



# CITY OF KENNER

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ACTING MAYOR

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### GROUNDBREAKING ON THURSDAY FOR SECOND 2030 PROJECT

**Kenner, LA.** – A groundbreaking to mark the start of the second of the 2030 corridor improvement project will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. at Williams Boulevard and Vintage Drive, Kenner Acting Mayor Michael Sigur announced Monday.

The groundbreaking will take place on the west side of Williams Boulevard.

The \$957,000 project involves a new, improved U-turn, as well as significant enhancements to the median, including landscaping, drainage and lighting.

The contractor is Hard Rock Construction, LLC and the work is expected to take 340 calendar days to complete. All work will be conducted between 7 a.m. and 6 p.m. with no weekend work possible without prior approval.

“It is truly exciting to see these 2030 projects start to become a reality,” Sigur said. “These are improvements that will benefit existing residents and also make Kenner a safer and more attractive place for those looking for a place to live.”

In all, the 2030 Program includes nine improvement and beautification projects. The goal is both to provide much needed infrastructure improvements, improve safety and beautify major corridors through Kenner. The first 2030 project kicked off in January at Vintage Drive and Erlanger Road.

That \$830,000 project involves completing a pedestrian/bike path along Erlanger Road to the lake and adding a number of enhancements and improvements, including lighting, drainage, landscaping and public art.

All of the 2030 projects are being paid for with the refinancing of a tax millage, as well as a significant amount of federal matching funds.

Since the money for the 2030 Program comes from the refinancing and extension of an existing tax millage, Kenner residents will see no increase in their yearly tax bill.

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