

Winthrop Shore Drive Improvements

Project No. P11-2686-C5A



TWO WEEK LOOK-AHEAD

November 20, 2017 – December 4, 2017

The following work items are ongoing along Winthrop Shore Drive. You can expect to see these activities continue over the next two weeks.

The work will continue to move north and includes:

- Installation of new water main. This work is made possible through the cooperation of the Town of Winthrop and the DCR.
 - Connections to the new water line will be taking place on a rolling basis. Please look for flyers from the town that will notify you in advance of your water being shut off to make these connections.
- Installation of foundations and conduit for new light poles on the oceans side of Winthrop Shore Drive





Left: Installation of a new water main Right: Seawall repairs in Highlands area

- Seawall repairs in the Highlands area between Locust Street and Grovers Avenue:
 - This work is tidally dependent, so work hours will vary to coincide with favorable tidal conditions
 - o The construction work areas will be closed off for the safety of the public.
- Full depth roadway construction will be starting from Beacon St to the north.

Please note that some of the current work activities on the project will require construction work on Saturdays. Winter shutdown is anticipated to begin mid-December, weather-permitting. During this time, the residential sidewalk on the west side of Winthrop Shore Drive will remain open.

Traffic and Parking Impacts

- During the work day, traffic is detoured off Winthrop Shore Drive to Shirley Street. Detour signs are provided to direct traffic. State and Winthrop Police are provided to assist in the detouring of traffic.
- After the work day is completed, two-way traffic is restored on Winthrop Shore Drive.
- Please note that where construction is scheduled to occur, there will be signs prohibiting parking between 6 am and 4 pm. Please remove cars from Shore Drive by 6 am to ensure that construction can begin promptly at 7 am. Your cooperation is appreciated!

Questions or concerns about the project should be directed to DCR Resident Engineer James Caputo, at the DCR trailer behind the DCR bathhouse on Winthrop Shore Drive, by visit or phone (617-846-1489) during regular business hours, Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. -3:30 p.m. In case of an emergency, contact 911 or DCR's 24/7 emergency hotline at the Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency at 508-820-1428.

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