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- Sportsman Road Trail start date is Monday, August 27.
- Dolphin Drive culvert replacement originally scheduled for summer was pushed back to September.
- US 40 / Hemlock Street intersection is scheduled for next spring / early summer.
- The Troxler Avenue Safe Routes to School project is slated for a bid letting in the summer of 2013

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SUMMER PROJECT UPDATE

As summer is winding down, here's an update on our projects:

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- The Water & Sewer Division installed a new water line that will serve the new St. Joseph's Hospital site. Operating permits have been issued by the IEPA
- The Street & Alley Division completed the installation of a French drain system that lies in the area between Northwest Manor Drive and the KC Hall parking lot.
- The Sanitary Sewer Cured-in-Place Pipe project, awarded to Walden Associated Technologies in April is complete. This project cleaned, televised, and relined 5,870 linear feet of old sewer lines in an area from 8th Street to 13th Street and from Walnut Street to Chestnut Street. The city received funds from the Madison County Development Block Grant to pay for this project.
- The Broadway widening project has widened the lanes and shoulders to meet up with the wider lanes already in place from Helvetia to the east., laying the frame work for a third lane (turn lane) to be added at a later date. The deep ditches along Broadway have been addressed with this project. The contractor wrapped up the finishing touches on this project this week. If you've been in the area you may have noticed the bright green "grass" that appeared on the shoulders Thursday afternoon. The contractor used a seeding process called hydro-seeding and mulching which shoots a combination of grass seed and mulch. This process eliminates the mess associated with seeding and then placing straw over the area until the grass sprouts.



Contractor applying a hydro-seeding mulch to plant grass and stabilize the new shoulders on the Broadway widening project.



