

Gentilly Terrace Group E Project – July 19, 2023 Community Update

First and foremost, thank you for your continued patience. The Gentilly Terrace Group E project started in March 2023 and is a full construction 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 comes with concerns. 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?

- Recently, sewer work has been completed on the 4700 block of Painters. They are currently working on installing water lines. Additional water services will follow.
- Installation of the sewer line and sewer house connections have been completed on the 4900 block of Painters. They are starting to wrap up the water line work and will be planning a tie-in soon. You will be notified 48 hours in advance for this service disruption.

When does the traffic advisory end?

• The traffic advisory is currently scheduled to end on August 4th and 5:30 PM to accommodate utility work.

When will we get driveway access?

We are continuously looking at how access is going to look by the end of the current traffic advisory. In the next
few weeks, the contractor will start work on the base course on the 4900 block of Painters and we hope to
provide access to this block by the end of this current traffic advisory, if not at least partial access. We are
starting with the 4900 block since that is the initial block we began construction.

About the Project

This work is a part of 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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