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NEIGHBORHOOD PRECONSTRUCTION MEETING AGENDA

6:30 p.m. at the House of Seven Gables
115 Derby Street

Essex Street Trolley Track Removal Project

Presented by:
David H. Knowlton, P.E., City Engineer / DPS Director
Jay Carroll, P.E.; Roadway Project Engineer
William Ross, P.E., New England Civil Engineering Corp.

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1. **Introductions**
 2. **Community Relations**
 - a. Who to contact
 - i. Tom Duffy, Resident Project Engineer, New England Civil Engineering
Cell: 978-973-6538
Email: tduffy@engineeringcorporation.com
 - ii. Steve Granese, Project Superintendent (Contractor), N. Granese & Sons
Phone: 781-592-8121
 - b. Notices – start of construction, prior to planned service disruption
 - c. Continuation of Special Needs
 - d. Helpful hints during construction
 - e. Engineering Department Website - http://www.salem.com/Pages/SalemMA_Engineer/index
 - f. 2 week look ahead, posted on website
 - g. Email blasts

3. Project Overview

- a. Limit of Work
 - i. Essex Street from Washington Square East to Federal Street

4. Scope of Work / Sequence – WEATHER DEPENDENT

- a. Sewer Repairs (start 11/19)
 - i. Spot repairs of sewers
- b. Trolley Track Removal (start after sewer work, 6 weeks to complete, Dec 24)
 - i. Lower all castings and saw cut pavement in corridor (start Nov 21)
 - ii. No work on Thanksgiving
 - iii. No through traffic allowed on Essex Street
 - 1. Forrester Street is detour route
 - a. Remove trolley tracks on even side of Essex Street (week of Dec 2)
 - b. Remove trolley tracks on odd side of Essex Street (week of Dec 9)
 - c. Grade Gravel, Raise Castings and Pave Roadway (week of Dec 16, complete by Dec 24)

5. Construction Preview

- a. What to expect
- b. Dirty, Noisy, Dusty
- c. Traffic and parking impacts
 - i. No parking when contractor is working
 - ii. Detours required at certain stages of the project (see above), with police details
- d. Work days, hours
- e. Access to businesses and homes
- f. Staging area
- g. Surface enhancements

6. Question and Answers