Michigan Avenue (US-12) Reconstruction

Saline Chamber of Commerce
September 16, 2015

Agenda

• Project Description
• Enhancement Grant
• Construction Staging
• Vibration Monitoring
• Questions?
Project Description

**Project Limits:** Saline River to Maple Rd / Old Creek Rd

**Scope:**
- Complete reconstruction (pavement, subbase)
- Drainage upgrades
- Watermain
- Sanitary Sewer
- Streetscaping/Landscaping
- Non-Motorized Path
- Pedestrian Lighting
- Traffic Calming Elements
- Traffic Signal Modernization
- Signing and Pavement Markings
Project Description
Key Feature: Median Islands and Extension of Five-Lane Cross-Section:

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Key Feature: Right Lane Drop at Mills:
Key Feature: Additional On-Street Parking:

Project Cost:

• $9-10 million (Includes Enhancement Work)

Anticipated Project Schedule:

• March Letting
• Begin Construction: April 2016
• Open US-12 to two-way traffic: End of October 2016
• End Construction: November 2016
• Final Restoration and Punchlist: Spring 2017
Enhancement Grant

• The City was awarded a $530,000 Enhancement Grant to provide various Streetscape Improvements.
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• New decorative pedestrian lighting will extend the limits of the project, helping to “extend” the downtown.
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Selected Scheme:

• Detour Eastbound US-12 via Henry Street
• Westbound US-12 maintained on existing pavement
• US-12 reconstructed in halves (north half / south half)
• Short-term side street closures for intersection reconstruction

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Henry Street Improvements:

- Resurface Henry Street after construction is complete
- Erect temporary traffic signals at Ann Arbor, Harris, and Old Creek
- Oversize speed limit signs
- No on-street parking in designated areas
Construction Staging

Sidewalk downtown would be constructed part-width:

- Erect signing to encourage eastbound trucks to use M-50 or I-94 to bypass Saline
- Prohibit oversize loads through Saline along US-12
- Coordination with business owners regarding deliveries will be required
Vibration Monitoring

- MDOT will monitor vibrations during construction
- Contractor will video existing building foundations
- Need property owner permission to access property

Public Open House
Thursday, September 24
5:30 - 7:30 pm
Liberty School Cafeteria
7265 Ann Arbor - Saline Road