

County Road 101 North Reconstruction Project

This is a Hennepin County project. However, the city of Minnetonka is providing this information to keep Minnetonka residents and businesses informed about specific issues related to the project.

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Project Background

In September, Hennepin County began a reconstruction project on County Road 101 (Bushaway Road) in Minnetonka, Woodland and Wayzata. The project extends from north of Minnetonka Boulevard (County Road 5) to US Highway 12 at Wayzata Boulevard.

Railroad Crossing at Crosby Road

BNSF Railway is working with Hennepin County on a track rebuilding project for the County Road 101 overpass (Bushaway Road) located on the border of Wayzata and Minnetonka. In order to accommodate the county's construction of the overpass, BNSF must build a temporary track that will allow for this work. Once construction of the overpass has been completed, BNSF will resume operations on the mainline track and remove the temporary track.

Due to the close proximity of workers to the track, for the duration of the project, BNSF will be sounding the train horn at the Crosby Road crossing in Minnetonka for the safety of the crews. Although this is a designated quiet zone, when there are workers and equipment in an area, federal regulations require BNSF to sound the horn for safety. This temporary horn sounding will occur from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. and will continue for the duration of the project.

Eastman Lane and McGinty Road Reopened

The intersection of Eastman Lane and McGinty Road at County Road 101 has reopened and the signed business detour to downtown Wayzata via Crosby Road has been removed. Please continue to use caution and drive safely if using McGinty Road and Eastman Lane as it is still an active construction area. There will be periodic lane closures as construction continues for the rest of the summer. There is no access to County Road 101 from these streets.

County Road 101 (Bushaway Road) continues to remain closed to through traffic. The map on the reverse of this newsletter illustrates closures and detour routes. All non-local traffic should follow the marked detour using Minnetonka Boulevard, Interstate 494, and Highway 12.



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