

MAIN STREET HIGH SIDE PROJECT UPDATES



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Welcome to the Main Street High Side Project Newsletter!

The goal of this newsletter is to keep our community informed about the progress of the Main Street High Side Project. This newsletter will include regular construction updates, answers to frequently asked questions and provide important contacts for those desiring more information.

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What is the High Side Project?

The Main Street High Side Project is a City of Winchester project to make improvements on the High Side of Main Street (the side with steps) between Broadway Street and Lexington Avenue.

The project will provide many benefits to the community, including access for all users, improved safety, mobility, business enhancement, historic enhancement, support of downtown activities, beautification and a destination area.

NEW PROJECT NOTES

City of Winchester accepting bids for High Side Project

As of Saturday, Feb. 22, the City of Winchester in conjunction with the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC) is accepting competitive sealed bids for the Main Street Sidewalk Construction project, more commonly known as the Main Street High Side Project locally.

Bids will be accepted until 2 p.m. on Monday, March 17. Sealed bids will then be opened at 2:15 p.m. on Monday, March 17. Bid openings will take place in a public forum.

Additionally, a pre-bid meeting for the project will take place at 2 p.m. Monday, March 3, at Winchester City Hall.

Instructions for submitting bids include:

- All bids must be in a sealed envelope
- All bids should be mailed to or delivered to: City of Winchester, City Manager, 32 Wall St., Winchester, KY, 40392
- All bid envelopes should be clearly marked: "Main Street Sidewalk Project" in the bottom left corner of the envelope

Project plans and specifications can be picked up or requested for mailing from Palmer Engineering, 400 Shoppers Drive, Winchester.

The City of Winchester can reject any or all bids and accept the lowest responsive and responsible bid.

The Federal Highway Administration has approved \$4.44 million in funding for the project. According to the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA), which was signed by the City of Winchester Feb. 4 and KYTC Feb. 14, funding for the project will be distributed in phases.

Need more information?

Do you desire more information or have concerns about the project? Contact City Manager Bruce Manley at bmanley@winchesterky.com.

Are you a downtown business or property owner who desires an in-person meeting to discuss the project? Contact Whitney Leggett, director of strategic communications and downtown development, at wleggett@winchesterky.com.



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