



CRETE TOWNSHIP ROAD DISTRICT

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HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER'S

MONTHLY REPORT

AUGUST 14TH, 2024

1. EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE IS ON- GOING.
2. MONTHLY BRANCH PICK UP WAS COMPLETED AND FIVE ADDITIONAL BRANCH PICK UP DAYS WERE NEEDED ON THE WEEK OF JULY 15TH, DUE TO THE STORMS. DOWNED TREES THAT WERE BLOCKING THE ROADS ON RICHTON ROAD AND BEMES ROAD WERE REMOVED. ALSO, CREWS REMOVED A DOWNED TREE ON AUGUST 5TH THAT WAS BLOCKING STONEY ISLAND AVENUE IN THE BAKKER'S SUBDIVISION. DUE TO THE NATURE OF THE BLOCKAGE, EMERGENCY PERSONEL FROM THE CRETE TOWNSHIP FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT WAS ON SITE UNTIL THE BLOCKAGE WAS CLEARED.
3. ROADSIDE MOWING WITH BOOM MOWER.
4. TREE TRIMMING/REMOVAL COMPLETED ON ANNE LN., BURRIED OAK DR., BAKKER'S AND WILLOWBROOK SUBDIVISIONS, WOODLAWN AVE., RAINBOW LN., BROADVIEW AVE., AND STONEY ISLAND AVE.
5. SIGN REPAIRS/REPLACEMENTS-PLUM VALLEY DRIVE (STOP).
6. 2024 PAVEMENT MAINTENANCE BID OPENING WAS ON 6/27. LOW BIDDER WAS IROQUOIS PAVING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$734,270.50. IROQUOIS WAS AWARDED THE CONTRACT.
7. OVERWEIGHT TRUCKS TRAVELING IL RTE 394 TO EXCHANGE STREET TO GET TO RTE 41 IN INDIANA AND RETURNING HAS BEEN AN ONGOING ISSUE. CORRECTIVE ACTION I HAVE TAKEN IS, 1) REQUESTING MORE ENFORCEMENT FROM THE WILL COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT,



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WHICH WE HAVE RECEIVED, 2) INSTALLED ADDITIONAL WEIGHT LIMIT SIGNS ON TOWNSHIP ROADS, 3) REQUESTED ADDITIONAL SIGNAGE BE ADDED BY THE WILL COUNTY DIVISION OF TRANSPORTATION AT THE CORNER OF IL RTE 394 AND EXCHANGE STREET, WHICH THEY HAVE AGREED TO INSTALL AND, 4) MET WITH THE SUPERVISOR OF THE LAKE COUNTY INDIANA TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT TO DISCUSS INCREASED ENFORCEMENT ON THE INDIANA SIDE, WHICH HE HAS AGREED TO. I WAS ALSO INFORMED THAT THE MEDIAN AT THE INTERSECTION OF RTE 41 AND 151ST STREET IN INDIANA WILL BE CLOSED OFF TO EAST WEST CROSS TRAFFIC. THIS AREA HAS BEEN A HOT SPOT FOR NORTHBOUND TRUCKS CROSSING OVER TO GET TO STATELINE ROAD AND EVENTUALLY TO OUR TOWNSHIP ROADS.

Anthony Recupito

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