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### Project Update

Construction continues on County Road D from White Bear Avenue to Flandrau Street. Shafer Contracting has been making good progress. This update focuses on temporary closing of Dalen Road (west Mall Entrance), continued closure of Southlawn Avenue (between County Road D and north of Legacy Parkway), concrete paving schedule for County Road D, and White Bear Avenue reconstruction schedule.

The proposed closure of Dalen Road begins June 22<sup>nd</sup>. This closure is necessary for the preparation of the concrete paving that starts this week. While closures are in effect, please utilize alternate routes/detour to the neighboring businesses and the Mall. This closure will be in effect until the completion of concrete paving on the south side of County Road D. To view detour, click on **Detour Map for Southlawn Drive** at [http://www.co.ramsey.mn.us/pw/Project\\_Updates.htm](http://www.co.ramsey.mn.us/pw/Project_Updates.htm)

Concrete paving on the south side of County Road D (from Flandrau Street to Earnest Way) is scheduled to start on June 24<sup>th</sup> and continue into the week of June 28<sup>th</sup>. The contractor will be conducting the mainline paving and follow up with connection into Southlawn Avenue and Dahlen Road. Access to the south side of County Road D will be limited while this work occurs. The East Mall Entrance (Earnest Way) will be open when this work occurs. The concrete paving on County Road D will require the closure of access to Southlawn Avenue and Dalen Road for a two week period. The closed road/accesses will be opened up when work is completed. We have a signed detour utilizing County Road D, White Bear Avenue and Beam Avenue. This scheduled closure starts June 22<sup>nd</sup> and continues through the week of June 28<sup>th</sup>. This schedule is all dependent on weather.

The scheduled start date for White Bear Avenue is the week of June 28<sup>th</sup>. Eureka Construction is the contractor and will be conducting this work. The focus of the 2010 construction season will be south of Woodlyn Avenue to Radatz Avenue. Temporary signal systems will be installed at the intersections of Beam Avenue and Lydia Avenue with White Bear Avenue. Temporary signal systems are to be installed to assist motorists when lanes are reduced to one lane in each direction (County Road D through Beam Avenue) while construction occurs this construction season. Eureka will be installing a new watermain system this construction season south of Woodlyn Avenue on White Bear Avenue. The watermain work is scheduled to start the week of June 28<sup>th</sup>. We will provide more information when we start construction the week of June 28<sup>th</sup>.

We encourage businesses to post this update at their business to keep customers and the general public updated on the project.

Ramsey County will periodically update the general public/subscribers on the White Bear Avenue and County Road D project regarding the construction status through our website notification system. This system will send out, via-email, notifications when the website is updated to all subscribers. Please register your email address at [www.co.ramsey.mn.us](http://www.co.ramsey.mn.us) and click on e-Subscribe (in top left corner), register your e-mail address, choose your areas of interest (White Bear Avenue), and you're connected!

### Contact Information

We appreciate your cooperation with this project and do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions about this project. You can contact Bret Wieman regarding construction related issues at 651-248-0027, Nick Fischer 651-248-2670 or Jerry Auge at 651-266-7117.