



City of El Centro  
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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **City of El Centro – La Brucherie Avenue Widening Project Update**

El Centro, CA. – April 26, 2019– The City of El Centro’s La Brucherie Avenue Widening Improvements Project is in the home stretch. Unfortunately, with the complexity of the last underground phase portion of work, within the Main Street & La Brucherie Avenue intersection, it pushed back other scheduled work activities.

Now out of the major underground work, the majority of all proposed sidewalk, and driveways, has been installed. The new roadway subgrade is also nearly prepared. Base placement will be starting next week, and paving starting May 6. Traffic striping of the new roadway will follow one week after paving.

In parallel, the City’s consultant, contractor, along with electrical subcontractors and IID, have been meeting onsite to ensure the existing overhead power lines will not be affected by the installation of the new street lights and signal poles. New Street light work should start the following week.

Substantial completion of the project is now scheduled for Friday, May 17, 2019.

Please remember to follow and heed to the traffic control signage and detour route. Traffic has been detoured to use Adams, Imperial, and Ross, to go around the construction zone. Local residential traffic can use the smaller collector roads to access their residences, schools, businesses, and churches. Also, PLEASE do not enter the construction zone, unless entry has been coordinated with the Contractor or the City of El Centro, Engineering Division.

This project has been a collective effort and practice of patience of not only our construction team, but also our citizens. Thank you for your continued patience with this major improvement to a much-needed thoroughfare.

If you have any questions regarding this update, please contact the City of El Centro, Engineering Division at 760-337-5182.

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