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Memorandum

To: Westfield Board of Public Works & Safety

Date: April 29, 2015

Re: Public Works Project Report

Memo to Board Members

Dear Board Members, I would like to take this opportunity to update you regarding the current status of our Public Works Departments.

Westfield Public Works Executive Summary Progress Report

Street Maintenance

Our current focus is on the installation of crack seal to maintain pavement integrity and help preserve our streets. In addition to this we have contracted FE Harding to apply infrared repair treatment to various parts of the City. In areas like Oak Road, where Infrared is not possible, we will be partnering with FE Harding mill and resurface larger patches, where Infrared is not conducive. We also continue to address pothole situations and assist with projects at Grand Park.

Park Maintenance

A new 5-12yr old playground system has been installed at Simon Moon Park. There will be a Grand opening and ribbon cutting ceremony held on Saturday 5/2. Spring park opening efforts continue throughout the City.

Notable changes since 3/25/15

1. 2015 Resurfacing and Maintenance Improvement Project (MIP)
Bids were received for 2015 resurfacing and the award is anticipated as part of this meeting. If awarded, this project will start in mid-May. We are working to coordinate around the 31/32 ramp closures, as well as the dismissal of school.

2. 156th and Spring Mill Roundabout
This intersection closed on April 6 and is well under way. This is a 60 day closure with the possibility of a 10 day extension to accommodate the potential of wet weather. We expect this intersection to reopen on or around June 8th.
3. 161st and Oakridge RAB
Demolition is complete and utilities have begun relocation. The closure of this intersection is anticipated from late August.
4. Tomlinson and 191st Roundabout
Utility work continues and the project continues to progress. Because on the 31/32 ramp closures, this route will be the primary access to Grand Park, from US31, which will delay the partial closure.
5. Grand Park Blvd Extension
Construction of this new road is well under way. The new storm sewer infrastructure has been mostly installed and fill is currently being hauled in to elevate the roadway to the proposed grade. We anticipate this to be open to traffic on toward the end of August.

Construction Projects

1. 161st Street & Carey Road Roundabout
City Project Manager: Gary Pence
Designer: DLZ
Funding: 100% locally funded (Utility Proceeds)
Contractor: E&B Paving

Roundabout is currently open to traffic. The surface layer, signage, sidewalks, and other punch list items will be finished in the spring, as weather permits.
2. IMMI Way (Union Street Extension to East St.)
City Project Manager: Gary Pence
Designer: A & F Engineering
Funding: 100% Federal supported construction & inspection
INDOT Bid Date: August 2014

This is a new 3 lane section of roadway that connects N. Union St, to East St. The roadway is open to traffic and has signage, seeding, and other punch list items to complete this spring.

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3. 191st and Tomlinson Roundabout
City Project Manager: Gary Pence
Designer: USI Consulting
Funding: Utility Proceeds

Utility work continues and the project continues to progress. Because on the 31/32 ramp closures, this route will be the primary access to Grand Park, from US31, which will delay the partial closure.

Other Notable Projects

City Project Manager: Gary Pence

1. 156th and Spring Mill Roundabout

The project is to put in new 2 lane roundabout replacing a 4 way stop controlled intersection. The project was let on January 14th, but unbalanced bids will require it to bid again. Most utilities are relocated and construction is anticipated this spring. Construction and inspection 100 percent reimbursable, by INDOT

2. 161st and Oakridge RAB

This project is to build a new 2 lane Roundabout in place of the current 4-way stop intersection. This project will be let on Feb 4th through INDOT. Demolition and utilities relocations are expected to start this spring with closure and construction anticipated when the 156th and Springmill RAB opens. Construction and inspection is 100 percent reimbursable, by INDOT.

3. Grand Park Blvd Extension

This project is a new boulevard roadway connection and roundabout from Wheeler Road north to the existing at 186th street RAB. This project is currently in construction with mostly earthmoving and storm drains work presently. Expected open to traffic near the end of June.

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4. Ditch Road Extension

This project is a new boulevard roadway section, expending from SR 32 north and connect to a new roundabout at Casey Road. The roadway plans are 99 percent complete and right of way is clear. Utilities are still in need of relocations. The current plan is to split the project into two phases. The first contract would deal with fixing the drainage issues on Ditch Road south of SR 32 and new pipe under SR 32. There is currently no timeline for work, and will proceed when vertical construction plans are presented by the developer.

5. Towne Road for 156th street to 166th street

This project is for sight distance improvements, roadway widening and 3 culvert replacement project on Towne Road from 156th to 166th street. This project is INDOT funded project (all phases are 70/30 split). Currently waiting for design contract to be approved by INDOT. Plan to have consultant start survey and design work this spring. Let expected July 2017.

6. Oak Trace Elementary School Safe Road to School Study

Engineering study to improve safety for Oak Trace Elementary School. Waiting for INDOT funding approval to start study. Expect start August 2015

City Project Manager: Phil Sundling

7. Wheeler Road Extension

- Design at 80%, awaiting final drainage decision
- Roadway reconstruction project that runs from SR 32 to 181st Street
- R/W – Wheeler parcel filed for condemnation last week, should have findings within the next month or two
- Utility Proceeds funding

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8. Monon Phase 6

- Design at 90%
- Project runs from 181st to the Monon Elementary School north of 191st
- Trailhead will remain as part of Phase 7 due to the latest design change – won't have time to get R/W clear and include in Phase 6
- R/W – 3 parcels left, should have all cleared in the next few weeks
- MPO funding for PE, CN, CE – match with local Utility Proceeds

9. Westfield Boulevard Extension (West Access Road)

- Design at 85%
- New roadway project that runs from 151st west of Target to new underpass that INDOT built for Union Street
- Awaiting final drainage design
- We are currently in the R/W acquisition phase
- PE funded via Village Park TIF
- RW, CN funded with Utility Proceeds

10. North Union Sidewalk Extension (CDBG)

- PCS survey finished and sent over on 11/13/14
- R/W line work sent over from Pat McCallister with PB
- \$153k reimbursement from CDBG with the City matching a portion

11. Westfield Boulevard Connector (South Poplar Extension)

- Des. No. awarded from INDOT
- Pending Federal approval w/formal award expected in February
- Current plan to go from Park St. to 169th

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12. 186th and Springmill RAB

- Approved by MPO
- Awaiting PE contract
- 2017/2018 construction
- \$2-mil reimbursement from MPO (CN, CE)
- City will fund remaining portion

13. Red Line Mass Transit

- City committing \$146k match for PE and ENV services
- Multiple stops from 146th, Village Park, Downtown Westfield, Grand Park
- Construction not until 2020 at the earliest

City Project Manager: John Green

14. Mill St. Extension

- Home demolition is nearing completion
- We still have 2 properties to acquire before we proceed.

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