



## **ROAD CLOSURES & TRAFFIC REPORTS**

**Beginning the week of May 20th, 2019**

- **STREET OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT**

You can view the sweeping map at:  
<http://www.pocatello.us/DocumentCenter>

- **SWEEPING:**

Street sweepers are currently performing their annual spring cleanup. During this time, crews will sweep each street in the city once. After cleanup is complete, crews will then move to their regular sweeping schedule.

- **PATCHING FROST HEAVES**

Street Operations will continue digging out and patching back frost heaves throughout the city. This will require intermittent lane closures and possibly temporary road closures as work is performed.

- **JETTING STORM DRAIN LINES**

Street Operations will be jetting storm drain lines throughout the city. There may be intermittent lane closures while work is being performed.

- **PAVEMENT MARKINGS**

Street Operations Department is anticipating to begin painting crosswalks and other pavement markings in various parts of the city. There will be intermittent lane closures while crews are painting. Drivers are advised to use caution to avoid wet paint and expect delays at work sites.

- **IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT:**

- **I-15 ROAD CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS**

- Reconstruction of Rose Road Interchange on I-15. This project will improve mobility and safety on Interstate 15. Construction will be completed in late 2019.
- The section of roadway from the I-15/I-86 junction north to the Fort Hall boundary. Construction began in April and is projected to be completed by the end of July.
- Northgate Overpass above I-15 is currently under construction and projected to be completed in the fall of 2019.

- **ENGINEERING**

- **SEWER LINE PROJECT**

- The project area on West Griffith Road will be from McKinley Avenue to Yellowstone Avenue. Crews will work between the hours of 7 a.m. to approximately 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. During the project, access to the construction area will be restricted and sections of the street will be completely closed while workers are digging. However, every effort will be made to provide local access to the area when possible. Parking will also be restricted in the construction zone and residents are asked to park all vehicles away from the area during the day. At the close of each day, access will be restored to all properties. The project is anticipated to take 60 days to complete but, due to any unforeseen circumstances, the work schedule may change.

- **CONTRACTORS:** No reports

- **WATER POLLUTION CONTROL:**

- **JETTING SEWER LINES**

- Crews will be jetting sewer lines throughout the city. Motorists may experience delays or lane closures while crews are performing the work.

- **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**

- **BENTON STREET BRIDGE**

- Southbound shoulder on 1<sup>st</sup> Ave., under the Benton Street Bridge will be closed periodically for the next few months, as needed, to allow the Contractor to perform work. Starting Wednesday, May 22, 2019 Benton Street Bridge will be reduced to one lane of traffic each direction over the bridge.

- **WATER DEPARTMENT**

- **PROJECT ON DAHL, CHERRY, HEMLOCK, HUBBARD & MARLU NEIGHBORHOOD**

- The City of Pocatello Water Department will begin the project on Dahl Street Thursday, April 11, 2019 and will continue on Cherry, Hemlock, Hubbard and Marlu Street as the project progresses. The crew will work between the hours of 7:00 a.m. to approximately 5:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday to install new water lines, new fire hydrants and water meter boxes at the front property lines. Work is being done to improve water service in the area and will take approximately eight weeks to complete.

- For the safety of the public and City employees, sections of each street will be completely closed throughout the project while the crew is digging, and access will be restricted. However, every effort will be made to provide local access to property when possible. Parking will also be restricted in the construction zone, and residents are asked to park all vehicles away from the area during the day. At the close of each day, access will be restored to all properties. Also, if you have children, please warn them of the safety hazards and to stay a safe distance from the construction area. Our workers are experienced and continually monitor the work zone, but the heavy equipment operators have blind spots which may impede their ability to see small children.

The work will also cause short-term disruptions to water service. Individuals in and around the construction zone are encouraged to keep a supply of drinking water available.

This project, like all other water system improvement projects, is funded by the Water Department's capital improvement fund. For more information about this project or any other Water Department project/service, call 234-6182.

- **EVENTS:**

**REVIVE @ 5 SUMMER CONCERTS MAY 22<sup>ND</sup> – AUGUST 28<sup>TH</sup> 5 PM TO 8 PM**

Hosted by the Bannock Civitan Club, Revive @ 5 is the place to be on Wednesday nights during the summer. Live music, great food, family fun, the Wednesday Farmers Market, and more! All from 5-8pm at the Old Town Pavilion, 420 N. Main St. Join us!

**FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK**

Old Town Pocatello is the place to be on the First Friday of every month, all year long. First Friday Art Walk Features art, music, food, fashion and more in over 20 downtown shops and restaurants. Admission to the event is free. Parking is free. From 5 to 8 PM on the first Friday of every month you are invited to come enjoy Art Walk in Old Town Pocatello.

**PORTNEUF VALLEY FARMERS MARKET**

Old Town Pocatello is hosting the "Portneuf Valley Farmers Market" every Saturday beginning May 4 through October 26, 2019. The event is located at the Old Town Pavilion, 420 N. Main St. The Market is open every Saturday from 9am to 1pm during May through October, and every Wednesday during 2019 from May 22 to September 4 from 5-8pm. Buy local and help support over 100 local growers, artists, and crafters.