



Gentilly Terrace Group E Project – September 2023 Community Update

The Gentilly Terrace Group E project started in March 2023 and is a full reconstruction project that spans across 6-blocks from Gentilly Blvd. to Filmore Ave. When the project is complete, residents will have a new roadway, sidewalks, ADA ramps, and utilities. We understand that while construction comes with temporary inconveniences, a permanent change to the profile of your street is concerning. The following is an update addressing some frequently asked questions that our office has gotten about the work happening on your block.

What work is currently happening?

- Drainage work is almost complete on the 4700 block of Painters and crews are continuing to work on waterlines on the 4900 block of Painters in preparation for the tie-ins to the existing water supply. You will be notified 48 hours in advance of service disruptions related to the tie-ins.
- This weekend on September 2, 2023 the contractor, in conjunction with Sewage and Water Board, will be performing a test valve closure.

When does the traffic advisory end?

- The most recent traffic advisory is extended to September 22, 2023 at 5:30pm to accommodate the utility work and paving work.

When will we get driveway access?

- With this recent extension, we are looking to begin the paving process after we perform the waterline tie-in. We are starting with the 4900 block since that is the initial block we began construction.

About the Project

The \$10.2M RR055 Gentilly Terrace Group E joint infrastructure project with the City of New Orleans' Department of Public Works and Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans.

Once complete, residents will experience an overall improved quality of life as the project will improve drainage, repair streets, curbs and sidewalks and install new Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)-compliant curb ramps at intersections. The project is scheduled to be completed in spring 2024.

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