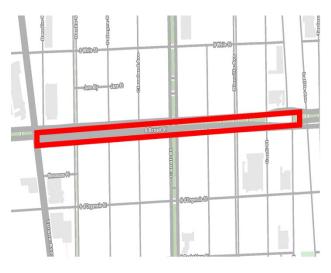






Broad Street (US90B) Pedestrian Safety and Accessibility Improvements

Tulane Avenue to Lafitte Greenway



The City of New Orleans Department of Public Works is working in tandem with Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (LADOTD) to improve pedestrian safety and expand accessibility for people traveling along and across Broad Street. Pedestrian safety and accessibility improvements are planned for a portion of Broad Street between Tulane Avenue and the Lafitte Greenway as part of a larger \$5.7M roadway improvements project. The new pedestrian safety improvements are funded 100% through the federal Safe Routes to Public Places Program (SRTPPP).

The scope of work for this project includes:

- Pedestrian signalization with countdown displays and audio/vibrotactile features at major intersections
- Pedestrian Hybrid Beacons at the Lafitte Greenway intersection
- Americans with Disabilities Act-compliant curb ramps at intersections
- Sidewalk improvements along Broad Street
- High visibility crosswalks at Broad Street intersections (Tulane Avenue, Canal Street and the Lafitte Greenway.)
- New marked crosswalk installed at Broad Street and Palmyra Street

Timeline: This project is anticipated to begin construction in the 4th Quarter of 2024. The contractor, sequencing and start date for this project will be established following bid acceptance by the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development.

In general, construction work hours will be Monday through Friday from about 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. During construction residents can expect to experience temporary construction inconveniences such as limited access to areas within the construction zones, limited lane closures and parking, movement of heavy equipment, safety signage, and construction sounds. Temporary pedestrian access to storefronts and residences will be provided by the contractor. Service to some bus stops may be temporarily disrupted due to construction and advance notifications will be coordinated with the New Orleans Regional Transit Authority. No road closures are expected during this construction period but temporary disruptions to traffic flow and parking may occur. For your safety and the safety of construction workers, please remember to use caution when traveling through active construction sites.

Sign up for the project contact list by writing our RoadworkNOLA's Mobility and Safety Outreach Specialist Brandon Caples at <u>brandon.caples@nola.gov</u> or calling the RoadworkNOLA hotline at 504-658-7623.