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Bridgewater Heights Subdivision
Summit Heights Subdivision

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SUBJECT: Rice County State Aid Highway No. 1 (110th St E) Reconstruction
Notice of Road Closure and Temporary Access

Dear Resident of Bridgewater Heights and Summit Heights:

As you may have noticed, work on County State Aid Highway (CSAH) No. 1 has commenced. In the coming weeks, utility relocation work is anticipated to continue in preparation for road closure and construction to begin. Heselton Construction, the County's contractor, has scheduled Monday, April 30, 2018 as the date to close CSAH No. 1 to through traffic and begin road work. To facilitate the reconstruction of CSAH No. 1, Heselton Construction will grade and surface an extension of Highland Parkway southerly to 115th Street East. **Residents of Bridgewater Heights and Summit Heights will utilize 115th Street East for the duration of the 2018 construction season. Access to CSAH No. 1 is expected to be restored in November.** In addition, Benjamin Bus Co. is aware of the pending closure and should be communicating any changes to their pick-up/drop-off schedules independent of County correspondence.

I understand that this creates an inconvenience and I greatly appreciate your patience and understanding as we work toward reconstructing CSAH No. 1. Improvements to CSAH No. 1 include: a roundabout at the intersection of Highland Parkway/Farrel Ave, a three-lane roadway with continuous center left turn lane, new pavement surface with 8' paved shoulders, a bituminous trail from Highland Parkway to Erwin Way, and a grade-separated trail crossing near Erwin Way.

The County has established a project webpage that will be periodically updated. A link can be found on the Highway Department page of the Rice County website or at: <http://www.is-grp.com/cсах1-ricecounty/>. Please visit the site for project updates during the construction season.

If you have questions regarding access or the project, I can be reached at (507) 384-6431 or by email at jkollar@co.rice.mn.us.

Sincerely,

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