

Capital Projects Progress Report Oct 2015

for the Multimodal Transportation Commission, and Subcommittees

City of Asheville

Capital Projects Management Division

Transportation Department

Project Manager: **Chuck Watson**

Inspector:

Hazel Mill Rd Sidewalk

Status: Preliminary Engineering

Status Update:

Design will start when surveying has been completed.
Surveying in-progress and is 75% complete.

Project Scope:

Sidewalk along Hazel Mill Rd from Patton Ave to N. Louisiana Ave. Only preliminary engineering currently. Project is programmed for FY17. This project will be scheduled after the developer receives permit approval.

Milestones:

Right of Way:

Last Project Update On: 10/19/2015

Livingston Street Complete Street

Status: Design (by Consultant)

Status Update:

The designer is working on preliminary designs based upon feedback obtained from the public, stake holders and City staff.

Project Scope:

Provide Complete Street beginning on Depot St (adjacent to Grant Center) along Livingston Street to Victoria Road. Design will incorporate a roundabout, bike lanes, and pedestrian improvements.

Milestones:

Right of Way:

Last Project Update On: 10/9/2015

New Leicester Highway Sidewalk

Status: Design (In-House)

Status Update:

The PID has been resubmitted and we are eligible to request R-O-W funds.

Project Scope:

Construct approximately 2.3 miles of 5-foot wide concrete sidewalk with a 5-ft grass/utility strip on New Leicester Highway (US 63) from Patton Avenue, northwest to the city limit. Needed linkage in COA Pedestrian Plan update in 2005.

Milestones:

Survey Complete
TBD - Begin Design
TBD - Complete Design
TBD - Right of Way/Utility Relocation (if necessary)

Right of Way:

Pending survey and design.

Last Project Update On: 10/19/2015

Project Manager: **Dewayne Riddle**

Inspector:

Clingman Forrest Greenway

Status: ROW & Utility Relocation

Status Update:

10-14-15 -Reviewing plans and cost estimate.
Project is designed. Pending NEPA documentation and FHWA design review.

Project Scope:

Help to form contracts to build Greenway for the RAD-TIP project.

Milestones:

Keep in touch with everyone on a time to start construction.

Right of Way:

Last Project Update On: 10/16/2015

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Project Manager: **Dewayne Riddle**

Inspector:

Town Branch Greenway

Status: Preliminary Engineering

Status Update:

10-14-15 Working on review of plans and cost estimate.

Working on getting all of the right of way for construction.

Project Scope:

Help to form contracts to build Greenway for the RAD-TIP project.

Milestones:

Right of Way:

Last Project Update On: 10/16/2015

Project Manager: **Robert Kun**

Inspector: **Bobby Roberts**

Haywood Road Multimodal

Status: Construction

Status Update:

Work began 10/05/15. Pre-Con meeting on 9/24/15. Contract and budget amendment passed by Council. Project has been advertised. On-street parking request denied by NCDOT. Continuing with contract as planned, without on-street parking.

Project may begin Summer '15. Revised estimate to \$268k from \$220k due to trend, rise in contractor bids. 8 on-street parking spaces were proposed by property owner. On-street parking reviewed and denied by NCDOT. Preliminary striping for lane shift and bike lane are complete.

Project Scope:

Sidewalk, Bike Lane, and Striping for Haywood Rd from Craven St. to Beecham's Curve.

Milestones:

Design Phase Complete.
All Easements Acquired.
06/22/15 Plans at NCDOT for approval for on-street parking request by Matt Dyer
7/8/15 NCDOT rejects parking
7/14/15 Plans and contract revised
7/16/15 - RFP Bid Package posted
8/06/15 Open bids
08/25/15 Goes to Council
9/24/15 Pre-Con MTG
10/05/15 Work Begins

Right of Way:

* 8 Donated - 1 Condemned
* Right-of-entry agreements renewed with property owners.

Last Project Update On: 10/21/2015

New Haw Creek Sidewalk

Status: Design (In-House)

Status Update:

Received proposal for pedestrian bridge. Recommendations given by NCDOT. New plans and estimates (\$219,000 plus money for City Staff time) have been made based on recommendations and presented to Ken Putnam. Have rough estimate on pedestrian bridge and are exploring options.

Project Scope:

1150 LF of Sidewalk. Also provides Curb and Gutter, Ped Bridge along New Haw Creek Road

Milestones:

TBD - 2nd Review Mtg w/ NCDOT
8/27/15 Received proposal for pedestrian bridge

Right of Way:

Last Project Update On: 10/21/2015

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Project Manager: **Vinnie Sullivan**

Inspector:

French Broad Greenway - WEST

Status: Design (by Consultant)

Status Update:

Scheduling walk-through of site with Parks and Recreation. Cost estimates received, reviewing consultant's revised cost estimate (\$2.5 million).

Project Scope:

Approx 1.2 mile greenway from Haywood Road Bridge to Amboy Road.

Milestones:

Right of Way:

Last Project Update On: 10/19/2015

Hendersonville Rd Sidewalk

Status: Construction

Status Update:

Start date scheduled for October 19, 2015.

Inspection services to be provided by NC DOT.

NC DOT has given their approval of the contract and has issued a certificate of concurrence.

Project Scope:

Construction of pedestrian and transit improvements along Hendersonville Hwy. from Seminole Rd. to Long Shoals Rd., to include sidewalks, retaining walls, bus shelters, pedestrian signals, etc.

Milestones:

6/8 - Advertise project for bids
7/1 - ROW Acquisition Complete
8/15 - Bid Opening (2nd)
9/15 - Council Resolution for Contract
10/15 - Award Contract
12/16 - Complete construction

Right of Way:

All 31 easements have been recorded and final payments to property owners have been processed.

Last Project Update On: 10/19/2015

Project Manager: **Walter Ear**

Inspector: TBD

RADTIP

Status: Design (by Consultant)

Status Update:

Currently reviewing streetscape plans with River Redevelopment Team, CDM Smith and SDS.

Review of 65% plans complete.

* Weekly meetings ongoing for River Redevelopment Team (RRT) Coordination, Mondays.

* 8/1/15 Received 65% plans from CDM Smith.

* 7/8/15 On site permitting meeting with DENR, USACE, DWQ

* 6/19/15 Utility Coordination Meeting held with CDM Smith, So-Deep, and Utility Providers (Duke Energy, PSNC, MSD, AT&T, and COA Water Department)

Project Scope:

River Arts District Transportation Improvement Project (RADTIP). Scope primarily redevelops the riverfront along Riverside Drive, and Lyman St into a multimodal transportation corridor.

Milestones:

2015
Nov - Utility Coordination Meeting
2016
Apr - 100% Design Complete
Jun - FHWA ROW Deadline
Aug - End of Federal FY
Sep - FHWA Funding Obligated
2017 - Begin Construction (late 2016 possible)

Right of Way:

In-progress. See COA Real Estate Department for details.

Last Project Update On: 9/28/2015