



Silver Lake Road Flood Reduction Project Project and Appurtenant Work Construction Update #5

Current Events

The Contractor has continued construction at the retaining wall and has begun the installation of storm sewer along the east side of Silver Lake Road north of Silver Lane. Due to unfavorable weather conditions however, the Contractor has spent more time than anticipated completing the improvements at the retaining wall which will require the closure of Silver Lake Road to extend into next week (week of May 28th).

Silver Lake Road is closed to through traffic in both directions between Silver Lane and County Road E. Access to local businesses and residential areas will be maintained during construction. Northbound traffic will be detoured east along County Road D to Old Highway 8 to County Road E. Southbound traffic will be detoured east along County Road E to Old Highway 8 to County Road D. The posted detour route is identified on the project website front page:

<http://www.savmn.com/419/2019-Street-Utility-Project-Silver-Lake->

Metro Transit bus routes #25 and #825 will continue to be detoured during construction. Bus stop relocations have been posted by Metro Transit at the individual bus stops along Silver Lake Road between County Road D and County Road E.

Future Events

Contractor will continue to install storm sewer along the east side of Silver Lake Road next week, week of May 28th, and rebuild the southbound lanes. The Contractor will continue construction moving south towards Silver Lane. It is anticipated that the intersection of Silver Lane will be closed to eastbound traffic approximately towards the end of next-week to allow for the storm sewer installation, ***weather permitting***.

Lane Closures – Anticipated late-week of May 28th through mid-July 2019

The northbound lanes of Silver Lake Road will remain closed to through traffic from Silver Lane to County Road E for the duration of the project. The southbound lanes will allow two-way traffic, with left turn restrictions at Silver Lane, for the duration of the project. Westbound traffic on Silver Lane at Silver Lake Road will be detoured to allow for the construction at the intersection. Once construction has progressed south, the intersection will be reopened to traffic.

Periodic updates to traffic impacts will be provided throughout the project as they become available.

There will be NO construction activity on Silver Lake Road on Monday, May 27th, in observance of the Memorial Day holiday.

Tips of the Week

- Please observe posted detour and warning signs.
- Slow down and watch for uneven surfaces.
- Stay alert! Watch for signs, equipment, and workers
- Please remind children to stay away from the construction site, equipment, and stockpiles of materials.
- Access through the site may change throughout the day as construction progresses; your patience is appreciated.

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