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HARTFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY TO REPLACE EXTERIOR WINDOWS

Closure of the Whitehead Highway

[HARTFORD, CT]— Both lanes of the Whitehead Highway will be closed from 7:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m., starting on October 5, 2025, for approximately 18 business days to replace exterior windows on Hartford Public Library’s Downtown Library façade.

Department of Transportation approved signage, traffic controls, and CT State Police will be set up to ensure smooth traffic flow along the detour route through Elm Street and Wells Street.

WHO

Hartford Public Library
Downes Construction

WHAT

Closure of the Whitehead Highway, to replace exterior windows on Hartford Public Library’s Downtown Library façade.

WHERE

See attached Traffic Control Plan

WHEN

Starting October 5, 2025, and lasting approximately 18 business days

About Hartford Public Library: Founded as the Library Company in 1774, and over its 250 years, Hartford Public Library has remained at the forefront of redefining the urban library experience in the 21st century. With seven locations throughout the city, the library provides education, intellectual enrichment, and cultural development for thousands of children, youth, and adults every year. Hartford Public Library has also gained local and national recognition for its wide range of new initiatives and partnerships designed to meet the needs of a diverse and dynamic city and region, including immigration services, employment assistance, and youth leadership training. For more information, visit hplct.org