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Public Works News Release

Home Street Construction Update 3

A significant portion of the new curb, gutter, sidewalk, and other concrete features are complete along Home Street and work is underway on the drainage items at Bishop Creek. The City of Bishop Home Street Improvements project will provide curb, gutter, and sidewalk the full length of Home Street, will repave the roadway and make other improvements including water quality improvements. Sierra Nevada Construction, out of Sparks, Nevada, is the construction contractor on the \$1.6 million project.

The contractor's demolition and concrete crews are working on the east side of Home Street. Once work is complete on the east side, they will move over to the west side and work south starting at Sierra Street.

The City of Bishop Public Works crew has been replacing water valves, installing short waterlines, and replacing manholes on Home Street. The crew is trying to get as much of this type of needed work done before the new street pavement is placed. Paving is expected in a few weeks.

Work on Home Street significantly impacts traffic, pedestrians, and access to properties along the street. Throughout the project the new construction is often slightly higher or lower than the old road and these elevation changes can make the access issues greater during construction. Sierra Nevada Construction and the City will strive to keep the all construction impacts to a minimum, but patience and avoiding trips on Home Street during construction is strongly suggested. Construction will be complete about the middle of September.

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