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**City Manager** Mark D. Vanderpool

May 6, 2019

Re: Valusek Drive Reconstruction, City Project No. 19-339

Dear Resident:

On April 15, 2019 City Council awarded a contract for the concrete reconstruction of a large segment Valusek Drive. Construction is tentatively set to begin with pavement cutting on or about May 13th (weather permitting). As part of this project, the contractor will be sawcutting and removing the existing pavement and soil below the existing pavement, installing six-inch diameter edge drain, and installing a new seven inch concrete pavement with a stone base. We anticipate the area disturbed may reach two feet behind the back of curb. The disturbed area will be restored at the end of the project. Any damaged sprinkler systems will also be repaired prior to restoration.

The construction on Valusek Drive will be completed in four phases (see back side of letter for phasing diagram and paving limits). Residents within each phase will be given written notification via hand delivery a minimum of 24 hours prior to the start of concrete removal in each phase. Homeowners adjacent to the replacement locations will not have access to their driveways during the time needed to complete that phase. Please take all precautions to have your automobiles parked outside of the phase limits. Construction for each phase will last approximately two weeks to allow for the pavement removal, replacement, and cure time. Do not drive on freshly poured concrete until the barrels are moved by the City, typically between five and seven days. This period is needed for concrete to gain sufficient strength for vehicles and therefore provide for pavement longevity.

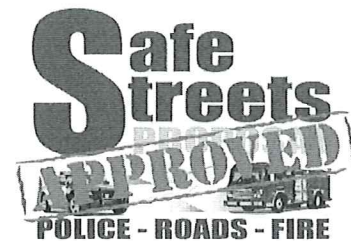
The contractor for this project is DiLisio Contracting, Inc. The contractor may send out additional or more detailed notification about the construction schedule.

Postal service and trash pickup will be undisturbed. Your trash pickup will be on your normal day and will be picked up by the contractor. Place all trash in plastic bags and yard waste in paper bags. Please refrain from using trash cans.

Construction information and progress updates of the project can be located at [www.sterling-heights.net/conezone](http://www.sterling-heights.net/conezone). Thank you in advance for your cooperation. If you have any questions, please contact the Office of Engineering at (586) 446-2720. This road improvement project was made possible as a direct result of the voter-approved Safe Street Millage in November 2013.

Sincerely,

Andrew Konkle  
Civil Engineer II



cc: Brent Bashaw, City Engineer; Bridget Kozlowski, Community Relations Director; Fire Department; Police Department