

PROJECT INFORMATION FOR 2018 OPDYKE ROAD



PROJECT DETAILS

The project includes replacing the Opdyke Road bridge over the Clinton River, resurfacing Opdyke Road from Auburn Road to Perry Road, replacing sidewalk crosswalks and bus stops, drainage improvements, replacing watermains from Featherstone Road to Walton Blvd. and constructing a pedestrian pathway from Auburn Road to I-75.

IMPACT ON TRAFFIC

Opdyke will be closed between Auburn Rd. and M-59 during the bridge replacement. The detour for through traffic will be Auburn Rd. to Martin Luther King Jr Blvd. to Featherstone Rd. back to Opdyke Rd. and vice versa. Due to weight restrictions on Featherstone Road, oversized vehicles will need to use M-59 instead.

Additionally, during the resurfacing and watermain replacement work, one lane will remain open in each direction of Opdyke between Auburn and Perry roads.

Access to businesses along this section of Opdyke

Road will be maintained at all times during the project.

FUNDING

This project is expected to cost approximately \$10.9 million. Of this, the bridge replacement will cost approximately \$3.6 million and the rest of the project is expected to cost \$7.4 million including the watermain work. All watermain work will be paid for by the City of Auburn Hills. Federal funds will cover \$3.1 million of the project cost, and approximately \$2.8 million will be paid for through the Local Bridge Program (a combination of federal and state funding). The remainder will be shared by Road Commission for Oakland County (RCOC), the cities of Auburn Hills and Pontiac and Oakland County general government (through the Tri-Party Program).

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Additional information is available on the Opdyke Rd. page of the RCOC Website (www.rcocweb.org -- click on the "Road Projects" icon on the home page and select Opdyke Rd).

For more information:

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