

To: Clerk @VBH  
Bob Kosin  
Dan Strahan

ROADS AND BRIDGES MONTHLY REPORT  
APRIL 2012

2012 ROAD CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

Bids for the 2012 road patching and resurfacing were received by Gewalt Hamilton on Thursday, April 19, 2012 and will be submitted by Dan Strahan at the Board of Trustees Meeting Monday, April 23, 2012. Upon approval by the Board of Trustees the contracts will be finalized and construction start dates set.

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2012 Construction Includes:

Dundee Lane  
Braeburn Road  
Cross Timber  
Steeplechase  
Caesar Drive  
Dana Lane

2012 DRAINAGE PROGRAM

A preconstruction meeting was held for the work on Chapel Road & Haegers Bend Road. Culvert replacement will begin the first week of May.

CUBA ROAD BRIDGE

A meeting with Tom Gooch, Cuba Township Supervisor, is scheduled for Tuesday, May 15. Meanwhile, additional inspections have been done on the bridge.

CHAPEL ROAD

The sign and flashing beacon have been installed and the beacon checked for battery operating time.

A benchmark will be installed on Chapel Road to mark the water level as it now stands. This will give us the ability to monitor the water level relative to the road, as well as to the effectiveness on the dry wall once it is installed. It is being done now while the water level is well below the pavement.

## PRIVATE ROAD HOMEOWNERS MEETING FOLLOWUP

On Thursday, April 19, I attended a Lake County Homeowner's Association meeting in Libertyville to gather additional information from both Kurt Woolford, Chief Engineer, Lake County Stormwater Management Commission and John Bickley III on HOA legal responsibilities and budget considerations.

Follow up information will be distributed to our private road coordinators and available to private road residents.

## CONSTRUCTION ALERTS

### HART ROAD AT ROUTE 14

The Village of Barrington is proposing improvements to Hart Road at Rte. 14. The proposed scope of work for this project is to widen the intersection to improve traffic flow and lower the crash frequency in this area. This includes the addition of new turn lanes, lengthening of existing turn lanes, updating traffic signal equipment, and improved timing. The project also includes updating safety measures at the railroad crossing providing pedestrian and bicyclist accommodations.

A Public Hearing will take place on  
Thursday, April 26, 2012  
4-6 p.m.  
Barrington High School

Purpose of the Hearing:

1. Present the existing conditions
2. Present proposed plan for the intersection
3. Review the project schedule
4. Obtain public input

### RTE 14 and KELSEY ROAD

IDOT has begun preliminary construction on improvements to the Rte. 14/Kelsey Road intersection with construction scheduled to begin around May 20, 2012 and last through September 20, 2012.

The physical improvements are limited primarily to milling and resurfacing the existing pavement, some drainage improvements on the north side, and upgrades to the traffic signal.

## PENNY ROAD

Cook County Highway Department had a preconstruction meeting earlier this month with actual construction to follow in May.

## VILLAGE OF BARRINGTON ITEP SIDEWALK PROPOSAL

The Village of Barrington is proposing as part of federal funding to encourage walking to school, to install sidewalks along the north side of Lake Cook Road from the High School entrance to Hart Road, then north on the east side of Hart Road all the way to the parking area (currently gravel) at the northeast corner by the railroad tracks. A traffic signal at the south entrance to the Hart Road Office Complex, opposite the parking area is also proposed to facilitate safer pedestrian crossings. A shared use of the Hart Road Office complex parking lot would then accommodate overflow parking for the high school.

In conjunction with this project, the Village of Barrington has approached the Village of Barrington Hills regarding our earlier application for a pedestrian crosswalk from the southeast corner of Old Hart Road at Lake Cook Road to the northeast corner at Oakdene and Lake Cook Road.

By combining this with the Village of Barrington's federal funded project we can qualify for 80% of federal funding and have this for future resident's use.

## Dundee Lane

The mobile speed sign has been deployed on Dundee Lane as well as a new traffic count.

Patty Meroni,  
Chair,  
Roads and Bridges