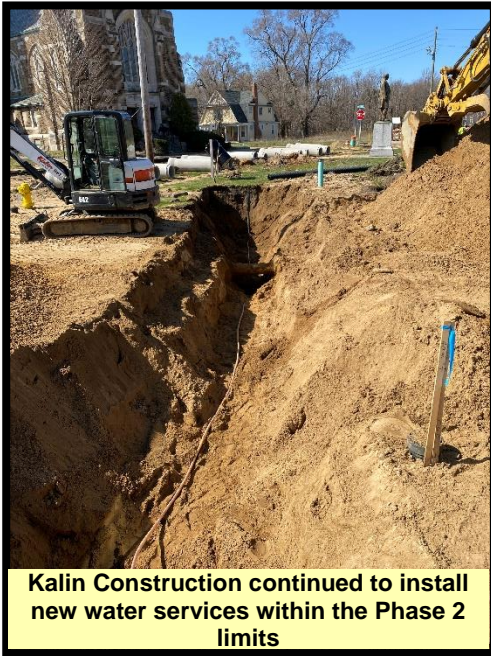
Highland Ave, working toward Fair Ave. As they are completing the installation of the new sewer, they are backfilling and compacting the trench.

Next week, the contractor will continue to work

on the water services along Highland Ave. They will also work on removing the old water main that has been removed from service to allow for the placement of the new sanitary sewer. The sanitary sewer along Highland Ave will also be continuing, working from Benton Street toward Fair Ave. Storm sewer will follow the completion of the sanitary sewer. The project is progressing efficiently.



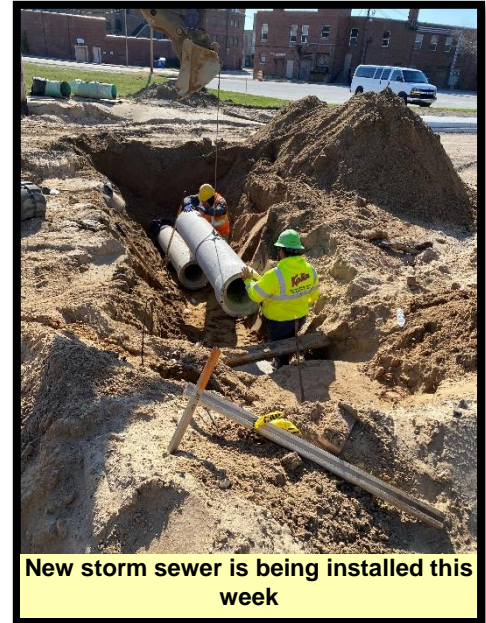
Pipestone Street Corridor Reconstruction Project



Kalin Construction continued to install new water services within the Phase 2 limits

Construction on the Pipestone Corridor Project Phase 2 continued this week in the area between Market Street and Vineyard Street. The project is still progressing on schedule. Kalin Construction continued to work on the water services within the Phase 2. Kalin Construction continued to place the new storm sewer in the Phase 2 limits, working south from Market Ave toward Vineyard Ave. As the new water services and storm sewer are installed, the trench is being backfilled and compacted.

Next week, Kalin will be continuing the installation of the new storm sewer within the Phase 2 limits. Kalin is



New storm sewer is being installed this week

hopeful that they will be able to complete all the new storm sewer in the next few weeks.

Maple Street and Vineyard Avenue Reconstruction Project

Construction on the Maple Street and Vineyard Avenue Reconstruction project will be beginning April 5th, with the removal of the pavement. Underground utility work is expected to begin shortly after construction has started with the placement of the new water main. This project will continue into the summer.

Hydrant Replacement Project

The project is currently paused until discussions between involved parties can take place to determine the next steps in the project. Further project status updates will be shared as these next steps begin to develop.

As work along projects will resume and/or begin, information will be added to the weekly project update. If you have any project questions or would like to be added to the email list for project updates, please contact Eric Kamps of the project team at ekamps@abonmarche.com or (269) 926-4556.

