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TRAFFIC ADVISORY AND STREET CLOSURE: COURT STREET – WEDNESDAY, MAY 29, 2024

As part of the construction work for the City's ongoing Downtown Revitalization Initiative (DRI) Streetscape Project, the span of Court Street from Public Square to Coffeen Street will be closed to all vehicular traffic on Wednesday, May 29, 2024. The westernmost segment between Coffeen Street and the Court Street Bridge will remain open.

The City anticipates being able to reopen this street segment by Wednesday evening. Local traffic on Court Street should seek alternate routes, such as Black River Parkway or Arsenal Street, as a bypass around the construction zone. The City encourages nonlocal traffic to use these routes as well if possible.

During Wednesday's closure, the Marshall Place Public Parking Lot behind 210 Court Street, which provides immediate access to the building and is within a short walk of all other Court Street businesses, will remain open and available for use. However, the only means of entering and exiting the Marshall Place lot will be via J.B. Wise Place using the driveway adjacent to the Mayor Joseph M. Butler Pavilion.

The City's contractor will follow standard protocol to establish traffic control by installing temporary barricades, signage, and having on-site flagmen throughout the duration of the project.

Once complete, this project will improve pedestrian safety and comfort along Court Street and other project areas within downtown Watertown. The City of Watertown thanks you for your patience and understanding during the construction process.

Finally, this work is weather dependent. In the event of inclement weather on Tuesday, this work and all its associated closures will shift to Thursday, May 30, 2024.