

Ipswich, Massachusetts

Roadway Reconstruction Project Route 1A/133

Project Description

For the Town of Ipswich, Coneco expedited a complete roadway reconstruction design project to improve the roadway surface, pedestrian access and significant drainage issues that have plagued a primary roadway through the Town center.

Located within the downtown area of the Town of Ipswich, Central and South Main Streets (Route 1A/133) are a component of a primary north-south corridor connecting coastal communities along the north shore with Route 128 and Interstate 95. Due to excessive use, and as a result of extensive utility projects that have been completed, an approximately 3,200 foot long section of this roadway is in poor condition and reconstruction of the roadway is desperately needed.

The design includes a new roadway surface, sidewalks with Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) access, and improved pedestrian crossings. In addition, an extensive assessment of the existing drainage system within the project area was completed by Coneco, with the results of the assessment leading to the design of a new drainage system to manage stormwater and reduce flooding conditions that have occurred during major storm events. The drainage system was designed to include the addition of stormwater quality units to improve the quality of collected stormwater that discharges to the Ipswich River.

The design is currently under the final stages of review by MassDOT.

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Current Road Conditions



Storm Drain Investigations

