



Major Borough Projects

This will be a busy Fall in the Borough as there are four ongoing major projects:

- New Beach Pavilion and Library
- Municipal Complex
- Cell Tower
- Sea Wall Repair and Construction Project

The **Pavilion/Library** construction is well underway with the structural steel in place. We are on schedule for completion in mid May, 2018.

Design of the **Municipal Complex** is in the final stage and we expect to go out to bid at the end of September. With an anticipated contract award in November, construction would begin in December, and completed in May of 2019.

Cell Tower construction is scheduled to begin September 19th, and should be completed by the end of the year.

In addition to these projects, NJ DOT will be **resurfacing Route 36** (Ocean Ave) from the Monmouth Beach border to the Sea Bright / Rumson Bridge. This will involve milling and repaving that section. We anticipate the project will take place in October. NJA Water Co. will be installing a **new water main** from the Sea Bright/Rumson Bridge to Sandy Hook. We anticipate that this project will commence this Fall.

Sea Wall Project

NJ Department of Environmental Protection is starting the repair of the existing sea wall and construction of a new sea wall to fill in the gap in the downtown. This project will provide additional protection for our community from ocean surge.

The project is being done in phases, starting with the municipal beach. The contractor, J Fletcher Creamer, is mobilizing equipment and began work during the week of September 5th. Initially this will involve:

- Removal of items that would be impacted by the project
- Providing access to the beach through the existing wall at the end of East Surf St.
- Site clearing and excavation

This activity will take approximately 2 weeks, stone delivery will commence immediately thereafter. This section of the project should be completed by next Spring.

During this phase East Surf St and Wayne St will be closed to traffic from about 7:00 AM to 2 PM while stone is being delivered. Access to the parking lot behind Borough Hall will be limited.

The boardwalk and playground will be dismantled over the next week or so and stored by the contractor. Both will be rebuilt once the sea wall is in place, which is projected for April, 2018. At the same time, the contractor will begin work in North Beach. Access to Sandy Hook may be restricted during the day, and there will be large equipment on site. Dunes in the impacted area may be removed temporarily, but will be restored as the project is completed.

This project involves the use of very large construction equipment and big stones. For the safety of you and the contractors, please avoid the area under construction.

We recognize that this could cause significant disruption to the Borough, but the long term benefits will be worth it. We are working with the DEP and the contractor to mitigate the impact, but you should expect some inconvenience.

Thank you for your understanding and patience as we continue the path to a more resilient Sea Bright.