

Putnam Plaza Upgrades Project

Fulton Street from Grand Avenue to Putnam Avenue, and Putnam Avenue from Fulton Street to Grand Avenue

Project # HWKP2029

The Putnam Plaza Upgrades Project HWKP2029, along Fulton Street between Grand Avenue and Putnam Avenue, and along Putnam Avenue between Grand Avenue and Fulton Street **will continue pass the substantial completion anticipated late June 2019**. We had a permitting issue that delayed the start of this project several months. Even though the contractor has been working extra hours per shift to meet the original completion date, the unusual excessive rainy season extended into May and June, pushed the completion into July 2019.

Putnam Plaza is an existing plaza implemented in temporary materials that also includes an existing Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR) Green street triangle with trees and a landscape area. This project will create a large, permanent public space for the Clinton Hill and Bedford-Stuyvesant neighborhoods by permanently pedestrianizing Putnam Avenue from Grand Avenue to Fulton Street, increasing the amount of open space for the residents, shoppers, and transit users. The design will incorporate the existing Green street and will include additional trees, benches, movable tables and chairs, trash receptacles, green infrastructure elements, pedestrian Wayfinding signage and an NYC Bike Share station.

This \$2.3 Million-dollar capital project investment in the community will also include infrastructure water main upgrades, sidewalks, curbs, and roadway, as well as reconfiguring traffic circulation. The anticipated completion is Summer 2019.

Proposed Work –SUMMER 2019

- Curb/Sidewalk/Roadway work continues
- Plaza concrete work
- Plaza Furniture
- Maintenance of Project Site

Work Completed to Date – To date

- Sidewalk and curbs
- Granite curb for planters
- Shallow drainage
- Electrical work

Special Needs

The DDC staff will work specifically with individuals that have special needs who may be uniquely impacted by the project. Please reach out to the project contact.

If you have concerns regarding the work performed on this project, please contact the field office:

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Putnam Plaza: Pigmented and Aggregate Concrete

Community Impacts are sometimes unavoidable during construction. We minimize impacts whenever possible. Currently, Impacts are minimal, as most of the work activity is within the plaza and adjacent street storage areas. On Fulton Street and Putnam Avenue, the bus stop relocation is still in effect and will be restored at the end of the project.

During construction hours, you can expect the following:

- Increased levels of dust, noise and heavy equipment.
- Vehicular travel lane closures will be required, as well as detours.
- Parking and driveway/loading dock restrictions, signs will be posted within the affected areas.
- Emergency vehicle access and pedestrian access to sidewalk and buildings will always be maintained.

Newsletter Distribution

Construction Newsletters for this project are distributed regularly within the project area and Community Board #2, Brooklyn to keep the community informed.