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The purpose of this note, and the many that will follow, is to provide you with recent and immediate future activity concerning the Second Street TIGER grant project.

- A website has been established for the Second Street TIGER Grant Project. It can be found at www.frankfort.ky.gov/TIGER
- The consultant selected to perform the preliminary engineering and environmental assessment work (Strand Associates, Inc.) was issued a Notice To Proceed on February 18, 2019.
- Since the Notice To Proceed, the Strand Associates team has been preparing a list of affected property owners, performing field surveying, conducting traffic counts at the intersections, and gathering traffic signal timing data. Over the next several weeks, the Strand Associates team will conduct geotechnical (subsurface) borings, environmental field activities, and perform subsurface camera inspections on portions of the sewer system with the help of the Frankfort Sewer Department.
- Flooding questionnaires have been mailed to affected property owners to gather information about any storm water or sanitary sewer issues affecting the properties. This information will better inform both Strand and the Frankfort Sewer Department as the design for the reconstruction of these systems proceeds.
- We currently anticipate the three days of planned stakeholder meetings will now occur in early April. Once we decide on specific dates, you will be notified so that you may contact us and schedule a day and time for a 30-minute session to come to City Hall and share your ideas and concerns for this project.
- As we mentioned in the February 12, 2019 update, extensive utility replacement work will begin in the next few weeks on East Main Street between Capital Avenue and Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard. This work will involve replacing water, sanitary sewer, and gas lines. During this work, two lanes of traffic (one lane in each direction) will be maintained. The Frankfort Electric and Water Plant Board, the Frankfort Sewer Department, and Columbia Gas of Kentucky have met to coordinate this work so as to minimize the total length of time required to complete these line replacements.
- We continue to develop a project stakeholder list with contact information so that we may keep interested parties informed of project status. We are also developing a separate property owner list with contact information.

For those of you who did not receive the previous update note, attached for your information is a project map and the overall project schedule. Please understand that the attached project schedule is the schedule included in the USDOT/KYTC and KYTC/City TIGER grant agreements. As with many complex and lengthy projects such as the Second Street TIGER grant project, there are numerous factors that may alter the schedule as the project progresses. It is the City's expressed intent to follow the attached schedule as closely as possible.



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