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### Project Update

Construction is progressing along on the White Bear Avenue and County Road D project. **The east side of Woodlyn Avenue remains closed and is scheduled to reopen the week of October 17<sup>th</sup> at White Bear Avenue.** This update includes project schedule, concrete paving installation, other concrete related items, and a proposed traffic switch. The notice below provides more information/status on the project.

Eureka Construction/Doyle Connor has been working on the concrete pavement installation on both White Bear Avenue and County Road D. A majority of the mainline paving has been completed. The remaining pavement is scheduled to be done during the week of October 10<sup>th</sup>. Colored cross walk installation began today and is scheduled to finish next week.

The east side of the intersection at Woodlyn Avenue and White Bear Avenue remains closed. The road will be reopened to traffic once all work at the intersection has been completed. The remaining work is scheduled to be completed during the week of October 17<sup>th</sup>. A detour plan utilizing Lydia Avenue, Aerial Street and Woodlyn Avenue is the posted detour. See Detour Plan 1. Denny's, North China, and Bakers Square can be accessed via the backage road. The backage road is east of Denny's. See Detour Plan 2.

Installation of concrete curb and gutter is scheduled to start the week of October 10<sup>th</sup>. This work is anticipated to take approximately 3 day. Once that has been completed the contractor will focus on the remaining concrete aprons for local businesses. Sidewalk will follow shortly behind the concrete curb and gutter on both White Bear Avenue and County Road D. The colored concrete boulevard and median will be worked on following the installation of the concrete sidewalk. The project schedule is to complete the flat work concrete the week of October 24<sup>th</sup>. Once the sidewalk is completed the contractor will sod all of the disturbed areas.

A traffic switch is scheduled to occur on both White Bear Avenue and County Road D the week of October 17<sup>th</sup>. The traffic switch will divide traffic by the median. This will allow the contractor to install the medians in the transition areas on both the north and south side of White Bear Avenue where the median was removed. Details on the traffic switch will be posted once we obtain more information on the actual date.

A majority of the remaining construction work on the White Bear Avenue project will be completed the beginning of November of 2011.

All detailed information above is subject to the weather.

Ramsey County periodically updates the general public/subscribers on the White Bear Avenue and County Road D projects regarding the construction status through our website notification system. This system sends out, via-email, notifications of website updates 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 are connected!

### **Contact Information**

We appreciate your cooperation with this project. Do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions about this project. We have modified our construction staff for this upcoming summer. Please make note of our contacts. Contact Dan Bodelson at 651-248-0173 site inspector, Bret Wieman at 651-248-0027 Project Supervisor/Business Liaison or Jerry Auge at 651-266-7117.