



Project Newsletter

Public Works Agency



2026 Pedestrian Crossing Improvements

July 13, 2026

Project Description

Pedestrian crossing improvements are scheduled to begin this week at four intersections, as summarized below:

Location	Scope of Work
Dodge Avenue and Foster Street	Installation of concrete curb extensions, sidewalk removal and replacement, ADA ramps, solar-powered LED pedestrian crossing signs with push buttons, in-street signs, and striping.
Emerson Street and Dewey Avenue	Improvements to existing pedestrian crossings, including sidewalk removal and replacement, ADA ramps, installation of solar-powered LED pedestrian crossing signs with push buttons, and striping.
Emerson Street and Hartrey Avenue	
McCormick Boulevard and Prairie Avenue	Improvements to the existing pedestrian crossing, including installation of a concrete median, sidewalk removal and replacement, ADA ramps, RRFB pedestrian and bike crossing signs with push buttons, and striping.

Project Schedule

Construction is anticipated to begin the week of July 13 and is expected to take approximately six to eight weeks, weather permitting.

Temporary No Parking restrictions may be implemented near the project locations as work progresses. When required, No Parking signs will be posted at least 48 hours in advance. Street sweeping parking restrictions will be waived within a one-block radius of the active construction area

while temporary No Parking restrictions are in effect. Every effort will be made to complete the work efficiently and minimize impacts and inconveniences caused by the construction.

Contractor

The contractor for this project is Zenith Construction and Engineering Services LLC (2608 W. Van Buren St., Chicago, IL 60612).

City Contact

This project will be monitored by the City's Capital Planning & Engineering Bureau. If you have any questions or concerns during construction, please do not hesitate to contact the Resident Engineer, Charlie Oppliger, at (224) 630-5381. Questions about the project in general should be directed to Chris Sous, Assistant City Engineer, at (847) 859-7835 or csous@cityofevanston.org.