

Construction Update No. 1

Interlachen Bluff/Circle Neighborhood Reconstruction

City of Edina Contract No. ENG 10-6

April 7, 2010

Interlachen Bluff & Interlachen Circle Neighborhood Reconstruction

Dear Resident:

The Edina City Council has awarded the roadway and utility construction project in your neighborhood to Omann Brothers Paving, Inc. As part of the construction process, private utility companies may begin work in your neighborhood as soon as April 21, 2010. The major upgrade of private utilities will be replacing the existing gas main under the roadway as well as the gas service lines to your home. Centerpoint Energy has hired its own contractor to upgrade these utilities. Keep in mind that this is a separate private utility upgrade that is not directly associated with your neighborhood project. They will have a project manager onsite to assist you with getting your service lines upgraded. As the gas company nears their completion of upgrades, we will begin with the neighborhood reconstruction project. We'll be able to provide a more detailed construction schedule with the next update letter.

Our initial work will involve reclaiming the existing roadway, stripping topsoil in boulevard areas, replacement of fire hydrants, and sanitary sewer repair work. Hydrant replacements will require temporary shut downs to water service in the neighborhood for part of the day. You will be notified of these shut downs at least a day in advance by the contractor.

Communication

To better communicate the overall happenings of the project, the City has introduced the City Extra e-mail notification service. This service is free and allows individuals to sign up to receive e-mail messages from the City on a variety of topics. To sign up for the service go to the City Extra website at <http://cityextra.cityofedina.com> and place a check mark in the box next to "**Interlachen Bluff & Interlachen Circle Improvement Project**". Please contact the City at 952-927-8861 if you are having trouble signing up for City Extra.

We will update the City Extra e-mail notification system on a weekly basis for this project. These updates will be brief but will cover the weekly street reconstruction highlights. All residents, including those signed up for the e-mail notification system, will continue to receive paper copies of the construction update letters by regular mail on a monthly basis.

Please contact the project inspector, Aaron Kuznia, if you have questions or comments regarding this project at 952-826-0444 or by email at akuznia@ci.edina.mn.us

The City of Edina and Omann Brothers Paving, Inc. would like to thank you in advance for your patience and cooperation throughout the project.

Thank you,

Jack Sullivan
Assistant City Engineer