



INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT UPDATE

October 21, 2025

UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Project	Description	Funding	Status
North 7th Street Bicycle/Pedestrian Path (Arkansas Rd. to Otis St.)	Construction of 10' wide concrete path along the east side of North 7th Street.	FHWA Rec Trails Prog/City	Construction complete. Walkthrough items being addressed.
New Drago Sanitary Sewer Lift Station	New sanitary sewer lift station to replace Drago LS. Funding from LA Water Sector Program.	WSP/ City	Construction in progress. Approx. 50% complete.
Crosley Sanitary Sewer Improvements	Sanitary sewer rehabilitation along Crosley, from Trenton to N. 7th.	City	Agreement with JABAR executed. Notice to proceed date to be determined.
Exchange Street Drainage Improvements	Catch basins, drainage pipe installation, pavement widening at the intersection of Downing Pines Road and Exchange Street.	City	Agreement with Amethyst executed. Notice to proceed to be dated 10/27/25.

Project Classifications

Transportation
Drainage
Water System
Sewer System
Quality-of-Life/Economic/Safety

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IN DESIGN

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S. 8th Street Drainage Improvements (LGAP FY22-23)	Conflict box and drainage pipe replacement at the S. 8th/Linderman intersection.	LGAP/City	Design Phase. LGAP contract received.
2023 DOTDTAP: N 6th Street Sidewalks	Construction of sidewalks along N. 6th Street, from WMHS to Clayton Street.	LaDOTD/City	100% Final Plans submitted.
Black Bayou Canal - Thomas Rd. Area (EDA)	Repair concrete canal near Assembly and Walmart.	EDA/FEMA/ City	Will be submitted to EDA for final review 10/24/25.
McMillan Rd. Sidewalks (LaDOTD Safe Routes to Public Places Program)	New sidewalks along the south side of McMillan Road, from Hilton Street to the library.	LaDOTD/City	100% Final Plans submitted.
Crosley Street Rehabilitation	Mill & Overlay with sidewalk replacement, from Trenton St. to N. 7th Street.	Urban Systems (80/20)	Design Phase.
Arkansas Road Improvements	Widen and Rehabilitate Arkansas Road, From N. 7th to Otis St.	Urban Systems (80/20)	Design Phase.
Black Bayou Canal Improvements (HMGP)	Improvements including cleaning, widening, and armoring portions of the Black Bayou Canal south of I-20.	FEMA/City	Still awaiting FEMA EHP approval and USACE Draft 404 permit and mitigation requirements.
Kiroli Sidewalk Project	Install new sidewalks along Kiroli Road from Post Oak Apartments to Arkansas Road. Install pedestrian crossing at Kiroli Elementary.	DOTD TAP (80/20)	Environmental clearance and design Phase.
New Austin Sanitary Sewer Lift Station	New sanitary sewer lift station to replace Austin LS.	EDA/City	Plan Development.
Mid-City Drainage (Fed Approp/FEMA-PDM)	Drainage improvements between Trenton Street and Black Bayou Canal. (\$2.4m Award)	FEMA/City	Scope modification and budget variance approved. Revised 60% Preliminary Plans submitted to FEMA. EA coordination underway.
Cypress/Slack Drainage Improvements (LWI-DSP)	Drainage improvements at Golf Course Creek crossings of Cypress and Slack Streets.	LWI/City	H&H Report, 30% Preliminary Plans, and OPC to be submitted this week.
Trenton Corridor Bike/Ped and Utilities (Fed Approp/LaDOTD)	Bury utilities and construct bike/ped path along Trenton St. from Otis St. to Bridge St. (\$5.0m Award)	FEMA/City	Preliminary design and utility verification.

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