



## Torrington Police Department Press Release



On May 13, 2024, the City of Torrington will begin its reface of the Riverview Municipal Parking Lot located between Litchfield Street, Daycoeton Place, Prospect Street and includes the Torrington Library and the Center for Youth and Families.

This project will be completed in two phases. **The first phase scheduled to start on May 13th, will have the section shown in the photo below closed off during that time.** Phase 2 with a tentative start date of June 14th, will take up most of the parking lot towards the river leaving the first phase available for parking of library patrons and CYF employees and clients. During this reconstruction Litchfield Street parking in front of the Elks and the adjoining street of Hungerford Street will be available at no cost.

There will be construction signage and during Phase 2 of construction, **Daycoeton Place will be an exit only with entrance into the lot from Prospect Street only. Upon completion of this project Daycoeton place will be a one-way entrance only from Litchfield Street leading you into the new parking lot.**

**Please be patient and drive slow as construction is slated to go through until October and be aware of your surroundings as construction equipment and pedestrians will still be in the area.**

This parking lot will be tight for parking during this summer for a few months but once completed will offer a well-lit, inviting parking lot with kiosk style parking in which you just must enter your plate at the kiosk (no more meters at each space) EV charging stations, and a lovely river walk.

**The picture below shows what will be blocked off first for Phase 1 with no access for Daycoeton Place traffic.**

This will be about a month before it will be switched to the remainder of the lot and the smaller section of the new lot and Daycoeton Place will be re-opened.



**Orange Highlight is Phase 1 lot closure starting May 13th.** The rest of the lot will be closed around June 14th at which time the previously closed section will be reopened with traffic able to come in from Prospect and leave either through Prospect or by Daycoeton at that time.

**A long awaiting change is coming to this lot. Stay tuned!!**