

PRESS RELEASE



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TRAFFIC ADVISORY & STREET CLOSURE COFFEEN STREET

CSX will begin reconstruction of the railroad crossing at Coffeen Street, between Bellew Avenue and Massey Street North, on Tuesday May 21, 2013. For the duration of the project, Coffeen Street will be closed to thru traffic at the railroad crossing, and a detour route will be setup directing traffic to Arsenal Street. Local traffic and access to area businesses will remain open during the project. Weather permitting; the work is expected to last two to three days.

Temporary Message Boards will be setup near the railroad crossing on Thursday May 16th to advise traffic of the impending street closure.

Beginning the morning of Tuesday May 21st, **Coffeen Street will be CLOSED TO THRU TRAFFIC at the railroad crossing and is scheduled to fully reopen on Friday May 24th.**

The crews will install temporary barricades, signage and have flagmen on-site as needed. Motorists are encouraged to use alternate routes during construction. If in this area, motorist should exercise extreme caution when encountering work crews and work zones.

The Engineering Department would like to thank you for your patience and cooperation while this work is completed. For further information or questions contact the Engineering Department at 785-7740.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kurt W. Hauk", is written over a horizontal line.

Kurt W. Hauk, P.E.
City Engineer