

January 10, 2025

**RE: Meridian Township Local Roads Program**

Dear Resident:

We greatly appreciate your patience during construction. This spring we will complete the final phase of construction on Timberlane St. This will involve installing gravel shoulders off the edge of pavement where there is no curb and gutter. The Township’s contractor will plant grass seed over the gravel shoulders.

This will also involve cleaning out ditches where there is no curb and gutter, as shown below:



NO trees will be removed during the ditch cleanout project. All ditches will all be restored with grass seed. The Township’s contractor will return to touch up grass seed in spots where it does not germinate.

The engineering firm for this project is Spalding DeDecker, a quality engineering firm based in the Lansing area. The excavation contractor for this project is Youngstrom Contracting, a quality asphalt company based in the Lansing area.

While representatives from Spalding DeDecker and Youngstrom will be onsite during construction, please submit any questions or concerns to [dpw@meridian.mi.us](mailto:dpw@meridian.mi.us). Although field representatives are able to answer questions, they are not permitted to authorize changes to the plans or add additional work.

We sincerely apologize in advance for any inconvenience caused during construction, and we truly appreciate your patience and understanding while we work to improve your neighborhood and our entire community.

**Please note that we will issue another notice in the spring announcing the anticipated construction schedule once it is known. These second notices will likely be placed on mailboxes with blue painters tape.**