



May 30, 2014

France Avenue Pedestrian Improvement Project

Dear Stakeholder:

Stage 1: Hazelton Road to 69th Street – Phase 1

The concrete curb and gutter has been placed. The contractor is currently placing the concrete sidewalk.

Stage 1: Hazelton Road to 69th Street – Phase 2

This phase will begin after the sidewalk has been placed and will expand the medians on France Avenue at 70th Street. The lane next to the median will be closed and the inner through lane will become the left turn lane. Please pay close attention to traffic control signage while driving through this area.

Stage 2: 69th Street to 66th Street – Phase 1

The contractor has started the removal process at 66th Street to allow the temporary signal to be placed. The free right turn lanes have been removed, but right turns are still allowed. If you are traveling in the dedicated right turn lane on westbound 66th Street, you will need to use the furthest north thru lane to turn right to France Avenue. The dedicated right turn lane is open to the hospital entrance from northbound France Avenue. Advanced warning signage has been placed to assist drivers.

Traffic Control

Traffic control will be in place. The portable message board will be changed to assist directing the traffic through the construction zone.

Project Construction Hotline

Call the France Avenue construction hotline at 952-826-0394 for project updates or to leave a message for the crews. The hotline is checked daily.

Safety

Safety is our No. 1 concern. Please use caution when traveling the area on foot or by car. Children are fascinated with construction operations, so please keep an eye on them. Expect delays and travel safely through the construction zone.

Who to Contact in an Emergency

9-1-1 for life or property-threatening emergencies.

Sincerely,

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