

## SOMERS AVENUE RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT

### Whitefish, Montana

#### Project Description

The City of Whitefish is planning to reconstruct 6 blocks of Somers Avenue, from East 2<sup>nd</sup> Street to East 8<sup>th</sup> Street in the year 2018. The City has selected the engineering firm of Robert Peccia & Associates (RPA) of Kalispell to assist them with project management, public involvement, engineering design and construction administration and observation. The project will generally include roadway reconstruction and water main removal and replacement.

#### Public Involvement

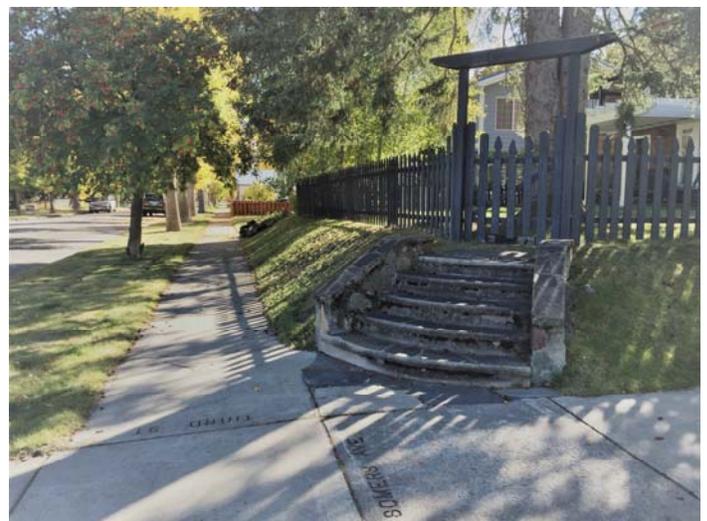
Throughout the development of the project, there will be several opportunities for public involvement. There will be informational newsletters, questionnaires, and public meetings. The purpose of the public involvement is to make sure the design allows input from the residents and keeps you all informed as the project moves forward.

#### Questionnaire

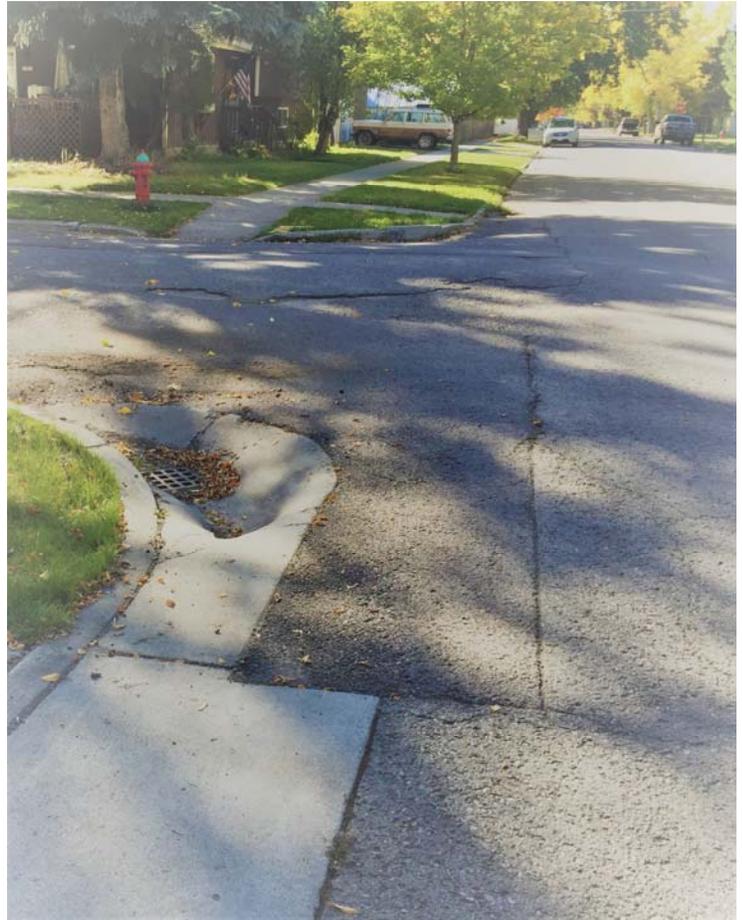
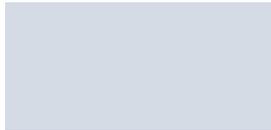
Enclosed with this newsletter is a questionnaire. Please tell us if there is anything about your property that could assist with the design and construction of the project. If you have underground irrigation, please take time to complete a sketch of your irrigation system on the back of the questionnaire. Please contact **Brandon Theis** with RPA at **406-752-5025** if you have any questions about completing the questionnaire.

#### Communication is Key

It is critical with these projects to establish a clear and open line of communication. The first step is to ensure that all property owners and residents are receiving the appropriate information. **Please complete and return the enclosed questionnaire to us.** You may also e-mail **Brandon Theis** with RPA at **brandon@rpa-kal.com**. Please let us know the best way to correspond with you and ensure that we have your correct mailing address, e-mail addresses and phone numbers.



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## Project Schedule

Below is our preliminary work plan for the Spring and Summer months of 2017:

April 2017 - Newsletter No.1 & Questionnaire: Initiate contact with residents and verify contact information.

May 2017 – Newsletter No. 2: Provide summary of preliminary design concepts.

June 2017 – Public Meeting No. 1: Hold public meeting to review preliminary design concepts.

*Project design will be completed in late 2017 or early 2018. The project will be let for construction bids in early 2018. Project construction is scheduled for the summer months of 2018. The exact construction start date and duration has not yet been established.*

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