

## PUBLIC INFO MEETING WILL BE OCT. 23 FOR 2025-26 NOVI ROAD RESURFACING, 8 MILE TO 9 MILE

The Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC) in partnership with the cities of Novi and Northville, will conduct a public information meeting Wednesday, Oct. 23, about the planned 2025-2026 project to resurface Novi Road between 8 Mile Road and 9 Mile Road.

### MEETING DETAILS

**Date/time:** Wednesday, Oct. 23, 4:30 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:** Hillside Middle School, 775 N. Center St., Northville, MI 48167 (in the cafeteria).

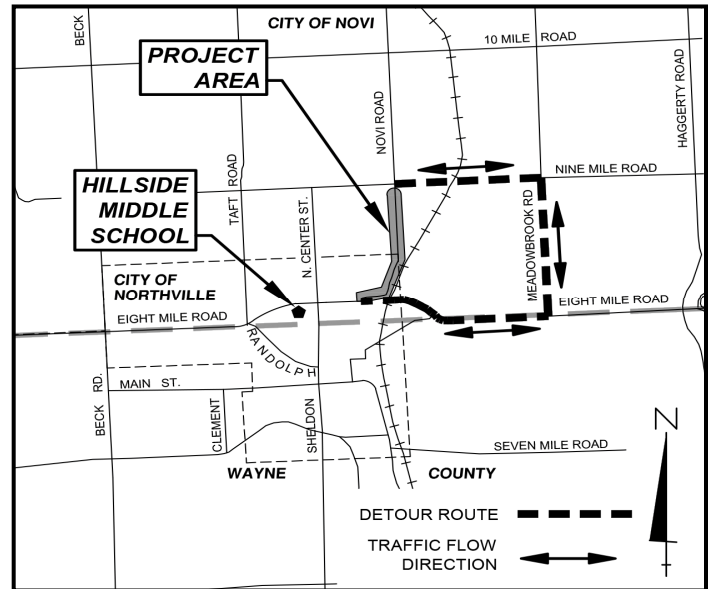
### PROJECT DETAILS

*The project will include:*

- Milling (grinding off) the existing pavement and repaving with two layers of asphalt.
- Adding a continuous, center left-turn lane throughout this section of Novi Road.
- Adding two northbound lanes and one southbound lane from the Rouge River/Allen Drive to 9 Mile Road.
- Reconstructing the curve between 8 Mile Road and Allen Road/the Rouge River.
- Placing curb and gutter where appropriate within the project.
- Installing storm sewer to improve drainage.
- Reconstructing side-street and driveway approaches throughout the project.
- Improving pedestrian crosswalks to comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).
- Upgrading traffic signs and pavement markings within the project.
- Installation of **High-Intensity Activated Crosswalk (HAWK)** pedestrian crosswalk beacons just north of Galway Street.

### SCHEDULE AND IMPACT ON TRAFFIC

- The project will be completed over two construction seasons: 2025 and 2026.
- Pre-construction work will take place in winter and spring of 2025 and will involve intermittent lane closures for utility relocation and tree removal.



- **Phase 1** will take place in the fall of 2025 and will involve the reconstruction of the curve between 8 Mile Road and Allen Drive. This section of Novi Road will be **closed** for this phase of work. The **detour route** will be 8 Mile Road to Meadowbrook Road to 9 Mile Road and vice versa.
- **Phase 2** will take place in the spring and summer of 2026. It will include reconstruction of the road as well as widening of the road and installation of storm sewers. During this phase, **Novi Road will remain open to southbound traffic**, but will be **closed to northbound traffic between 8 Mile and 9 Mile**. The detour route for southbound traffic will be 9 Mile Road to Meadowbrook Road to 8 Mile Road.

### PROJECT COST AND FUNDING

The project is expected to cost \$6.7 million. Eighty percent of the cost will be paid for with federal funds, and the rest will be shared by the City of Novi, the City of Northville, Oakland County general government (through the Tri-Party Program) and RCOC.

*Anyone wishing to attend the meeting who requires special accommodations in accordance with the provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) or Title VI, including those requiring language assistance, should call RCOC at 248-645-2000 and ask to be directed to the Engineering Department to submit your request. The Road Commission will provide such services free of charge with reasonable advanced notice.*

**For more information:**

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