

INFO MEETING WILL BE NOV. 1 FOR PLANNED DUTTON ROAD BRIDGE REPLACEMENT

The Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC), in partnership with the City of Rochester Hills and Oakland Township, will conduct a public information meeting Tuesday, Nov. 1, about the planned 2023 replacement of the Dutton Road bridge over the Paint Creek on the border of the two communities.

MEETING DETAILS

Date/time: Tuesday, Nov. 1, 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Meeting details: The meeting will be open-house format; there will not be a formal presentation. Anyone interested can review plans and talk with RCOC staff at any time during the meeting.

Location: Rochester Adams High School cafeteria, 3200 W. Tienken Road in Rochester Hills.

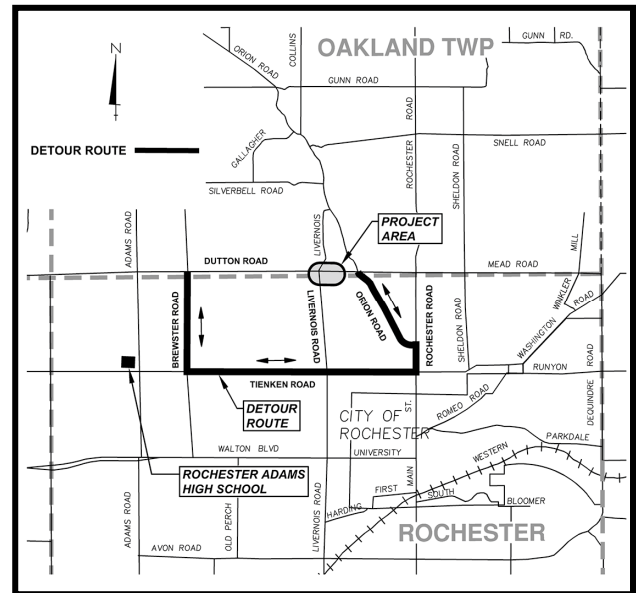
PROJECT DETAILS

The project will include:

- Replacement of the deteriorated Dutton Road bridge over the Paint Creek (just east of Livernois Road) with a wider bridge that will accommodate pedestrians.
- Placement of curbs, gutters, guardrails and paved shoulders on the section of Dutton to be paved.
- The paved shoulder on the north side of Dutton Road will connect the existing Paint Creek Trail parking lot to the trail.
- Approximately 30 trees must be removed as part of the project (this section of Dutton is designated as a Natural Beauty Road).

IMPACT ON TRAFFIC

- Dutton Road will be closed to through traffic from Orion Road to Livernois Road during the project.
- During the closure, the detour route for through traffic will be Brewster Road to Tienken Road to



Rochester Road to Orion Road and back to Dutton Road and vice versa.

- Access to homes and businesses will be maintained at all times, but the road will be completely closed at the bridge.
- The Paint Creek Trail will be closed at Dutton Road for two days in the fall of 2023.

SCHEDULE

- Utility relocation will take place in the winter and spring of 2023.
- Bridge and road work will start in July 2023 and be completed in November 2023.

PROJECT COST AND FUNDING

The project will cost approximately \$2.6 million and will be paid for with federal funds as well as RCOC and City of Rochester Hills dollars.

The public is asked to provide comments or concerns regarding the project plans, including the short-term closure of the Paint Creek Trail, to the RCOC Design Division by Nov. 15, 2022, either at the meeting or via email at design@rcoc.org. The project was determined to have

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