



## ***Road Construction Ahead!***

### **2017 Public Works Improvements Project**

As part of this year's street improvements project, the Village of Waunakee will be reconstructing the following streets in your neighborhood this summer:

#### **Century Avenue from Second Street to Woodland Drive**

The project has been bid and the Village Board has awarded the project to RG Huston, from Cottage Grove, Wisconsin. They will be working with various local subcontractors throughout the project. This newsletter contains some important information concerning the upcoming project and we encourage everyone to review it. Please keep it on hand to help answer questions you may have during the construction process that may soon be disrupting your normal activities.

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#### **SCHEDULED IMPROVEMENTS**

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The street reconstruction will consist primarily of the following improvements throughout the project:

- Remove and resurface the existing asphalt surface
- Remove and replace the existing roadway base (gravel)
- Install new curb & gutter, and sidewalks throughout
- Remove and replace the existing driveway aprons
- Replace some existing water main sections
- Replace some existing sanitary sewer sections
- Restore the disturbed area with grass seed, fertilizer, and mulch
- Install new street lighting throughout the project limits

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#### **CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE**

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Construction activities are scheduled to begin the week of April 24th, and the project is anticipated to be completed by the middle of October, weather permitting. The project will be completed in several phases, and each phase will be completed independently. The work is scheduled to begin in phase 5, from Woodland Drive to Eighth Street. The proposed construction schedule, the construction plans, and weekly project updates will be available on the Village of Waunakee website (<http://www.waunakee.com>) in the Engineering Department section or you can contact Jim Madden, Village Construction Manager using the contact information listed below.

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#### **Important Information**

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In order to accommodate the construction activities, Century Avenue will be closed to thru traffic in stages throughout the construction process. During each phase, that section of the street will be closed to thru traffic for the duration of that phase of the project. Alley access onto Century Avenue will also be closed for each phase. Businesses are encouraged to stay informed on the construction progress and updates to inform customers of alternate routes of entry to your business, when appropriate. For residents with driveway



access directly on to Century Avenue, the Contractor will provide an access route somewhere within the traffic control, and the access route may change occasionally. They will make every effort to make the roadway passable to homeowners at the end of each day. However, there may be times when access to your property may not be possible. **Please be aware that travel within the construction zone will be at your own risk.**

**C**urb and gutter, sidewalks, and driveway aprons will be replaced throughout the project. Residential driveways will be made accessible for most of the project. **However, they may NOT be accessible when the new concrete (curb, aprons, etc.) is poured and until it has had adequate time to cure.** You are encouraged to temporarily relocate any special vehicles such as boats, trailers, RVs, etc., before the construction project begins.

**I**n preparation for the construction we ask that any landscaping or private underground utilities (such as an invisible dog fence, lawn sprinkling systems, special topsoil mixtures, decorative fencing, etc.) that may be located within the right-of-way (ROW), or immediately adjacent to the sidewalk, be removed and salvaged by the property owners. If you are not sure if they will interfere with the construction, please contact us.

**A**ll lawn and terrace areas that are disturbed during the construction will be restored with grass seed. We ask that you please water and maintain these areas as needed after they are restored to promote new growth.

**P**lease contact Pellitteri Waste Systems at (608) 257-4285 with any questions regarding garbage pick-up.

**Y**ou may be periodically notified of scheduled and emergency water service disruptions during the project, however if you experience any other disruption of sewer or water service or unusual issues with your existing sewer or water services at any time during the project, please contact Waunakee Utilities at (608) 849-8111 or alternate number listed below. We have also included some information from Waunakee Utilities regarding sewer back-ups.

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***We appreciate your patience and would like to thank you in advance for your cooperation!***



## **ATTENTION!**

### **Residents with Mailboxes along South Century Avenue**

**I**n order to ensure regular U.S. Mail deliveries for those of you with existing mailboxes along South Century Avenue (located within the construction limits of phase 5, from Woodland Drive to Eighth Street), the contractor will be installing a mailbox station for temporary Postal deliveries while the street is closed.

**T**he U.S. Post Office recommended that we locate the temporary mailbox station in the following location:

#### **On the southwest side of Eighth Street, at the Century Avenue intersection**

**M**ail deliveries to the temporary mailbox will begin on April 24<sup>th</sup>, and will remain until the first lift of asphalt surface has been placed, the permanent mailboxes have been re-installed in the terrace, and the street is open to vehicle traffic in front of your property. This will occur at the completion of Phase 5, anticipated to be around the beginning of June. Please watch for more information posted on the mailbox station. Please contact the post office if you have any questions regarding your mail deliveries.

**T**he existing residential mailboxes will be removed to accommodate the work. The contractors will place your existing mailboxes in your yard. Please store them away for safe keeping, and they will contact you when they are ready to re-install the permanent mailboxes in the terrace.

**I**f you would like to replace your mailbox and/or post, please purchase a new one and make it available to the contractor when they are ready to re-install the mailboxes, and we will have them re-install the new mailbox and/or post.