

**STREETSCAPE OF CONNECTICUT AVENUE, NW
PHASE III, FROM DUPONT CIRCLE TO K STREET**

D.C. Contract No.: DCKA-2013-C-0140
Federal Aid Project No. NH-1114(020)

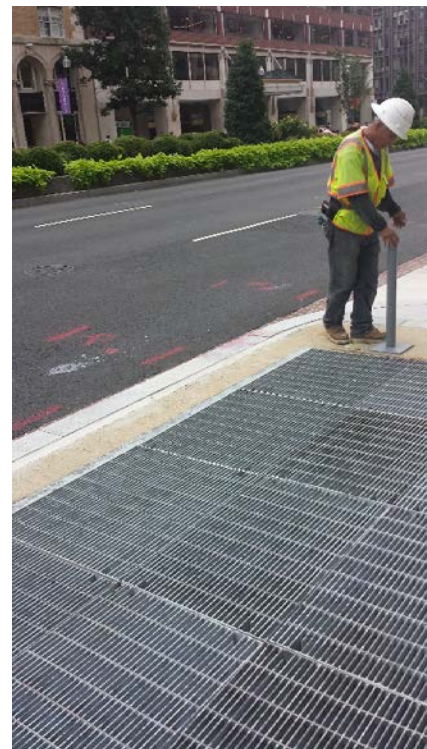
**CONSTRUCTION MANAGER'S
WEEKLY REPORT**

7/17/2015 – 7/31/2015

Project Website: www.connecticutavestreetscape.com



New light poles and signage located throughout the construction site.



A member of the Fort Myer construction crew removing an item per the punch list.

1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Project Description:

The new Connecticut Avenue N.W. project is the third phase of a DDOT-sponsored streetscape upgrade program. The project encompasses an approximately one mile of a 4-lane corridor between DuPont Circle and K Street NW. The street, streetscape, and associated infrastructure improvements are currently scheduled to be completed before or around October 2015. The DDOT right-of-way to be improved includes the roadway, curb/gutter, sidewalks and upgrades to street lights, traffic signals and utilities. Access is being provided to businesses during construction, and work will be coordinated closely with WMATA to make sure access is maintained at all bus stops and metro stations. Located in the Golden Triangle BID, one of the prominent commercial and business corridors within the District, the project's effects on the area will be closely monitored with daily outreach to area businesses and citizens to be sure that construction efforts are well-planned and as least disruptive as possible.

Proposed work will include but not be limited to:

- Street resurfacing and milling
- Replacement of deteriorated sidewalks with new block concrete paver sidewalks with ADA compliant curb-cut ramps, brick gutters, and granite curbs
- New bus pads at WMATA bus stops
- Replacement of driveway and alley entrances
- Streetscaping enhancements such as new tree fences, benches, trash receptacles, and bike racks
- Installation of a new electrical duct bank system and upgraded storm drainage inlets, storm sewer pipes, and fire hydrants
- New Teardrop and Washington Globe street lights
- Installation of centralized parking meters
- New traffic signs and pavement markings
- Traffic signal replacements

2. STATUS OF CONSTRUCTION / PROGRESS SUMMARY

Progress Summary: Volkert Project Engineer, Osman Mohamed, corresponded with the Contractor, Fort Myer Construction, throughout the past two weeks with regard to ongoing sidewalk maintenance and bike rack installation around the entire construction project zone. Correspondence between members of Volkert Project Management and DDOT Project Management with regard to pending development on change order #4.

3. ISSUES / ACTION ITEMS

- Ongoing Issues / Items: continued sidewalk maintenance throughout construction site
- New Issues / Items:
- Action Items:
- New action items: pending development on Change Order #4

4. MEETINGS / PROJECT COORDINATION

Volkert Project Engineer, Osman Mohamed, corresponded with members of the Fort Myer Construction Team, Golden Triangle BID, and DDOT Project Management with regards to construction project status and completion. Also, Volkert Project Engineer, Osman Mohamed, corresponded and coordinated with members of Volkert Project Management with regard to the status and completion of the 'As-built' plans for the construction project.

5. DAILY WORK PERFORMED

Field construction activities performed during this period:

Saturday, 7/18/15:

No construction activities scheduled or completed.

Monday, 7/19/15 – Friday, 7/24/15:

The Contractor, Ft. Myer, performed scheduled work on bike racks and traffic signals. In addition, Ft. Myer and subcontractors worked on punch list items.

Saturday, 7/25/15:

No construction activities scheduled or completed.

Monday, 7/26/15 – Friday, 7/31/15:

In addition, Ft. Myer and subcontractors continued scheduled construction activities on punch list items, including sidewalk maintenance, bike racks, traffic signals, and tree boxes.

6. PUBLIC OUTREACH

Public Outreach performed this week:

Saturday, 7/18/15:

- No correspondence or public outreach visits.

Monday, 7/19/15 – Friday, 7/24/15:

- Volkert Project Engineer, Osman Mohammed, met with contractor, Ft. Myer and landscaping subcontractor, Long Fence, to complete walk-through punch list. Osman met with building owners at 1250, 1333, and 1341 Connecticut Avenue, NW to discuss sidewalk and vault maintenance. Volkert Project Engineer, Osman Mohammed, coordinated with Fort Myer Construction Management in regards to scheduled sidewalk maintenance and bike rack installation.

Saturday, 7/25/15:

- No correspondence or public outreach visits.

Monday, 7/26/15 – Friday, 7/31/15:

- Correspondence between Volkert Project Management and Fort Myer Construction management with regard to status on ongoing construction. Volkert Project Engineer, Osman Mohammed, met with Downtown DC BID and contractor, Ft. Myer and landscaping subcontractor, Long Fence, to check on walk-through punch list items.

7. INSPECTION & MATERIAL TESTS PERFORMED

No construction materials were tested.

8. CHANGE ORDERS/TASK ORDER

PCO'S:

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| - WMATA Bike Locker removal | - WMATA Fee increase |
| - WMATA Manual | - Waterproofing at multiple locations |
| - LED Street lights | - Manhole & inlet top adjustments |
| - Pavers on Pepco vaults | - Deletion of as-built drawings |
| - Multi-space meter | |

9. DBE PARTICIPATION SUMMARIES

Volkert had one DBE Senior Inspector from Cube Root for this project.

10. ACCIDENTS / INCIDENTS

There were no reported accidents in the project limits during this period.

12. PHOTOS OF WORK PERFORMED THIS PERIOD



Newly striped pedestrian crossing, tree box fencing, and mulched planter bed located at the southern portion of DuPont Circle and 19th Street.



Traffic signals and signage help in aiding vehicular traffic along the intersection of M Street, Connecticut Avenue, and Rhode Island.



Fort Myer construction crews installing bike racks along several areas of the Connecticut Avenue construction project.