



Knapp Street NE (Truxton Drive to the east city limits) Road Design and Construction

Address block here

A street resurfacing project is coming to your neighborhood next year on the street above. We are writing to share the new street design. We invite you to contact us at the number or e-mail address below with any questions or concerns.

Prior to the start of the project, we'll send out another mailer to share construction preparation information. You received this letter because you are within 350 feet of the project.

Survey

Please take our quick project survey to share your thoughts on the proposed preferred design as well as inform us about any flooding, water pressure, or sanitary sewer backup issues. To take the survey, you can:

1. Visit gr.publicinput.com and search for *Knapp*
2. Text *Knapp road construction* to 73224
3. Scan the QR code to the right with your smartphone camera
4. Call 311 or 616-456-3000



Contact Information

311 or 616-456-3000

communityengagement@grcity.us
grandrapidsmi.gov/roadconstruction

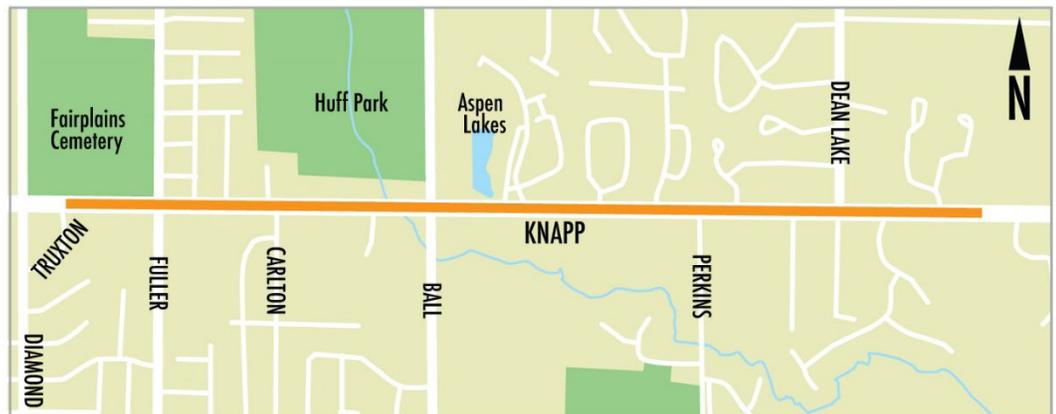
Tentative Construction Schedule

Summer 2024

Concept Design

Streets account for the biggest percentage of public space in our City and construction presents an opportunity to change a street's design to serve all users.

The design described below was created based on the guidance and recommendations in the City's Vital Streets Plan and Bicycle Action Plan.



Knapp Street (Truxton to Fuller)

The project will:

- Reconstruct the street, curb, and gutter. This will also narrow the street by a couple feet on both sides to create a parkway on the north side of the street. This will separate the sidewalk from the street. The parkway is the grassy area between the sidewalk and the street.
- Upgrade sidewalks and curb ramps to meet the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards.
- Remove the right turn lane at the Knapp and Fuller intersection.
- Extend the buffered bicycle lanes on both sides of the street through the Fuller intersection.
- Replace some driveway approaches as needed.
- Plant new street trees

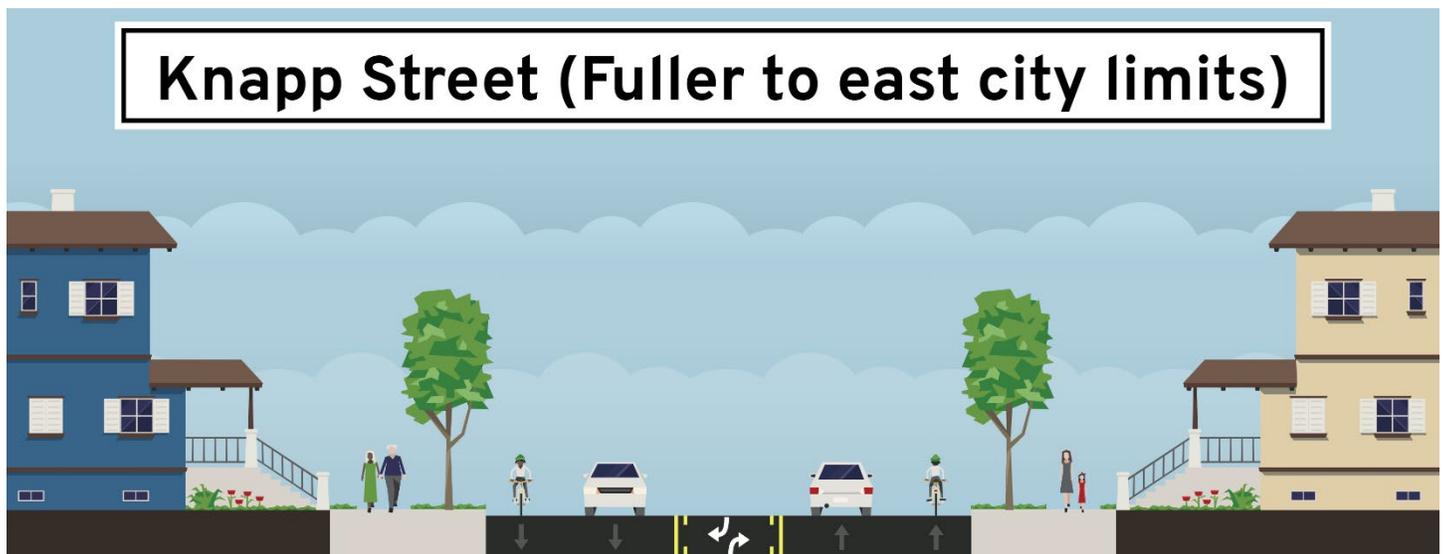
Knapp Street (Fuller Avenue to the east city limits)

- Remove one or two layers of asphalt and pave a new street.
- Maintain the existing road layout; one travel lane in each direction, a continuous center-turn lane, and bicycle lanes on both sides of the street.

- Upgrade sidewalks and curb ramps to meet the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards.
- Install new raised medians in unused portions of the center turn lane to add more greenspace and help slow traffic. These medians will not impact left turns entering or exiting Knapp Street at side streets or driveways. Please see the image at the end of this letter. Please visit our website and search for *Knapp St* to see a visual with more detail of the medians.
- Remove the right-turn lane at the Knapp and Fuller intersection.
- Install bicycle lanes through the Fuller intersection.
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Business Guide

As we work to improve the street, we understand that businesses are sensitive to construction. For this reason, we've created a guide containing information for businesses during construction. Please find this guide on our website or contact us to have a copy sent to you.



Median Locations – Knapp Street (Hidden Creek to the east City limits)

