Campus Construction - Lot and Street Impacts/Closures Map

Current projects

A) Bascom-Lathrop utility project
- Ongoing work to continue until summer 2022
- Some pedestrian walkways are closed. Follow detour signs on site.
- Lathrop Drive thru access closed, no access available from Park Street. Areas of Lot 5 east unavailable for parking.
- **See Inset 2 for more details

B) COVID-19 testing sites
- Three testing center are open for summer 2021. Most locations have a dedicated parking area for those coming to be tested. These areas are marked with special "COVID-19 TESTING" reserved signs. Porter Boathouse is drive-thru testing only. More information on testing at covidresponse.wisc.edu/testing.

C) Sellery Hall steam project
- Under road utility work. South lane of Johnson Street closed between the bus stop outside Sellery Hall up to Lake Street. Park Street’s right turn lane onto Johnson Street closed.
- Sidewalk closures may also occur.

D) Babcock Hall addition
- Until early 2022
- Much of Lot 40 east closed by Babcock Hall. A temporary driveway available west of the Black Pavilion; the “Farm Place” driveway is closed. Two-way traffic allowed on Babcock Drive from Linden Drive to east Lot 40.

E) Mills Street closure
- Two-way traffic to open late summer 2022
- Mills Street closed between University Avenue and Johnson Street for Chemistry addition related work. Detour using Bronn, Charter, or Park Street.
- The west University Ave. crosswalk at Mills closed until project completed. East side of Mills sidewalk maintained, west sidewalk closed.
- **See Inset 1 for more details

F) Chemistry addition project cont.
- Until 2022
- Chemistry addition completed Lot 55 closed until 2022 (end of Chemistry construction). The sidewalk east of the Chemistry Building is closed; pedestrians should use the west side sidewalk.

G) Veterinary Medicine addition
- Until Spring 2023
- Lot 62 and part of Easterly Lane permanently closed, as area is absorbed for the Veterinary Medicine campus. A temporary bridge is being added over Willow Creek, expected opening early to mid-July.
- Area sidewalks and lane closures will occur. Southern sidewalk along Observatory Drive closed; bus stop relocated to the east of Colwood Drive, in front of Lot 67.

H) Natatorium replacement
- Until Spring 2023
- Lot 57 closed for GymNat replacement project. Westbound stop on Observatory Drive remains open.

Future projects

I) Pavement marking repainting
- Summer 2021
- Lot 60 - Area of stalls closed on two weekends (June 19 and 26) while line markings repainted.

Highland Avenue - Various pavement markings to be repainted between 7 a.m. and 3 a.m. on June 30 and July 1.

J) Lakeshore Bike Path - Various sections of the bike path will have lane closures during the morning hours of July 6-9. Two-way travel will be available during the work; workers will direct bike traffic as needed.

K) Eastbound lane of Observatory Drive closed between Education Building and Park Street
- July 6-5, 2021
- Eastbound lane closed between Lot 10 and 9 while the retaining wall near the switchback undergoes maintenance. Detour using Charter Street to Johnson Street. (Lathrop Drive unavailable as alternate route.)

L) Charter Street water valve replacements
- Late summer 2021 - Spring 2022
- Work at two intersections of Charter Street (Charter, University) will involve lane and sidewalk closures, with severity of closures increasing in fall 2021 and spring 2022.

Projects organized chronologically; project details may change due to weather or other factors. City of Madison project information can be found at cityofmadison.com
Vehicle traffic impacts

- Mills Street between Johnson Street and University Avenue closed to two-way traffic until mid 2022. Northbound vehicles can reach Conklin Place.
- A single lane of northbound traffic on Charter Street between Johnson Street and University Avenue is closed until the completion of the Chemistry addition project (spring 2022). Lot 55 closed during Chemistry project.

Transit impacts

- Mills Street between Johnson Street and University Avenue is closed. Routes 4, 13, 27, and 44 detour.

Metro Transit detour information can be found at mymetrobus.com.

Pedestrian impacts

- West side north/southbound crosswalk along Mills Street near the Chemistry building is closed; detour to east crosswalk.

Bicycle impacts

- Mills Street between Johnson Street and University Avenue is closed to two-way traffic until late 2022.

What’s coming

- No updates

See transportation.wisc.edu for updates on traffic impacts due to construction. Dates subject to change.
What’s coming

• Observatory Drive impacts to come late 2021 - mid 2022.

Pedestrian impacts

Note: placement of fences and sidewalk closures for work may vary. Follow the detours as marked by signs on site.

• The pedestrian paths between the Education Building, Science Hall, the Law Building, and the Music Hall are partially unavailable. Detour using available paths, including the path connection between the Education and Law Buildings.

• Pedestrian bridge connecting Bascom Hill and the Humanities Building will remain open throughout work. Crosswalk connecting Bascom Hill and State Street Mall also available.

Bicycle impacts

• Thru-traffic not allowed on Lathrop Drive.

Vehicle traffic impacts

• Thru-traffic not allowed on Lathrop Drive. Access only available from Charter Street.

• Several areas of Lot 5 (east) closed for work.

Visit the Bascom-Lathrop project page
facilities.fpm.wisc.edu/bascom-lathrop-utility-project/ for updates

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