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**FROM:** Grand Traverse County Road Commission

**DATE:** May 4, 2023

**SUBJECT: ROAD WORK FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 8, 2023**

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### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

Traverse City. **All work is weather permitting.** This is the road work schedule for the week of May 8, 2023.

#### **LANE CLOSURES**

##### **Voice Road, Garfield Road to Pierce Road (Paradise Township)**

\*Work will continue and take place during daylight hours.

\*Work is expected to be completed by June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

\*This is an overlay project.

\*Traffic will be maintained by flaggers.

\*Please expect delays or seek an alternate route.

##### **Timber Hill Road (East Bay Township)**

\*Work is expected to be completed by the end of the month.

\*This is a crush and shape project.

\*Traffic will be maintained by flaggers.

\*Please expect delays.

##### **Hammond Road, before and after the Garfield Road Intersection (Garfield Township)**

\*The northern-most westbound lane will be closed.

\*Closure is expected to last two more weeks. Work will be taking place during daylight hours.

\*Please slow down and use caution in this area.

##### **Long Line Painting – South Airport Road, between Sam's Club and Cass Road (Garfield Township)**

\*Contractors will be applying wet paint starting Monday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Work will take place during daylight hours.

\*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.**

##### **Cedar Run Road, Gray Road to just West of Harris (Garfield Township)**

\*Elmer's will be putting in a water main.

\*Work is expected to take place between 7:00AM and 6:00PM.

\*Work is projected to last until the beginning of June.

\*The eastbound lane will be closed where work is taking place.

\*Please slow down and use caution in this area.



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### **High Ridge Removal at Guardrails (Countywide)**

- \*Crews will be removing high ridge.
- \*This involves heavy equipment to remove build-up of various materials. This will improve drainage.
- \*There will be lane closures where workers are present. Traffic will be maintained by flaggers.
- \*Please expect delays.

Locations:

- M113
- M37
- N. Long Lake Road
- S. Long Lake Road
- S. Airport Road

### **INTERSECTION WORK**

#### **US31 and M-37, Chums Corners (MDOT Project), Blair Township**

- \*MDOT will continue working on the traffic signals.
- \*Work is expected to last through mid-June.
- \*Partial closures and potential traffic pattern shifts are to be expected.
- \*Crews will be working within the ROW, when not in the roadway.
- \*Any questions regarding this project should be directed to MDOT Traverse City TSC 231-941-1986.
- \*Please slow down and use caution in this area.

### **ROAD COMMISSION CREW ACTIVITIES**

- \*Winter Maintenance Clean Up - Various Locations.
- \*Pothole Patching – Various Locations.
- \*Tree Trimming – Various Locations.
- \*Blading gravel roads – if weather permits.
- \*Ditching – East Bay Township.

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