Menlo Park Construction News Update May 19, 2023

Information regarding the SMC Health Order and future updates can be found here: http://menlopark.org/covid19

The construction news update provides summarized weekly news on ongoing construction activities. It is intended to provide advance information for decision makers, including City Management, Police Department, Fire District, Post Office, SamTrans, etc. so they can anticipate potential impacts and respond accordingly.

Please direct any construction inquiries to the assigned inspectors for immediate attention or contact the project engineer.

#	Project Description	Status	Significant Impacts
	Multi-Unit Residential Project at 141 Jefferson, 180/186 Constitution Drive (Menlo Uptown) 473-unit housing project which spans 4.83 acres, 427 rental multifamily units, 46 for-sale townhomes and 71 affordable housing units.	 Contractor is scheduled to continue onsite building construction and off-site material delivery/hauling/handling using Constitution and Jefferson Drives, Contractor is scheduled to undertakes the sanitary sewer upsize along Chrysler Drive (between Bayfront Express Way and Constitution). This is scheduled for nightwork beginning 5/22. Contractor is continue coordinating on the schedule for joint trench work along Jefferson Drive project frontage (PG&E availability). 	Major traffic impact due to temporary lanes/sidewalk closure during 7AM – 4PM 8daytime (8PM – 4AM nighttime) along Constitution and Jefferson Drives. Contractor shall provide traffic control approved by City. Greystar to coordinate work activities affecting traffic route with Meta, Tide Academy and nearby businesses.
1	Owner: Greystar City of Menlo Park Project Manager: Eric Hinkley (650) 330-6749 City of Menlo Park Inspector: Mel Yambao (925) 980-7485		
1	René Morales (650) 330-6746 (nightwork) Contractor: Greystar Renato Carlos – Superintendent (408) 398-7411 Terry Tennyson – Superintendent (209) 489-5975		

2	Dumbarton Corridor Improvement Project: Installation of Transit Signal Priority (TSP) Technology, resulting in priority requests upon bus arrival and additional green light time to reduce time waiting at red lights. Bus Stop Improvements, including paving planter strips and sidewalk area rebuilding to enhance rider safety and access at bus stops. Bus Stop Removal, reducing travel times by spacing out bus stop locations based on ridership, distance between bus stops and local needs.	 Contractor continues working on remaining three (3) punch list items for final engineering requirements. No work allowed along City's ROW on Monday (February 20, 2023) in celebration of Presidents Day. 	Minor traffic impacts in along Willow Rd and along Middlefield Rd.
	Owner: AC Transit City Project Engineer: Phong Vo (650) 330-6729 City Engineering Inspector: René Morales (650) 330-6746 Construction Manager: Andrea Santilena (510) 246-1384 Contractor: Ray's Electric Majik Nassab (510) 586-8171		
3	Intermountain Infrastructure Group-Menlo Park Infrastructure Fiber Project: Work entails the installation of, via directional boring method, telecommunications conduits from the City Limit on Florence St. at Marsh Rd. to Willow Rd. near Durham via Marsh, Bay and Willow Rd's.	Construction is underway	Single-lane traffic control may result in minor traffic delays during weekday 9AM to 3PM working hours.
	Owner: IIG Group, LLC City Project Facilitator: Jason Santos (650) 330-6715 City Engineering Inspector: René Morales (650) 330-6746 Contractor: Elite Underground Inc. (951) 217-5529		

	Series Circuit & Street Light Replacement Project Suburban Park & Flood Triangle Neighborhoods: This project includes removal & replacement of existing luminaires with new LED luminaires, installation of new underground street light infrastructure including conduits, conductors & pull boxes. Removal of existing high voltage series circuits & implementation of low voltage parallel circuits and installation of new street light poles and fixtures.	Work is scheduled to start on the Bay Rd segment between Greenwood Drive and Hedge Road on 03/13 - weather permitting This work is scheduled to be complete in 3-4 weeks.	No Traffic impact at this time.
	Owner:		
	City of Menlo Park City Project Engineer:		
	Phong Vo (650) 330-6729 City Engineering Inspector:		
	Holani Vaka (650) 330-6753		
4	Contractor: Columbia Electric: Graham Smith (209)-662-0228		
	PG&E Daniel Dumdumaya (650)598-7375		
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Middle Plaza by Stanford 550 El Camino Real: This project, located at 550 El Camino Real, is to construct multiple office/residential mix use buildings and site improvements off-site and on-site.	Contractor continues working on the remaining punch list items for final signing of Engineering.	Contractor shall provide traffic control approved by Caltrans, if needed.
Developer: Stanford University	-	
Nic Durham (650) 725-2960		
Caltrans: Fernando Abela (510) 687-6052		
SFPUC: Albert Hao (650) 871-3015		
City Project Engineer: Ebby Sohrabi (650) 330-6743 Rambod Hakhamaneshi (650) 330-6759		
City Engineering Inspector: Mel Yambao (925) 980-7485		
Contractor: Vance Brown Paul Brunelli/Superintendent (650) 380-0195		
Palisade Builders Chris Hill/ Superintendent (530) 391-8444		

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Menlo Park Community Campus: This is the construction of Menlo Park Community Campus Main Building located at 100 Terminal Avenue with issued utility permit consisting of demolition, removal and protection of existing improvements, concrete/asphalt/gravel paving, resurfacing/slurry seal, bio-retention basins, sign & striping, grading/swale, domestic/fire/reclaim water, sanitary sewer/force main, storm drainage, perforated drain, irrigation/landscape/hardscape, joint trench/electrical conduits, erosion control, playground structures, street lights, pool/pumping station, and other related off-site/on-site improvements.	Ongoing excavations within immediate construction area around building superstructure (New swimming pool/pool-house, underground utilities i.e. storm water, electric, water and concrete curb and gutter for new parking lot.)	Expect moderate traffic delays at the Del Norte Ave/Terminal Ave intersection; large hauling and dump trucks will be mobilizing equipment and materials; Site work may have noise and dust impacts.
Owner: City of Menlo Park		
City Project Engineer: Theresa Avedian		
City Engineering Inspector: Chris Witschi: (650) 400-3477		
Contractor: Level 10 Construction Joe Garcia - Superintendent (209) 450-5280		

			
	CITYWIDE ASPHALT AND CONCRETE ON-CALL REPAIR SERVICES PROJECT: In general, the project consists of installing concrete sidewalk, curb and gutter, valley gutter, accessible curb ramps, driveways, and asphalt base repairs or overlays in the public right of way.	No work is scheduled at this time.	No traffic impact at this time.
	Owner:	_	
	City of Menlo Park		
	City Project Engineer: Michael Fu (650)330-6706		
	City Engineering Inspector: Holani Vaka (650) 330-6753		
	Contractor: Catos General Engineering (510) 397-2677		
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	Multi-Unit Residential Project at 1162 El Camino Real: This project consists of building of new nine (9)-unit apartment building including demolition, structure, grading, utilities, hardscape, landscape and related off-site/onsite improvements.	No construction activity expected.	Contractor shall provide traffic control if needed.
	Owner: 1162 El Camino Investors, LLC Chase Rapp (650) 815-6969		
8	Caltrans: George Lee (510) 715-6805		
	City Project Engineer: Ebby Sohrabi (650) 330-6743 Rambod Hakhamaneshi (650) 330-6759		
	City Engineering Inspector: Mel Yambao (925) 980-7485		
	Contractor: Distinct Builders, Inc. Bobby Gilson/Owner Representative (650) 224-5127		
	Gateway Housing Project at 1345	Contractor is scheduled to continue on-	Minimal traffic impacts. Entry/exit of large
	Willow Road: Redeveloping the existing property into affordable apartments 4-story @ 140 residential units for low income families. The scope of work includes the off-site improvements, underground utilities, street lights, irrigation/landscape, concrete works, hardscape along frontages, upgrades of median islands along Willow & Ivy Drive, and other related works.	 site construction. Contractor is scheduled to continues the installation of concrete sidewalk and landscape works along Willow Road frontage. Contractor is schedule to continues Alley upgrades for Newbridge and Ivy. Accessibility is always provided during operation. 	trucks & vehicles that will be accessing site from Ivy Drive/Willow Road (alley behind Soleska Market). Contractor shall provide traffic control approved by City as needed.
9	Developer: MidPen		
	City Project Engineer: Eric Hinkley (650) 330-6749		
	City Engineering Inspector: Mel Yambao (925) 980-7485 René Morales (650) 330-6746 (afternoon work)		
	Contractor: Devcon Construction Leonard Smith Superintendent (408) 592-1230		

10	Mixed Used Building at 115 El Camino Real This project consists of building of Mixed Used structure at the corner of El Camino Real and Harvard Avenue. City Project Engineer: Ebby Sohrabi (650) 330-6743 Rambod Hakhamaneshi (650) 330-6759 City Engineering Inspector: Mel Yambao (925) 980-7485 Contractor: Via Builders, Inc. Wes Kartch/Owner Representative (650) 948-1077	Contractor is scheduled to continue on- site construction.	Occasional minor traffic impact due to hauling, handling and material deliveries. Contractor shall provide traffic control approved by City as needed.
11	Sharon Park Walkways Reconstruction Project: The project consist of milling & paving of Asphalt Concrete walkways, perform of root/subgrade repair, removal/installation of base reconstruction, remove/install new header boards & new concrete curb and gutter, retrofit and build an American with Disabilities Act (ADA) compliant asphalt parking stall, install new bollards and other related work within the City's Sharon Park area. Owner: City of Menlo Park City Project Engineer: Michael Fu (650) 330-6706 City Engineering Inspector: Holani Vaka (650) 330-6753 Contractor: Terramark General Engineering Contractors Inc. Dayle Baker -Superintendent (559)903-8331 Makaena Puli -Foreman (808)489-1057	Project constructions completed with pending final progress payments.	No traffic impacts at this time

12	Middlefield Road Water Main Replacement (Ravenswood Ave to Willow Road): California Water Service has contracted with West Valley Construction to install approximately 4,508 lineal feet of new water main which consists of 4"-12" ductile iron and PVC pipe material, (5) new fire hydrants and upgrading (11) 2" water services. Owner: California Water Service Project Superintendent: Mark Trujillo (650) 854-6332 Contractor: West Valley Construction City Engineering Inspector: Chris Witschi: (650) 400-3477	Temporary striping installed from Ringwood Ave/Middlefield Road intersection to Willow Road/Middlefield Rd intersection. Once new striping plan has been approved, cat-tracking placement will be installed and permanent striping will follow. Temporary striping layout may cause minor traffic slowdowns or delays Temporary striping layout may cause minor traffic slowdowns or delays Temporary striping layout may cause minor traffic slowdowns or delays Temporary striping layout may cause minor traffic slowdowns or delays	
	Multi-Unit Residential Project at 115 Independence, 104/110 Constitution Drive (Menlo Portal) 320 rental multi-family apartment units along with 35,000 square feet of non-residential area spanning 3.2 acres Owner:	 Contractor is scheduled to continue onsite building construction and off-site material delivery/hauling/handling using Constitution and Independence Drives. Contractor is scheduled to undertakes off-site sanitary sewer remaining manhole and line along Constitution Drive near Marsh Road. Major traffic impact due to temporary road/lane/bike/sidewalk closure during 7AM – 4PM operation along Constitution and Independence Drives. Contractor shall provide traffic control and detour guide sign approved by City. Greystar to coordinate work activities with Meta and nearby businesses. 	
13	City of Menlo Park Project Manager: Eric Hinkley (650) 330-6749 City of Menlo Park Inspector: Mel Yambao (925) 980-7485 René Morales (650) 330-6746 (afternoon) Contractor: Greystar Andrew Sagucio - Superintendent (408) 655-5928		

2 Facebook Way: CitizenM Menlo Park (Hotel):

5 story Hotel containing 240 guest rooms, lobby, accessory meeting rooms, and a restaurant including site development on-site and offsite.

Owner:

Meta/CitizenM

City of Menlo Park Project Manager:

Eric Hinkley (650) 330-6749

City of Menlo Park Inspector:

Mel Yambao (925) 980-7485 René Morales (650) 330-6746 (afternoon)

Contractor:

Mortenson Nick Pfenning – Senior Superintendent (720) 526-7620

- Contractor is scheduled to continue onsite building construction.
- PG&E is expected to undertakes power service connection for the project (night work).

Contractor/Mortenson to coordinate with Meta regarding work activities affecting exit/entry driveway access/traffic route around Constitution Drive and Chilco Street vicinity areas.

Contractor shall provide traffic control approved by City when needed.

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15	Ravenswood Ave Street Resurfacing Project: The project is located along Ravenswood Avenue from El Camino Real to Laurel Street. The scope of work generally includes installing asphalt dig-outs, milling and overlaying the street with a top layer of asphalt, and installing new medians, curb ramps, and signing and striping. Owner: City of Menlo Park City Project Engineer: Mitchell Supan (650)330-6756 City Engineering Inspector: Holani Vaka (650) 330-6753 Contractor: Radius Earthwork Inc.	 Contractor is scheduled to do road resurfacing at Ravenswood Ave between El Camino Real & railway tracks on Wednesday night 5/24/23 from 9pm – 5am Thursday morning 5/25/23. Contractor is also tentatively scheduled to work at Ravenswood Ave between Laurel St. and Alma St. during the day on Saturday 5/27/23 from 8am – 5pm. 	Major traffic impact; expect delays during paving operations due to lanes and road closures. Please use alternate routes. Contractor shall provide traffic controls approved by City.
16	PG&E Gas Main Replacement Project-Encinal Ave. and Laurel St.: Work in both Atherton and Menlo Park entails the replacement of gas main pipes and appurtenances along Laurel St. between Encinal Ave. and Glenwood Dr. Owner: PG&E David Kinoshita (925) 490-4075 City Project Facilitator: Jason Santos (650) 330-6715 City Engineering Inspector: René Morales (650) 330-6746	Video inspection of sewer lateral lines is scheduled to begin 2-21-2023.	Minimal traffic impacts expected during weekday 9AM to 3PM working hours.

17	2023 Street Resurfacing Project: Work generally entails maintenance of 16 roads across the city. Grind and HMA overlay, dig-outs, repair curb and gutter, sidewalk, and root repairs. Owner: City of Menlo Park City Project Engineer: Mike Owyang (650) 330-6708 City Engineering Inspector: Holani Vaka (650) 330-6753 Contractor: G Bortolotto & Company Inc.	Construction scheduled to begin in mid- late May 2023.	Expect moderate traffic impacts to roads included in the project. Contractor shall provide traffic control approved by City when needed.
18	Bedwell Bayfront Park Landfill Gas Collection System (LGCS) & Perimeter Leachate System (PLS) Modifications: The contract work is to modify & upgrade both gas & leachate systems; extending their operating lives and to make them safe & unobtrusive to park users. This includes decommissioning/ installations of: Landfill Gas (LFG) extraction wells, LFG/leachate force main & compressed air underground pipes, wellheads & utility boxes, pneumatic & sump pump stations, back-flow valve and filling & regrading landfill areas as per City of Menlo Park approved plans & specs. Owner: City Project Engineers: Mike Sartor (650)330-6788 Bill Halleck (650)330-6778 City Engineering Inspectors: Holani Vaka (650)330-6753 Contractor: Blue Flame Crew West, LLC. Steve Nguyen (630)225-4286	Contractor is scheduled to start constructions including kickoff the gas wells drilling next week.	Minor traffic impacts. Contractor will provide city approved traffic control plans with on-site signs and directions to accommodate a safe environment for park users during operation.

	Multi Story Commercial Building for Lot 3 North located at 1305 O 'Brien Drive: The scope of work includes the offsite improvements, underground wet & dry utilities, street lights, parking, irrigation/landscape, concrete works, hardscape along O 'Brien Drive, Adams Drive and Adams Court. Owner:	 Contractor is scheduled to continue onsite building construction. Contractor is scheduled to undertakes water services (fire and domestic) along Adams Court. 	Occasional and minimal traffic impacts. Entry/exit of large trucks & vehicles that will be accessing site from Adams Drive and Adams Court. Contractor shall provide traffic control approved by City as needed.
19	Tarlton City of Menlo Park Project Manager: Eric Hinkley (650) 330-6749 City of Menlo Park Inspector: Mel Yambao (925) 980-7485 René Morales (650) 330-6746 (afternoon) Contractor: BNBuilders Tony Franco (Superintendent) (209) 353-6365		
	Chrysler Stormwater Pump Station Improvements Project Contract Documents The scope of work consists of furnishing & installing a new stormwater pump station/facility at 1395 Chrysler Dr. Menlo Park. This includes underground wet well, pump & motor room, electrical control room, engine-generator room, pumping/electrical equipment & controls, hardscaping, landscaping, etc. to complete the work as per City approved plans & specs,	 Contractor is scheduled to start mobilization next week. Clear & Grubbing then perimeter fencing installations as per plans. 	Minor traffic impact expected during operation – truck/equipment exit/entering the site. Contractor will provide City approved traffic control plans for public safety.
20	Owner: City of Menlo Park City Project Engineer: Michael Fu (650) 330-6706 City Engineering Inspector: Holani Vaka (650) 330-6753 Contractor: APEC		