

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



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> STATEWIDE 41527 X-A004(660) Concord – US Route 3



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Mr. Thomas J. Aspell City Manager City of Concord 41 Green Street Concord, NH 03301

Dear Mr. Aspell:

This is to notify the Town that the New Hampshire Department of Transportation (NHDOT) has been developing a resurfacing project along US 3, beginning at the pavement joint at Skyview Terrace in Pembroke and continuing north to the pavement joint south of Airport Road in Concord. Approximately 0.5 miles will be skipped over at the US 3/NH 106 intersection, beginning north of the Mobil gas station and continuing to the pavement joint at the driveway to Dunkin' Donut's.

Work along this section of US 3 involves a full width, Bonded Wearing Course (¾" overlay), including cracksealing prior to overlay, spot inlaying at 1½", a 1" bridge inlay over the Soucook River, resetting of drainage structure frames, grates, and covers within the pavement, guardrail replacement and rehabilitation, and construction of accessible sidewalk ramps. Night time temporary lane closures are expected for cold-planing and paving operations. Daytime temporary lane closures are expected for non-pavement work during non-peak hours. Signal loops will be affected by construction, placing the signals on a timer mode when the contractor is not present. It will be approximately two days until the signal loops are replaced, and the signals restored to normal operation.

Throughout the duration of the project, and at the discretion of the Department, uniformed officers and flaggers will be used to control traffic. Portable changeable message signs will be used to notify motorists in advance of upcoming work and provide messages during construction. All work on this project will be performed such that traffic is unimpeded whenever possible.

This project is currently scheduled to advertise on March 20, 2018. The earliest start of Construction is anticipated to be mid-June of 2018. Work on this segment is expected to take approximately seven (7) weeks, and will be completed prior to early September, 2018. A preconstruction meeting, to which the City will be invited, will be held by the Contractors prior to the start of construction.

Included as part of this transmittal are 2 copies of the Municipal Work Zone Agreement (MWZA) that all municipalities are asked to sign as an acknowledgement that the Department will have the authority to control traffic through the work zone for the duration of the project. Please sign both enclosed documents and return them to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided. One signed copy will be returned to the City, the other will be retained by the NHDOT.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss this project further, please feel free to call me at 271-7421 or e-mail at <u>Tobey.Reynolds@dot.nh.gov</u>.

Sincerely.

Tobey Reynolds, P.E. Specialty Section Chief

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Enclosures (2)

cc: Chief Bradley Osgood, City of Concord Police Department (Letter Only)
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