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Green Bay Road Resurfacing Project Update

August 9, 2013 - During the week of August 5th IDOT's contractor, J.A. Johnson Paving Company, continued with the full width resurfacing of the portion of Green Bay Road from IL Rt. 176 to the bridge over the former Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railway tracks. According to IDOT the first two layers of new pavement will be installed during the week of August 19th.

The Illinois Department of Transportation's (IDOT) contractor, J.A. Johnson Paving Company (Contractor), commenced with the full width resurfacing of the portion of Green Bay Road from IL Rt. 176 to the bridge over the former Elgin, Joliet and Eastern Railway tracks (Project) on July 31, 2013. This \$439,000 project includes approximately 1,300 feet of miscellaneous curb removal and replacement work, repairs to existing storm sewer structures, two new layers of bituminous pavement and new pavement markings. According to IDOT Officials, the duration of the Project will be six weeks.

Updates on the status of the Project will be provided as they become available from IDOT. Additional information regarding the Project is available by contacting IDOT Resident Engineer Mike Schechtman, at 847-877-9446.

Union Pacific Continues with Train Station Stairway Reconstruction Project

Union Pacific's project to remove and reconstruct the eastern and western stairways leading from the sidewalk along IL Rt. 176 to the Metra train station platforms continues. Access to the railroad platform via the stairways will be limited throughout the Project duration. Union Pacific reports they will be maintaining pedestrian traffic along the Illinois Route 176 sidewalk everyday throughout construction; however, there will be brief periods of time when users of the Route 176 sidewalk may be delayed for several minutes. Therefore, users of the sidewalk on the north side of Route 176 in the vicinity of the Railroad Underpass should allow for several minutes of extra travel time until the project is completed. Signs will be posted and flag personnel will be present to direct pedestrians safely through the Project site.

Updates on the status of the Project will be provided as they become available from Union Pacific. Additional information regarding the Project is available by contacting Union Pacific Project Manager, Jonathan Smith, at 312-496-4909.

Event Calendar -

Committee-of-the-Whole Meeting Cancelled

Monday, August 12, 2013

Village Board Meeting

Monday, August 12, 2013

Historic Preservation Commission Meeting Cancelled

Wednesday, August 14, 2013

Farmers' Market

Friday, August 16, 2013

Labor Day Holiday Reminders

In observance of Labor Day refuse and yard waste collections on Monday, September 2nd will be picked up one day later on Tuesday, September 3rd. Tuesday's collections will be picked up on Wednesday, September 4th. For those households receiving a la carte collection services the second collection day (Thursday or Friday) will remain unchanged. Non-emergency Village offices will be closed on Monday, September 2nd and will commence with regular hours of operation (8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.) on Tuesday, September 3rd. For questions over the holiday weekend residents may contact the Police Department's non-emergency number at 847-234-2153.

Upcoming Community Events

Lake Bluff Farmers' Market, start your weekend at the 20th annual Lake Bluff Farmers' Market (7:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.) every Friday through October 11th. Don't miss the annual corn roast on August 2nd! Additional information is available at lakeblufffarmersmarket.com.

Bluffinia summer concerts (coordinated by the Park District) will be held on the Village Green every Sunday, from July 7th through August 18th (6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.). Please visit lakebluffparks.org for additional information, including a listing of bands.

Public Safety Open House - Join the the Lake Bluff Volunteer Fire Department and the Police Department at the annual Public Safety Open House on August 24, 2013 (10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.) at the Public Safety Building (45 E. Center Avenue). Food and refreshments will be provided by the Metropolitan Emergency Support Service, a volunteer run organization that provides support to on-site emergency personnel. For additional information contact Nancy Gusterine, Fire Department Executive Assistant, at 847-234-5158.

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