



Office of Planning, Design and Construction

CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY NOTICE

Project: 1934 Medallion Restoration

July 30, 2018

Occupants of West College and all other interested/affected parties

This correspondence provides notice for the upcoming restoration of the 1934 Memorial Medallion.

The 1934 Medallion is a flat-scape architectural feature on the east side of West College. It has deteriorated from decades of weather, salt and the adverse effects of snow removal efforts on the soft marble.

Due to time constraints and the complexity of the restoration effort, we have decided to tackle this project in two phases.

Phase 1 work will begin on Tuesday, August 13 at 8am.

Work hours will be 8am – 5pm.

Duration of Phase 1: 4 days.

Phase 1 involves removal of the pavers only. The area will be fenced off to protect pedestrians while the work is in progress. The East exit of West College will remain open and unobstructed. Once the pavers are removed, the area will be filled back to grade with compactable soil to provide a safe and smooth walkway through the winter. This is the extent of the phase 1 work.

- Construction activity will include dump truck traffic, use of a mini-excavator, a pneumatic compactor and several workers on site to remove the pavers.
- The pavers will be palletized and stored for future use.
- Residents of West College should be made aware of the activity and related construction noise.

Phase 2 work will begin in the Spring of 2020, after Commencement.

Work Hours: 8am – 5pm

Duration of Phase 2 work: 1 month.

- The area will be fully fenced off, again.
- Construction activities will include removal of the remaining pavers and marble benches, excavation of the underpinnings and removal of all shrubs.
- A new concrete foundation will be poured and the restored pavers will be reset.
- The surrounding area will be regraded and the lawn reestablished.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact:

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