



City of Concord

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EXCELLENCE IN FINANCIAL REPORTING

The City of Concord was recently awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting by the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) of the United States and Canada, for its comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR) for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012. The Certificate of Achievement is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting, and its attainment represents a significant accomplishment by a government and its management.

PREPARATION FOR DOWNTOWN COMPLETE STREETS PROJECT

In preparation for the Downtown Complete Streets Project, Liberty Utilities and their subcontractor R.H. White will begin reconstruction of gas utility infrastructure. The crews will begin efforts on Tuesday, August 20th, and should be finished by Tuesday, September 10th, barring any unforeseen circumstances and/or inclement weather. Locations that require service work are listed below in the order in which Liberty Utilities plans to execute them.

<u>Address</u>	<u>Impact to Public Infrastructure</u>
30 S. Main Street	Daytime closure of Fayette St., from S. State to S. Main
63/65 S. Main Street	Lane reduction northbound; occupy 2 parking spaces and temporary sidewalk closure (east side)
25 N. Main Street	Lane reduction north & southbound; possibly occupy 2-3 parking spaces
35 N. Main Street	Lane reduction on Warren St. between N. State and N. Main
63/65 N. Main Street	Possibly occupy 2-3 parking spaces; potential temporary sidewalk closure (west side)
89 N. Main Street	Occupy 3 parking spaces on School St.; temporary sidewalk closure (north side)
122-132 N. Main Street	Occupy 3-4 parking spaces; possibly steel plates in sidewalk (east side)
16/18 S. Main Street	Occupy 2-3 parking spaces.

Minor traffic delays should be expected in the aforementioned areas during typical hours of operation, 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM.

PENACOOK VILLAGE UTILITY IMPROVEMENTS

The Penacook Village utility improvements are scheduled to commence on Monday, August 26th. The contractor will begin to mobilize their equipment beginning on or about Tuesday, August 20th. Liberty Utilities has begun their work in relaying their gas main from Meter Street to Coral Street and will be replacing expansion joints across the bridge as well. Commuter traffic can expect delays beginning at Stark Street up to the Boscawen town line. This phase of construction is scheduled to be complete by Thanksgiving.

LOUDON ROAD WATER MAIN PROJECT



Next week, the contractor working on the Loudon Road water main project will be installing new water main from Northeast Village to Old Loudon Road.

NEW DUMP TRUCKS



The General Services Department recently took delivery of three new 10-wheel dump trucks. These front-line pieces of snow fighting equipment came completely equipped with front and wing plows, as well as salt spreaders. They are replacing three similar but aging trucks.

SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

The Parks and Recreation Department's 2013 Summer Concert Series is winding down. The **Nevers Band** will perform the last concert of the season on **Tuesday, August 20th**, at 7:00 PM at the State House Plaza.

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