

# Tyler Street Paving Project Info Sheet



**Why?** The Tyler Street pavement is quickly falling apart. Given this is the home of the Farmer's Market, adjacent to Lawrence and the Uptown businesses, resurfacing of this street is a priority.

**Where?** This project will repave Tyler Street between Lawrence and Jefferson Streets. Work will also include wheel-chair ramps. See map on backside of this sheet.

**What?** The City received a grant for \$380,000 to repave the street. Repaving the street also requires upgrades to wheelchair ramps. These upgrades will improve accessibility to the businesses and Farmers Market, meeting a key goal of the City and the Farmers Market.

**When?** The City is just beginning design. The majority of the work will occur sometime between July and September 2024 when temperatures are the warmest, which is required for a pavement overlay. The street will remain open most of the time. We anticipate a two-month project with street closures occurring occasionally for 2-3 days at a time. Sidewalk closures will occur around the intersections and where sidewalk repairs are needed.

Some work will be done by City crews ahead of the main construction project to help make the project go faster.

**Key Considerations:** This is a small project compared to Water Street. The City Council has asked that we evaluate changing the parking striping to parallel stalls or back in angle parking. The City will be interested to hear feedback from the public and business owners. The City has also been working with DASH and Jefferson Transit to develop a plan for a bus stop near Aldrich's Market. The City is coordinating with the Farmer's Market and PT Main Street to minimize business disruptions.



*Example of Wheel-chair Ramp and Bulb-out for Pedestrian Safety at the Post Office (2019). This type of upgrade is expected for pedestrians crossing Lawrence Street.*

# Tyler Street Paving Project Map

