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Changes to Traffic Pattern for Reservoir Street Improvements

Harrisonburg, Va. – The city’s Public Works Department will continue to oversee the next phase of the Reservoir Street improvement project.

Motorists will soon begin noticing traffic pattern changes along Reservoir Street. The first phase (as depicted on the map below) of construction will be concentrated around the intersection of Reservoir Street, from the entrance to the rescue squad to the entrance of Costco, and University Boulevard, east and west approximately one block.

Partial lane closures will take place along Reservoir Street and University Boulevard in both directions. Although limited, lanes of travel will remain open in all directions and motorists should anticipate delays.

Crews will relocate water and sewer lines, construct retaining walls and storm sewer drains, along with completing the relocation of underground utilities.

“Although the end result will be beneficial for our community, we recognize this project will have an impact on traffic,” explained Kim Cameron, engineering supervisor with Public Works. “We will continue working with neighboring businesses and motorists to provide updates on the progress of this project.

At the end of January the construction contract was awarded to A&J Development and Excavating, Inc. of Mount Crawford. The construction contract was awarded for \$10,139,986.49.

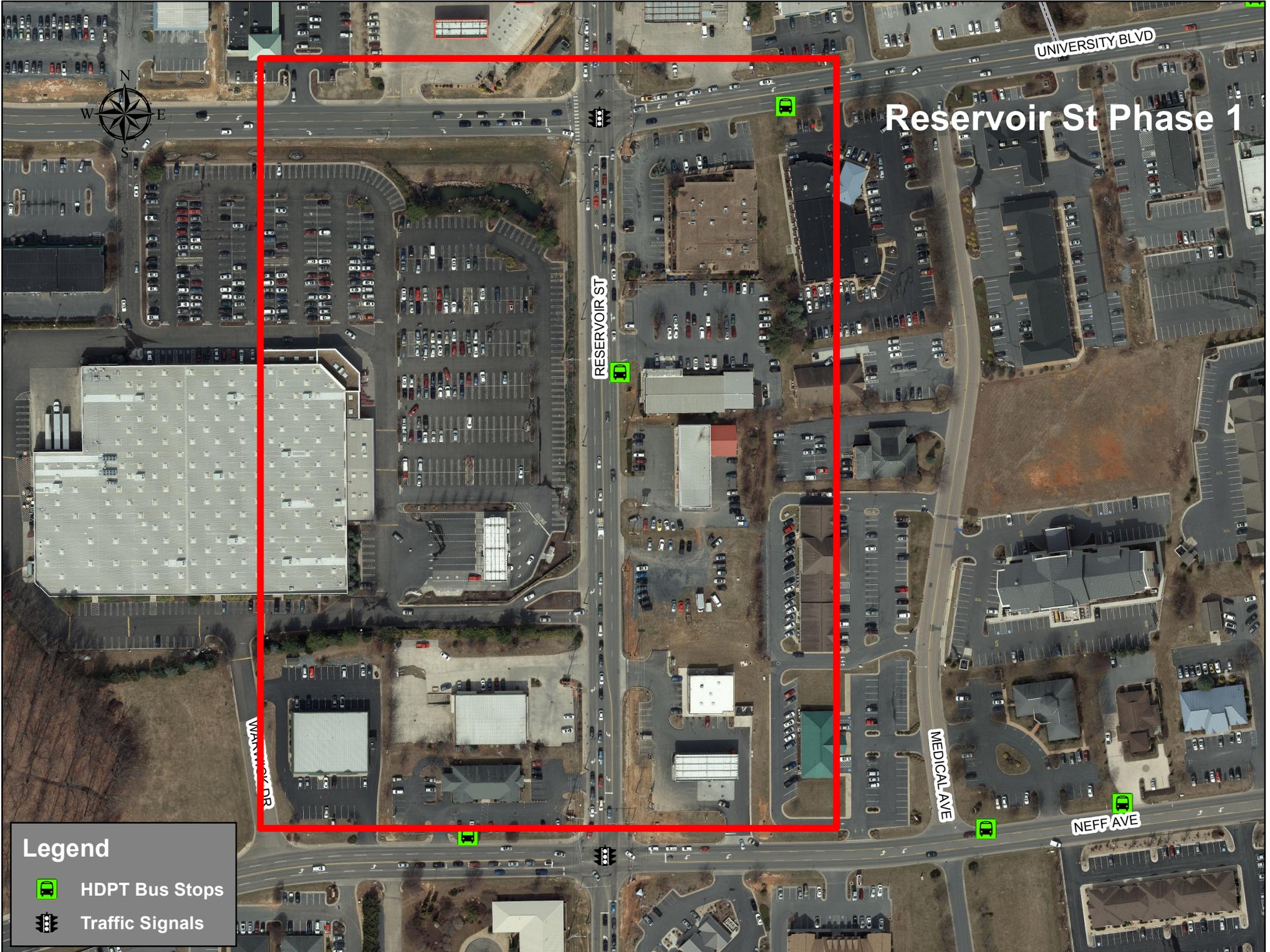
This project will widen Reservoir Street from the city limits to University Boulevard and is expected to be completed by December 2017.

Additional information about this project is available at www.HarrisonburgVA.gov/reservoir-street.

The Harrisonburg Public Works Department maintains more than 300 lane miles, 42.37 miles of public sidewalk, 250 miles of curb and gutter, and hundreds of acres of city right-of-way. The Department strives to ensure a safe, clean, and clear passageway for all vehicular and pedestrian traffic. More information about street and sidewalk maintenance is available at www.HarrisonburgVA.gov/public-works.



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UNIVERSITY BLVD

Reservoir St Phase 1

RESERVOIR ST

MEDICAL AVE

NEFF AVE

WATSON

Legend

-  HDPT Bus Stops
-  Traffic Signals

