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TO: Essential/Emergency Services and News Media
FROM: Grand Traverse County Road Commission
DATE: September 30, 2022
SUBJECT: **ROAD WORK FOR THE WEEK STARTING OCTOBER 3, 2022**
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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, October 3, 2022.

ROAD CLOSURE

Timber Bridge on Broomhead Road, between Guernsey Lake Road and North Branch Road (Whitewater Township)

- *Crews will continue working on the replacement of the bridge.
- *Broomhead Road is closed to ALL traffic at the N. Branch of the Boardman River. Please seek an alternate route.
- *Work is expected to last until the end of October.
- *Please obey traffic signs and cones.

Wilson Road, Davis Road to Schell Road (Grant Township)

- *This is a crush and shape project and is expected to last four (4) weeks.
- *Culvert work is expected to take place the week of October 3, 2022. Sections of the road will be closed to ALL traffic.
- *No thru traffic is allowed; access will be made available to residents and businesses.
- *Motorists are advised to follow posted detour signs.

Barlow Road, between Gordon Foods and Floresta Drive (Garfield Township)

- *Crews will be doing a pressure test on the new gas main. There will be a burn-off done to reduce the smell and flames will be visible.
- *Work will take place Wednesday, October 5th starting at 6:00 PM and last until Thursday, October 6th at 6:00 AM.
- *Please follow posted detour signs.

LANE CLOSURE

LaFranier Road, North of Hammond at LaFranier Woods (Garfield Township)

- * Work is expected to be completed towards the beginning of the week.
- *While crews are in the Right-of-Way, traffic will be directed by flaggers
- *Please allow extra time or seek an alternate route.

Beitner Road/Keystone Road Roundabouts (Blair and Garfield Townships)

- *Crews will be installing the light poles and working on landscaping.
- *Work will resume on Monday, October 3rd at 6:30AM. Work should be completed by the end of the week.
- *Please expect intermittent lane closures. Traffic will be directed by flaggers.
- *Expect delays or seek an alternate route.

Vance Road, near Hoosier Valley (Blair Township)

- *Crews will be working on stump removal starting Wednesday, October 5th at 7:30AM and should be completed by the end of the week.
- *Crews will be in the Right-of-Way, and there could be intermittent lane closures.
- *Please allow extra time or seek an alternate route.



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Pavement Markings

- *Various Signalized Intersections.
- *Contractor will continue applying wet paint on various symbol markings. Work is expected to last a few weeks. The work will mainly happen in the evenings.
- *These are "moving operations" meaning operations are short-lived in any one particular location. Please expect delays.
- *REDUCE SPEED IN FRESHLY PAINTED AREAS TO AVOID SPLATTER ON VEHICLES.**

Long Line Painting – Various Locations

- *Contractor will be applying wet paint on various lines starting Tuesday, September 6th and will continue for the next few weeks.
- *These are "moving operations," meaning operations are short-lived in any one particular location. Please expect delays.
- *Motorists should reduce speed and obey traffic control devices.
- *REDUCE SPEED IN FRESHLY PAINTED AREAS TO AVOID SPLATTERS ON VEHICLES.**

SHOULDER WORK

Supply Road, Williamsburg Road to County Line (Whitewater and Union Townships)

- *Crews will continue working on shoulders. Work is expected to be completed towards the beginning of the week.
- *These will be moving operations that will cause traffic delays.
- *Please allow extra time or seek an alternate route.

LANE SHIFT

Barlow Road, South Airport to the City Limits (Garfield Township)

- *Crews will continue working on the gas main project.
- *There will be intermittent lane shifts throughout the week.
- *Please use caution in this area.

Ditching – Various Locations

- *Crews will continue ditching in Fife Lake Township.
- *These are moving operations. Where workers are present, there will be lane closures/lane shifts. Traffic will be controlled by flaggers or signs/cones.
- *Please use caution in these areas. Expect delays or seek an alternate route.

ROAD COMMISSION CREW ACTIVITIES

- *Pothole Patching – Various Locations.
- *Shoulder Maintenance – Various Locations.
- *Mowing – Various Main Highways, Primary and Local Roads.
- *Road Sweeping – Highways and Primary Roads.

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