

June 3, 2009

South Garden Estates Neighborhood Reconstruction

Dear Resident,

Crews have begun the reconstruction process on your neighborhood project today. They started work on Dunham Drive, Wooddale Avenue, and Claremore Court by grinding up the existing paved surface.

Tomorrow they plan on working on Dunham Drive to begin the re-grading process. Crews will be digging out approximately one foot of the existing road bed, and replacing it with suitable gravel material. Once Dunham Drive has been regarded, crews will move on to Wooddale and Claremore Court. This work should take approximately a week or more.

Next week crews will begin to replace the fire hydrants on Dunham Drive, Wooddale, and Claremore Court. This process will require a water system shutdown on your street. Please watch your front doors for orange tags that will contain information on the shut down process. These tags will be placed on your doors a day in advance of the shutdowns. Shutdowns will occur after 8:00 am, and crews will have the water back on as soon as possible.

If you currently have an irrigation system or a pet fence, it may get damaged during construction. If your system is damaged from construction, the contractor has a kit to plug the damaged area so the rest of your irrigation will still work. Once the curb and gutter has been installed, and the black dirt backfilled behind the new curb, we can begin the process of repairing the irrigation systems and pet fences. We will have your company fix the damage, and the City of Edina will take care of the bill for you. However, the City will only pay for these repairs on a one time basis.

A look into the week of June 15th, 2009 – Crews plan on moving into the rest of the neighborhood by grinding up the roadway surface, replacing fire hydrants, as well as some sanitary sewer repairs at various locations within the project.

Please remind all children to stay away from all reconstruction operations, parked equipment, and stockpiled supplies. For everyone's safety, if you see anything onsite that looks out of place or someone that doesn't belong please call the City of Edina Police Dept. They have been informed of this, and are keeping a close eye on the site for us, but your help would be greatly appreciated if you see anything out of place.

Please remember, schedules are weather dependant or can change on a daily basis. As always, please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. I can be reached in the office at 952-826-0444 or akuznia@ci.edina.mn.us

The City of Edina as well as Midwest Asphalt would like to thank you for your cooperation during this project.

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