MAPLE ROAD TO BE RESURFACED, IMPROVED FRANKLIN TO INKSTER

The Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC), in partnership with Bloomfield Township, will resurface and improve the Maple Road corridor between Franklin and Inkster roads.

**Project Details**
- Replacement of the top three inches of asphalt with new asphalt.
- Addition of a center, left-turn lane from Inkster to east of Norham Road.
- Upgrading of the right-turn lanes.
- Extension of the pathway on the north side of Maple Road from Inkster Road to Westmoor Road, including the addition of Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)-compliant crosswalks and upgraded pedestrian-crosswalk signals.
- Replacement of a culvert under Maple Road east of Norham Road.
- Drainage improvements including ditch work, storm sewer installation and installation of curb and gutter in some areas.
- Placement of new traffic signs and pavement markings.

**Impact on Traffic**
This section of Maple will be closed to through traffic during the construction phase. Traffic traveling to homes and businesses within the project area will retain access. During the culvert replacement, the road will be completely closed at the culvert.

Daytime, single-lane closures are expected during tree-removal and utility-relocation phases.

The detour route for through traffic will be Inkster Road to Walnut Lake Road to Franklin Road and back to Maple Road and vice versa.

**Schedule**
- Tree removal will take place along the road from late October through December 2020.
- Utility relocation will take place in the winter and spring and is expected to be completed by June 1, 2021.
- Road construction is expected to begin in April 2021 and finish in the fall. The road will be closed to through traffic during that time.

**Project Cost and Funding**
The project is expected to cost $4.55 million. Eighty percent of the cost will be paid for with federal road funds. The remainder will be shared by RCOC, Bloomfield Township and Oakland County general government (through the Tri-Party Program). The pathway extension will be fully funded by the township.

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