



CITY OF FORT WAYNE

THOMAS C. HENRY, MAYOR

March 7, 2017

Dear Property Owner or Resident:

I am pleased to inform you that construction will begin soon on a sewer project in your area that will significantly improve water quality in the Baldwin Ditch. This project is part of Fort Wayne's 2008 agreement with the federal government to reduce sewer overflows to improve river water quality. The project involves the installation of a relief sewer that will receive and transport combined sewage during wet weather so that it can be treated at the wastewater treatment plant.

The relief sewer will begin at City Utilities' Wet Weather Pond Facility on Lake Avenue and head north along White Oak Drive to Lake Avenue. It will continue east along Lake Ave. to the Baldwin Ditch just west of Laverne Avenue, where it will turn north to State Boulevard. The line will then run east along State Blvd. almost to Coliseum Boulevard.

Dunigan Brothers has been awarded the contract for this project. Work is expected to begin this month. Per the contract with Dunigan Brothers, the project must be complete by the end of 2018.

I know that utility construction projects can be disruptive for neighborhoods. It is the goal of our staff to keep you well-informed about what is expected to happen during the project. I want you to know who to contact to answer your questions and resolve any construction issues. Please join Fort Wayne City Utilities for an opportunity to "Meet the Contractor" and learn more about this important project and how it will impact you:

Monday, March 20, 2017 at 6:00 PM
Brentwood Elementary School – Media Center
3710 Stafford Drive
Fort Wayne, Indiana

Please park in the lot on the west end of the school and enter through Door #4. The school is accessible for persons with disabilities. However, if you require a reasonable accommodation such as a translator, please contact us by calling 311.

Every effort will be made to maintain the best possible traffic flow during the construction period. Please let me know if you have suggestions about how the City can improve projects like this one or any other City services by calling 311 or 427-8311. For specific questions about this project during the construction period, please contact City Utilities' representative on the project: Andi Adams at (260) 427-2684 or by email at andi.adams@cityoffortwayne.org.

Sincerely,

Thomas C. Henry
Mayor

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