



City of Gretna Downtown Drainage Improvements June – November 2022

September 2nd Construction Update

The City of Gretna and its contractor Barriere Construction are working as quickly as possible to minimize the disruption to our neighbors. While rains have delayed much of the concrete work, this aggressive schedule revision is intended to minimize impact to neighbors and complete as much of the street work as possible prior to the Gretna Heritage Festival October 7th-9th. **Please note changes to the tentative schedule and phasing of the project as follows:**

- Newton Street (**yellow on map**) will open to traffic on Tuesday, September 6th.
- Starting Wednesday, September 7th, Lavoisier St from 2nd to 3rd will be closed to traffic (**purple on map**).
- Third Street from Lavoisier St to Lafayette St will be closed until approximately September 26th (**green on map**).
- Third street at Huey P Long (**red on map**) will remain closed and the temporary U-turn removed until approximately September 15th.

No traffic or parking will be possible in the street sections where work is occurring. Detour signs will be placed to reroute traffic.

Please contact us at **(504) 363-1500** or **drainage@gretnala.com** with any questions or concerns.

As always, thank you for your cooperation and patience as we work to improve drainage for the neighborhood!

Phase 3 – Newton St will open 9/6 and
Phase 5 – Lavoisier St will close to traffic 9/7.



Downtown Drainage Improvements Tentative Schedule **UPDATED September 2, 2022** *(pending weather and other complications/delays)*

Phase 1: Intersection at 3rd and Huey P. Long will remain closed until September 15.

Phase 2: 3rd St. from Huey P Long Ave. through Newton St – Opened to traffic August 31.

Phase 3: 200 Block of Newton St – Opening to traffic September 6.

Phase 4: 3rd St from Lavoisier St. to Lafayette St – August 29 to September 26. (Intersection at Lafayette and 3rd will be completed after Gretna Fest).

Phase 5: Lavoisier St. from 2nd to 3rd St. – September 7 (after Newton St opens) to October 1.