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Current Resident
Address
Highland Park, IL 60035

RE: Clavey Road Improvements Project Update

Dear Resident:

The City is progressing towards the construction phase of the Clavey Road Improvements Project. The purpose of this letter is to provide you an update on this important project. The project includes complete removal of deteriorated concrete pavement and replacing with a new full-depth asphalt pavement; new concrete curbs; storm sewers and water mains upgrades; new 8-foot wide asphalt multi-use path on south side; new improved landscaping and pedestrian crossing enhancements. The project limits are Route 41 to Green Bay Rd.

The City received grant funds for this project. As previously reported, two-way traffic will be maintained during this long construction project. The project will be completed in two phases, with each phase bid as a separate contract. The construction phases are noted below:

Phase One Construction

The bridge will be replaced along with replacement of the water main. The temporary pavement to maintain two-way traffic for Phase One and Phase Two Construction operations will also be completed. During Phase One Construction two-way traffic is maintained except at the bridge. During bridge reconstruction period, one-lane traffic will be operated with a temporary traffic signal to control and maintain traffic flow on the bridge. Phase One construction is scheduled to start in late spring of 2021 with substantial completion by December.

Phase Two Construction

In this phase, the new permanent asphalt pavement with upsized storm sewers and the 8-foot wide path on the south side of Clavey Road will be completed. During Phase Two Construction two-way traffic is maintained on Clavey Road. Phase Two Construction is scheduled for 2022 with substantial completion by fall of 2022.

Landscaping and restoration will follow after completion of Phase Two and will be done in the planting season, anticipated in 2023.

During the construction phases, with the maintenance of two-way traffic, access to Clavey Rd cross streets or driveways for homes on Clavey Rd will be maintained. Please note the access could be limited at times with traffic detoured. Signs will be posted during construction. All those impacted with access to Clavey Rd will also be notified separately and the detoured route.



The City is also working with homeowners to relocate items placed in the right-of-way. In addition, the City is working with public utilities to relocate their facilities outside of construction zone. The relocation of public utilities could begin prior to start of Phase One Construction.

Information on this project is posted on City's website including project final plans, FAQ, and other pertinent information. https://www.cityhpil.com/projects_detail_T22_R40.php.

Please note traffic related congestion and temporary closures are to be expected due to the scale of the project. Also, inclement weather can adversely affect the construction schedule.

If you need additional information on this project or would like to be notified on project updates, please contact me at 847.432.0807 or via email at engineering@cityhpil.com

Thank you for the patience and understanding.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Emmanuel Gomez". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Emmanuel Gomez, P.E.
City Engineer

Cc: Ghida S. Neukirch, City Manager
Ramesh K. Kanapareddy, P.E., CFM, Director of Public Works