

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



Infrastructure Project Management Administration

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DC DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION BEGINS ROAD
CONSTRUCTION ON PARK ROAD NW

DC Department of Transportation (DDOT) will begin road construction on Park Road NW on Monday, December 8, 2008. This road construction is part of the first phase of a major facelift for the Columbia Heights corridor. The work area starts on Park Road, NW, from Mt. Pleasant Street to 14th Street, and a civic plaza with a fountain at the intersection of Park Road, 14th Street and Kenyon Street, NW.

All work is anticipated to be completed on May 2010, except for the civic plaza which is anticipated to be completed by August 2009 weather permitting.

To ensure public safety there will be some limited parking restrictions and lane closures. These restrictions will begin Monday, December 8th, 2008 at 7:00am- 7:00pm (Monday through Saturday) in the Phase One target work area of Park Road, NW, from 17th St, NW to Hiatt Place, NW. One lane of traffic will be open at all times during construction

Variable Messages Boards will be in place to guide all motorist and pedestrians safely through the work zone. DDOT encourages all travelers to Stay Alert as they travel through the work zone.

For more information, the public is encouraged to contact DDOT project engineers Samuel Ayodele and Vincent Kumordzie at 202-234-7551. The project field office is open Monday through Friday from 7:00am-3:30 pm at 3247 Mt Pleasant Street NW. In addition, the project civic engagement team holds public drop-in hours at the field office on Mondays and Wednesdays from 1:00-5:00 p.m. For more information, please visit the project Web site at www.ColumbiaHeights-Streetscape.com.

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