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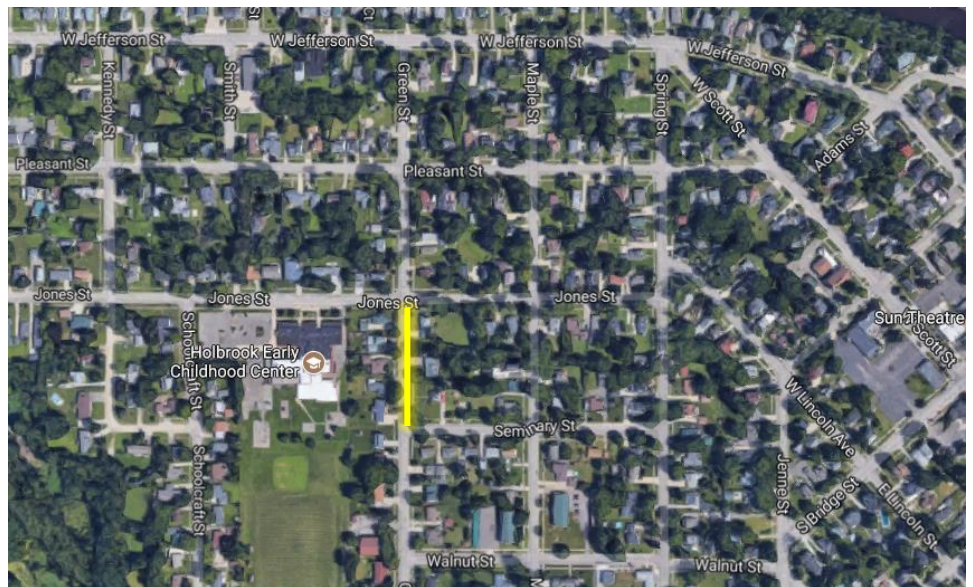
To: Residents of Green Street, between Jones St. and Seminary St.

From: City of Grand Ledge, Public Service Department

RE: **NOTICE OF STREET RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT**

On Monday, June 18, 2018, a project to reconstruct Green St. between Jones St. and Seminary St. is scheduled to begin. The project will include water main replacement (including water services to the shut-off near the sidewalk), storm water drainage improvements, and street reconstruction. The street

portion of the project will include removal of the existing surface, installation of a sand and gravel road base, and application of new pavement. The existing curb, gutter, and driveway approaches on the east and west sides of Green St. will also be replaced as part of the work. The contractor for the project is Central Excavating, of Westphalia, MI. Funding of the street related portion of the work is through City funds derived from tax revenues; all water system improvements will be financed through the City water/sewer fund.



The contractor intends to start work on the project on Monday, June 18 and will work daily, Monday through Saturday (weather permitting). The project is estimated to be completed in approximately six weeks. Please understand this is a tentative schedule and will be subject to change.

During the construction period, the affected block where work is underway will be closed to through traffic and open to local traffic only. Residents within the project area will normally be able to access their driveways throughout the construction period, particularly during the evening. However, it should be expected there will be an extended period when driveways will be inaccessible due to new concrete curb and driveway approaches having been formed and poured. The new concrete requires up to ten days to properly cure and cannot be driven on by vehicles during this period. During that time, residents will be required to park either on the street or on adjacent streets. It should also be anticipated that the entire length of the street will be closed when paving is scheduled and residents will need to move any vehicles out of the project area prior to paving. Green Street will remain open to residents only; driveway access will be interrupted from time to time.

Residents should also expect there will be occasions when water service will be interrupted. These interruptions are normally scheduled and residents will be notified in advance. However, residents must expect there may be unanticipated interruptions caused by emergency situations which may arise. The City will work with the contractor to keep these shut-offs to a minimum.

Scheduled trash pick-up will occur on a normal basis and trash bins should be placed on the curb as usual. The contractor will transport trash bins to an adjacent area outside of the construction zone for pick-up. We ask that residents label their trash cans with their address to ensure the trash bin is returned to the correct home. This can be done with tape and a marker. Trash pick-up companies have been notified of the construction.

As is typical in construction projects of this nature, there will be an increase in noise, dust, dirt, vibration and delays getting down the street. We regret any inconveniences this project may cause. With added patience and cooperation, the City projects that the finished product will be pleasing to residents and ultimately worth the temporary inconvenience.

Residents may contact the Public Service Department between 8:00 am – 5:00 pm, Monday – Friday at 517-627-2149 with any special needs or questions about the project. The Public Works Superintendent, Victor Rose, can be reached by e-mail at vrose@cityofgrandledge.com. For water system issues, please contact Utilities Superintendent, Kurt Ristow at kristow@cityofgrandledge.com.

Please look for project updates on our website at www.cityofgrandledge.com. Thank you for your patience as we work through this street improvement project.