

Underground Utilities Work

COMMUNICATIONS BRIEF

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TUNNEL CONSTRUCTION LAUNCHES IN MARCH

Over the past several months, Notre Dame has announced the addition of several buildings to support the University's aspiration to become a pre-eminent research university with a distinctive Catholic mission and an unsurpassed undergraduate education.

To prepare for future construction of these new buildings, work will begin on the campus infrastructure in March to prep the underground utilities systems for future expansion.

WHAT'S THE PURPOSE OF THIS WORK?

Several major building construction projects have been announced during the 2013-14 academic year including Phase 1 of a new research complex, Nanovic Hall, Jenkins Hall, Walsh Architecture Building (the new facility for the School of Architecture) and two new undergraduate residence halls. Work will begin in March to extend utilities to these future building sites.

WHAT'S THE IMPACT OF THIS CONSTRUCTION?

From March through December, construction work will intermittently impact various areas on campus, including:

- The north and eastern portions of campus from the power plant and ending near Pasquerilla Center (ROTC building).
- The southeastern portion of campus between DeBartolo Performing Arts Center and Compton Family Ice Arena.

Road closures and re-routing will take place throughout this project. Some parking lots will also be affected by this work.

TIMELINE FOR TUNNEL WORK

Tunnel work begins in March and will continue for several months at various locations on campus.

The first closures are scheduled for*:

- **April 1 through May 15:** Holy Cross Drive between Notre Dame Avenue and Eddy Street
- **April 1 through August 1:** Holy Cross Drive between Eddy Street and the Special Events parking lot
- **May 12 through August 8:** Holy Cross Drive west of Wilson Drive
- **May 12 through mid-August:** Stepan Drive between Stepan Center and the old Juniper Road

**Schedule subject to change*

GET THE LATEST NEWS ON THIS PROJECT

Staff from Facilities Design & Operations will provide updates on the latest work zones via several internal communications channels, including:

- The Week@ND weekly email
- An article each month in NDWorks detailing the upcoming work
- Updates on the InsideND log-in page
- Outreach to buildings or departments that will be primarily impacted
- Road signs will also be posted near the construction zones
- Updates on architect.nd.edu and utilities.nd.edu.

▶ To stay up-to-date on construction timeline and locations, visit the Facilities Design & Operations [website](#).