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TO: Essential/Emergency Services and News Media
FROM: Grand Traverse County Road Commission
DATE: September 17, 2021
SUBJECT: **ROAD WORK FOR THE WEEK STARTING MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2021**
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Traverse City. **All work is weather permitting.** This is the road work schedule for the week starting Monday, September 20, 2021.

ROAD CLOSURES

River Road, Keystone to Garfield (Blair and East Bay Townships)

- *River Road EAST Bridge construction continues. This project is expected to be completed by the end of September.
- *No thru traffic is allowed, access will be made available to residents and businesses. Address 2021 River Road and up will need to use Garfield and address 2011 River Road and down will need to use Keystone.
- *Motorists are advised to follow posted detour signs.

Meadow Lane (Garfield Township)

- *Crews will be working on a crush and shape. This is funded by the Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians.
- *This project is expected to last 4 weeks.
- *No thru traffic is allowed, access will be made available to residents and businesses.

LANE CLOSURES

North Long Lake Road, Cedar Run Road to the City Limits (Garfield Township)

- *Elmer's Crane and Dozer will be working on a resurfacing project, starting Monday Evening, September 20, 2021. Work will then be completed during the day, for the remainder of the project.
- *Traffic will be maintained by Flag Control.
- *This project is expected to be completed by the end of the week.
- *Expect delays or seek an alternate route.

State Highways – Various Locations, Grand Traverse County

- *Crews will be working on the shoulders of the State Highways in the County, starting Monday, September 20th at 7:30AM. *This project is expected to last a couple of weeks.
- *This is a moving operation and traffic will be directed by flaggers.
- *Please obey traffic flaggers and signs. Use caution when going through this area.



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Chip Seal Projects

*Crews will be working in the Southern portion of the county.

- Diamond Park Rd., Betsie River to Euclid
- CR 633, Harrand to Miller
- Center Rd, M-37 to Blackman
- Fenton Rd, Blackman to Kingsley Village Limits
- Summit City Rd, County Line to M-113
- Walton Rd, 100' W of RR to M-113

*Roadways will be reduced to one lane, directed by flag control.

*Expect delays or seek an alternate route.

SIGNAL WORK

*Crews will continue updating our traffic signal system in various locations.

*Please expect temporary shoulder closures, not lasting more than an hour in one location. This is a moving operation.

*This project should take roughly a month.

*Expect delays. Obey traffic cones, signs, and occasional flaggers.

*Please use caution in these areas.

ROAD COMMISSION CREW ACTIVITIES

*Pothole Patching - Various Locations.

*Shoulder Work – Various Locations.

*Ditching – Various Locations.

*Mowing – Various Locations.

*Catch Basin Cleaning – Various Locations.

*Storm damage repairs – Various Locations.

When you see road workers, Drive like YOU work there!