Beginning, **Thursday, September 12, 2019** the contractor will begin Stage 2 reconstruction of Franklin Street by closing Franklin Street from 1821/1822 Franklin Street north to 18th Street. In order for the contractor to begin pavement removal, <u>a full road closure</u> will be required. The road closure will be in effect for **eight (8)** to ten (10) weeks, depending on the weather. Below you will find a map with the closure area highlighted.



For safety's sake, please stay away from the construction area. Heavy equipment will be moving back and forth on the closed street. It would be advisable to stay behind the sidewalk on the property side during the reconstruction work.

During the closure, alternate garbage pickup points will be required for residents who normally place automated collection carts within the closure area of Franklin Street. Residents can place their collection carts on the open portion of Franklin Street or the open portions of 18th Street during this stage of the street closure. This should be done on the normal collection day for that particular street. The open portion will include the area reconstructed during stage 1. Parking will also be available within the Stage 1 closure area.

Yard waste collection carts can be placed curbside at the same location as the garbage collection carts for pickup. Yard waste may also be taken to the transfer station in any type of container when the transfer station is open.

Also during the road closure, rural type mailboxes will be removed and temporarily relocated. The contractor will coordinate the location of the relocated mailboxes with the U.S. Postal Service. Normally, all mailboxes are relocated at one end of the road closure. Once reconstruction is completed, the mailboxes will be returned to their original location. Please do not park adjacent to the relocated mailboxes. The residents will be responsible for removing any decorative attachments to the mailboxes and relocating any landscape plantings within the right-of-way. The contractor will be responsible for removing and temporarily relocating the mailbox and post only.

If you want additional information about the 2019 Street Construction Project, please visit the project web page at www.cedarfalls.com/StreetConstruction

If you want to receive road closure notices by e-mail, visit www.cedarfalls/notify and follow the instructions for road construction as shown.

If you have any questions or concerns during the course of construction you may contact me by phone, fax or e-mail as listed below.

Sincerely, Ben

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