

## **The Bottom Line: No plans for Hensley rehab, waterline project wraps up**

**(Archives)**

### **Mill and overlay planned for Tuxedo Boulevard**

**Q — Are there any plans to resurface Hensley Boulevard?**

A — Hensley Boulevard — also known as State Highway 60 — from Cherokee Avenue west is owned and maintained by the Oklahoma Department of Transportation. City of Bartlesville officials have no knowledge of plans by ODOT to resurface this portion of the highway. The City does, however, have money budgeted to mill and overlay Tuxedo Boulevard (which ties into Hensley Boulevard at Cherokee Avenue) from the Caney River to Madison Boulevard.

### **Cherokee waterline project one-sided**

**Q — I see they are laying waterlines along the west side of Cherokee Avenue. Will this project cross the street and involve the east side of the road?**

A — Nope. The project involves only the west side of Cherokee Avenue, from Adams Boulevard to 14th Street. (For more information about the project, scroll down.)

### **Johnstone Park pavilion project underway**

**Q — What is going on at the corner of Cherokee Avenue by Johnstone Park?**

A — Wastewater Department crews are rerouting sewer lines in the area to make way for the [Johnstone Pavilion](#) project. The project includes installing a pavilion at the entrance of the park. Look for more information about this in the near future.

### **Pathfinder open after river bank stabilization completed**

**Q — Is Pathfinder behind Ready-Mix on Tuxedo Boulevard open yet?**

A — Yes, the path was opened recently after work was completed in the area thanks to KSL Dirt Works, which used concrete spoils from the ConocoPhillips Plaza project to stabilize the river bank.

### **Cherokee Waterline Project underway**

**Q — I've noticed they are marking gas, water lines, etc. on Cherokee (south of Adams). What are they getting ready to do?**

A — On Feb. 22, work began on the Cherokee Waterline project, involving Cherokee Avenue between Adams Boulevard and 14th Street. The project consists of installing a new six-inch waterline along the west side of Cherokee Avenue.

Two-way traffic will be maintained during the project; however, periodic lane closures should be expected. Eighth, Ninth, 11th, 12th, 13th and 14th streets will each be closed at some point during the project to accommodate the waterline installation adjacent to Cherokee. The dates for these closures are not yet known. Each closure should be less than one week in duration, assuming weather conditions and construction progress is adequate.