

# Project Update: Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard Streetscape Improvement Project



City of Atlanta  
Department of Public Works

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**Project: Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard Streetscape Improvement Project**  
**Project ID#: 0004461 CD: 4 NPU: T Contractor: Cotangent Technical Services, LLC**

**Description:** The Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard Streetscape Improvement Project is a pedestrian improvement project along Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard from Lee Street to Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard. Improvements include the installation of sidewalk installations with paver accents, historic sidewalk panels, uniform street name signage, upgraded signal system with LED signal heads, restriping of intersections and existing crosswalks, street furniture and landscaping. This project will also include a gateway feature located at the intersection of Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard and Lee Street, as well as, at the intersection of Ralph David Abernathy and Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard.

The Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard Streetscape Improvement Project is coordinated in conjunction with the Joseph E. Lower Streetscape Improvement Project (PI # 004463).

**Phase:** Construction

**Schedule Status:** On schedule

**Construction Start Date:** September 2013

**Funding Sources:** Federal LCI (Livable Community Initiative) & Local City of Atlanta Funding

**Project Status:** This project is substantially complete.

- The intersection redesign at Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard is pending construction. This will include a new colored stamped asphalt intersection.
- The completion of the clock tower and the energizing of pedestrian lighting and outlets still remain.

The Department of Public Works, in an ongoing effort to ensure that the community remains aware of progress being made with this project, will continue to keep the community informed through regular updates.

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The intersection redesign, at Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard and Lee Street, is pending construction. Improvements will include a colored stamped asphalt intersection. The completion of the clock tower, as well as, the resurfacing and striping of the roadway still remains.