

# **Highway 15/Main Street Reconstruction in Hutchinson**



Highway 15/Main Street is under construction from 2nd Avenue North to Washington Avenue.

## **During construction this week**

- Sanitary sewer and water main installations were completed from 1st Avenue North through Washington Avenue.
- Main Street access is limited from 2nd Avenue North to Washington Avenue. Please check with your local business to learn the best entrance at this time.

### What's happening next

- Storm sewer will be installed from 1st Avenue North through Washington Avenue.
- Grading from 2nd Avenue North through Washington Avenue, and placing the base layer to prepare for curb and gutter installation.
- Main Street temporary pedestrian access routes will be installed from 1st Avenue North to Washington Avenue.

### **Getting from here to there**

Reconstruction in the downtown area is taking place in stages. While Highway 15 remains closed during the project, working in stages keeps as many intersections and sidewalks open for as long as possible. We are currently in Stage 2. Stage 3 is still a few weeks away, however, work is taking place up to the north side of 1st Avenue South, which is part of the first block included in Stage 3.

#### **During Stage 2**

Work takes place at the intersections of Highway 15 and Washington Avenue, 1st Avenue North, and 2nd Avenue North.



- The intersections at Washington Avenue and 1st Avenue North will be closed to vehicles from all directions.
- The intersection at 2nd Avenue North will be open for people turning east to go to Wells Fargo, or to turn west onto 2nd Avenue North.
- Signs will designate temporary pedestrian access during each stage of the project.
- Customer parking will be available on streets and in the parking lots on the back side of businesses on Highway 15/Main Street.
- ➤ Wells Fargo employees and customers can enter/exit to Highway 15 and go north to Highway 7 for the duration of the project. This outlet is for Wells Fargo access only. MnDOT discourages drivers from using the Shopko parking lot as a cut through.
- > People can use Franklin and Adams Streets to get to homes and businesses.
- People can cross Highway 15 at 2nd Avenue South and 5th Avenue South.

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