



**PEORIA COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT
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LANCASTER ROAD BRIDGE REPLACEMENT
CONSTRUCTION NEWSLETTER**

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TO: Peoria County Road Users

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SUBJECT: Lancaster Road Bridge Replacement

The replacement of the bridge on Lancaster Road located near Croy Lane, will begin the week of November 7th. Work to remove trees that have been determined to be in the way of construction activities will be removed first. Utility companies will then relocate their services over the winter months. Work on the new roadway, retaining wall, watermain, and bridge will begin when the weather stabilizes in the spring. The new proposed structure will be a single span steel and concrete bridge, supported by concrete abutments, and steel piling.

The project is being overseen by the Peoria County Highway Department. Stark Excavating, which is based in Bloomington, is the general contractor and will be performing the majority of the work along with various subcontractors. The road and bridge is expected to be reopened by November 21, 2017, but weather and unforeseen conditions might affect the schedule. Tree planting and work on any other minor items remaining will take place during the spring of 2018. Stark's regular work hours will be 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. However, hours may change periodically based on the work schedule.

During construction, Lancaster Road will remain CLOSED to through traffic. However, residents and emergency personnel will still have access to their homes and property at all times.

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www.peoriacounty.org/countyhighway/construction-projects/

Thank you in advance for your patience and cooperation during this project.