



Memorandum

South Gorge Trail

November 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020

To: Residents, Employers, and Employees

From: LaRiviere Inc.

Location: Water Ave to Elm Street and Sandifur Parking Lot

LaRiviere was able to finish the Sandifur Parking lot with the exception of the bike trail, it is striped and now open to the public. The art has been installed and looks amazing.

The bike trail and other items are still open since Shamrock decided to close their plants and won't open again until spring. We will grade for patching on Main and intend to bring the asphalt ourselves and hot patch the openings on Elm and the little trench on Water Ave with our own crew.

We received approval to remove the ash in the Elm swale and have completed that task. This has allowed us to install the drywells in the Elm swale. We were also able to finish the structure installs in Main Ave. The excavated materials from the Elm swale have allowed us raise the grade of the trail between Elm and Water almost a foot, which will help in high water times.

LaRiviere will explore winter options with the city with respect to work in the Water Avenue swale, and also with beginning the initial work on the wall on Clarke.

However, in the current situation, we have completed the work available to us and will pull off on Wednesday. The project will be suspended on Wednesday pending City approval. We will keep the public update with any changes.

We sincerely want to thank everyone for your patience with us while we have navigated through the humps of starting this amazing project.

Please know that each day during this project, we will be mindful of the impact we are having on the surrounding businesses and neighborhoods, while staying focused on the benefits of the completed project. If you have any questions, concerns, ideas or observations please feel free to contact us as follows:

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