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May 8, 2020

Re: Pond View Drive Reconstruction, City Project No. 20-365

Dear Resident:

On March 20, 2020 City Council awarded a contract for the concrete reconstruction of Pond View Drive between Construction is tentatively set to begin with pavement cutting through the length of the project on or about May 19th (weather permitting). Traffic on Pond View Drive will be maintained one-way Northbound only with access maintained to side streets with phased construction.

The construction will be completed in four phases (see the attached double sided phasing diagram and paving limits). Homeowners adjacent to the replacement locations will not have access to their driveways during the time needed to complete that phase. Residents within each phase will be given written notification a minimum of 24 hours prior to the start of concrete removal in each phase. Please take all precautions to have your automobiles parked outside of the phase limits after this notice is delivered. Note parking is not allowed across the street from the current phase to allow for thru traffic.

As part of this project, the contractor will be saw cutting and removing the existing pavement and soil below the existing pavement, installing six-inch diameter edge drain, and installing a new seven-inch thick 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. Private residential driveway approaches are not included in the scope of repair.

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 after seven days. This period is needed for the 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 GFL or the contractor. Place all trash in plastic bags and yard waste in paper bags. Please refrain from using trash cans. Due to the road construction, the postal service will not have continual access to your mailbox. A temporary mailbox station will be set up outside the construction zone to allow for continual postal service. The anticipated location of the temporary mailbox stations are shown on the attached maps.

Construction information and progress updates of the project can be located at 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) 446-2726 or akonkle@sterling-heights.net. This road improvement project was made possible as a direct result of the voter-approved Safe Street Millage that was renewed in November 2019.

Sincerely,

Civil Engineer II



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