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STREET DEPARTMENT REPORT ZIONSVILLE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING APRIL 6, 2009

1. 106TH ST. REALIGNMENT AND RECONSTRUCTION

Bennett Parkway was closed on March 30th to begin the construction of the future intersection in this area, and will remain closed until the work is complete and the road can be reopened to through traffic, likely towards the end of May. During this closure, work will continue on the new alignment in preparation for paving. Simultaneously, work will begin on the temporary widening on the north side of 106th St. through the Andrade Industrial Park area. During reconstruction of this portion of the project, traffic will be rerouted to this temporary pavement while the south half of the street is constructed. After this time, traffic will be switched to the new pavement, and the temporary pavement removed and the north half of 106th St. will be constructed to its permanent alignment. Traffic through the area and access to businesses will be maintained throughout the project.

At the last meeting of the Economic Redevelopment Commission (RDC) meeting, two topics were brought up by staff regarding the proposed names of the new streets once complete. Through discussions with Public Safety officials, it has been determined that the optimal name configuration is to name the new alignment "106th St." and rename the old alignment "Old 106th St." This will provide clarity and consistency to the 911 system, yet not completely eradicate the identity of the homes and businesses located along the old alignment of 106th St. At this time a name has not yet been assigned to the north-south connector road between the old and new alignments, but will be discussed at the next RDC meeting. Also up for discussion will be the position of the commission on potential funding being made to residents and owners to compensate them for the inconvenience of affecting address changes associated with a new street name.

2. STARKEY PATHWAY

Grading and stone placement along the pathway is nearly complete. The contractor will have the pathway paved as soon as asphalt is available to the paving subcontractor.

3. DOWNTOWN STREETScape PROJECT

The plans are complete for this project, and an advertisement for bids has been submitted to the Zionsville Times Sentinel and Indianapolis Star for publication. A public bid opening is scheduled for 3:00 PM on April 30, 2009 at the Town Hall.

4. SR 334 AND TURKEYFOOT PATHWAY DESIGN

The engineering firm of Beam, Longest and Neff, LLC (BLN) has been selected to perform the design and engineering services for these two pathway projects. The service contract is currently under review, but a notice-to-proceed has been issued to the firm to perform the survey along the proposed routes. This was

done in order for the survey to be completed before trees and foliage produce their leaves, making surveying more difficult.

5. BRUSH AND LIMB COLLECTION

Curb-side brush and limb collection will begin on Monday, April 20th and run through Friday, May 1st this year. The specific schedule is posted on the town's web site as well as in the Times Sentinel. Anyone with questions may contact the Street Department as well.

6. HEAVY TRASH COLLECTION

Heavy trash collection for this season has been scheduled for the week of May 4th. Several changes to this program process and schedule will occur this year. The collection day for residents will occur on the same day as their regularly scheduled trash pick-up, and items should be placed curbside as in the past. Additionally, there will be no charge for refrigerant-bearing appliances. The Town has partnered with an appliance recycling service to collect these items on the specified date at no charge to either the town or residents. A fee for tire removal, however, will remain and pre-paid stickers will be available at the town hall. Due to the new streamlined and simplified process, green marking flags will no longer be required. All new information will be published in the Times Sentinel as well as posted on the town's web site. Anyone with questions is encouraged to check the web site or call the Street Department directly.

7. FORMER SHELL SITE PARKING LOT

The Town engineering firm of HNTB is currently preparing cost estimates for design of a parking lot on this site. Once estimates have been established and funding approved by the Town Council, design will commence.