



Dear Stakeholder:

The second phase for construction of the Virginia Avenue Greenway is scheduled to start the first week of December. When completed, the greenway will start at the southern end of the neighborhood at 55th St., and run north through the entire neighborhood to the middle of the village center at the Incline. The purpose of the project is to give residents a safe place to walk and bike to the retail area in the village center, and also to connect to the next phase of the Tennessee Riverwalk which will extend from Downtown to the Incline.

The work in the village center includes construction of a 10' wide concrete shared-use pathway and reconstruction of the intersection of St. Elmo Avenue and Ochs Highway to enable a safer crossing of the roadway. Construction is anticipated to start in the week of December 1st and should finish in the month of February. Intermittently starting in January 2016, during demolition and construction of the new curb at the intersection with Ochs, the southbound right turn lane will have to be closed, which will cause some delays for traffic going up Ochs Highway and through St. Elmo Avenue. We will keep closures limited to only the time necessary for the safe construction of the new curb. Once this phase is completed, the turn lane will be reopened.

If you have any questions regarding the project, please call us at 423-643-5950 or email at 311@chattanooga.gov.

Sincerely,

Bertran Kuyrkendall
City Transportation Engineer

