



August 1, 2024

SUBJECT: Stone Avenue Complete Streets Project: Stone Avenue from First Street to Ochoa Street

Dear Neighbor:

Communication is a key component in creating and preserving partnerships between citizens and the City of Tucson. In keeping with this commitment, the City of Tucson Department of Transportation and Mobility (DTM) is notifying you of the upcoming Stone Avenue Complete Street Improvement Project that extends from First Avenue to Ochoa Street. This project is part of the Better Streets | Safe Streets voter-approved initiative.

**On Monday, August 12, 2024, Granite Construction, under contract with DTM, is scheduled to begin this project between Alameda Street and Pennington Street.** The work will begin with lowering manhole and water valve covers. Crews will then begin milling (removing) the top layer of asphalt followed by paving and construction of the Stone Avenue two-way protected bike lane extension.

Work is scheduled to take place Monday through Friday from about 5 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day, with possible night and weekend work. A full closure of Stone Avenue during weeknights may be in place as needed during this project. One lane of travel will be maintained, except for when a full closure is needed during weeknights. Parking will be restricted in this area. ADA and sidewalk access will be maintained during this work.

The segment of this project, between Alameda Street and Pennington Street, is anticipated to be completed by mid-September 2024. Following this work, crews will begin working on the southern portion of the project between Pennington Street and Ochoa Street.

This completed bike lane will connect the existing segment beginning at Toole Avenue/Franklin Street to Ochoa Street. Stone Avenue will become a two-lane roadway between Alameda Street and Broadway. Also, the project includes the milling and repaving of Stone Avenue from First Street to Broadway and Alameda Street to Broadway.

For more information about this improvement project visit: [stone-ave-cycle-track-cotgis.hub.arcgis.com](http://stone-ave-cycle-track-cotgis.hub.arcgis.com)

Electronic message boards will be in place ahead of the project to alert motorists of this upcoming work. The schedule is subject to change due to inclement weather or unforeseen

circumstances. If you have any questions on the project, please contact DTM Strategic Communications, Kara Spinney at (520) 349-5055, or Erica Frazelle at (520) 429-9646.

Tucson Delivers Better Streets | Safe Streets was an initiative that asked Tucson voters to extend the existing temporary half-cent sales tax for an additional 10 years on the May 2022 ballot. The funds collected through the half-cent sales tax over the 10-year period will be used for street improvements and systemwide street safety projects.

