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2015 Pavement Preservation Construction Update

NEWSLETTER

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The 2015 Pavement Preservation contract involves the following highways in Wright County: County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 7 in Maple Lake; CSAH 8 from CSAH 35 to Hwy 55 in Maple Lake; CSAH 9 southeast of Maple Lake; CSAH 37 from CSAH 8 to east limits of Maple Lake; CSAH 57 in Maple Lake; CR 111 east of Silver Creek and CR 132 south of Maple Lake. Type of work includes milling/reclaiming the existing bituminous surface, paving two layers of bituminous mixture, pavement markings and mailbox support replacement.

The prime contractor for this project is Knife River Corp. – North Central, Sauk Rapids, MN. Work on this contract is scheduled to begin the week of June 8. All work on this contract is anticipated to be completed by the end of July.

Also included in this contract is the installation of swing-away mailbox supports at no cost to the resident (rural highways). This mailbox support meets current safety standards and will be installed after the paving is done. Mailbox supports in urban areas, behind the curb in Maple Lake, will not be replaced. Only those existing mailboxes that are located directly on the shoulder of a rural county highway will be replaced with new supports. If your mail is currently delivered to a mailbox on a rural county highway, you will receive further information about this process.

The Wright County Highway Department greatly appreciates your patience during construction on this important improvement project. A detour of traffic will not be necessary during construction. All traffic will be directed by flag people near and through the work zone. Please be prepared to expect minor delays during construction activity.

Questions or comments regarding this project can be directed to the proper individuals by calling the Wright County Public Works Building @ 763-682-7383 or toll free @ 800-362-3667 (ask for the Public Works Department). Business hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.