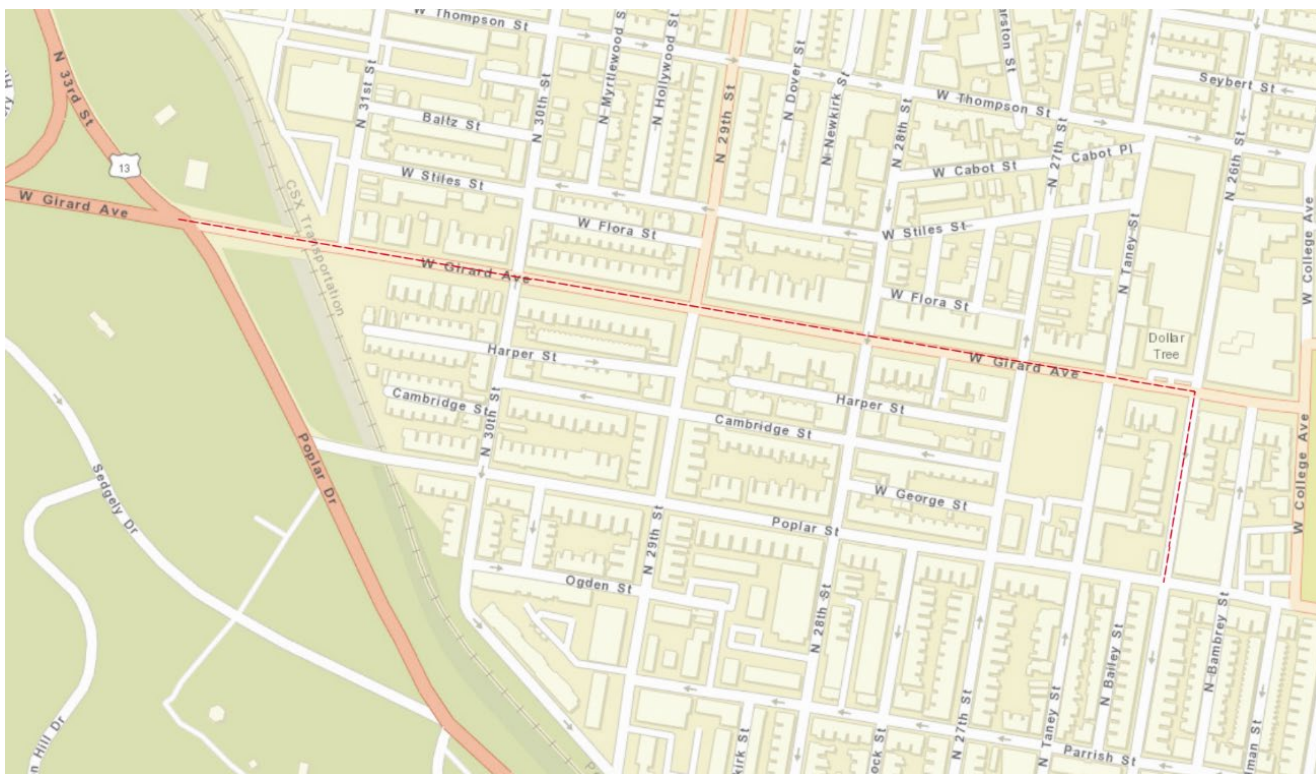


2022 TROLLEY TRACK RENEWAL PROJECT

Girard Avenue (26th to 33rd) and 26th Street (Girard to Poplar)

SCOPE and SCHEDULE

- This project involves the excavation and renewal of the existing trolley tracks on Girard Avenue between 26th Street and 33rd Street as well as 26th Street between Girard Avenue and Poplar Street.
- Construction will take place from September 19, 2022, through December 31, 2022.
- Beginning Monday, September 12, 2022, a barricaded area will be set up within SEPTA Right-of-Way on Girard Avenue west of 33rd Street for pre-construction welding and staging of rails and materials.
- **26th Street Construction:** Work will begin September 19th, with crews excavating and renewing the single track on 26th Street between Girard Avenue and Poplar Street. Note, this work **will not impact** the 26th and Girard intersection. Aside from detour and construction signs in place, Girard Avenue will be clear of SEPTA vehicles and equipment by end of day on Friday, September 30th.
- **Girard Avenue Construction:** Construction on Girard Avenue will begin Monday, October 3rd. At that time, Girard Avenue will be closed between 26th and 28th streets for ramming and excavation activities, etc. Girard Avenue will be closed in one-to-two block sections. As we close the next section, the completed section will be reopened as we progress along Girard Avenue.



Work zone indicated by dashed red line

DETOURS DURING CONSTRUCTION

- At points during construction, Routes 15, 7, 32, 48 and 49 will be impacted. Check for posted detour signs. Check www.septa.org for travel information or call Customer Service at 215-580-7800. **NOTE:** Detours will be implemented when construction begins in the affected area.
- Girard Avenue will be closed in one-to-two block sections. As we close the next section, the completed section will be reopened as we progress along Girard Avenue.
- Vehicular traffic will be restricted in the work areas.
- Emergency vehicles will have uninterrupted access. Trash collection and other city utilities will continue to have access.
- All side streets in the affected construction areas will be closed to thru traffic. Local traffic will be permitted up to the construction site.
- Posted traffic detours will be erected and maintained around the work area in progress.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Normal construction hours are – Monday through Friday, 7:00am to 3:30pm. However, there may be weekdays where crews work past 3 pm – perhaps until 6 or 7 pm. Occasional weekend work may also be needed to maintain the project’s timeline.
- Vehicular parking will not be permitted in the construction zone or adjacent to the tracks being reconstructed.
- Exceptions/Arrangements will be made as required for those with special needs.
- Delivery vehicles will have limited access; drivers may have to park and carry in parcels.
- Pedestrian access will be arranged to businesses open during construction.
- Check www.septa.org for travel information or call Customer Service at 215-580-7800.

BENEFITS

- Reduced vibrations – increased continuity with steel tie construction and increased bonding.
- New and improved track components – smoother ride for trolleys and vehicular traffic.
- New street surface – new concrete/asphalt paving and line painting.

SEPTA greatly appreciates your patience and understanding while this important construction project is completed.

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