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Roundabout Intersection at Wentworth Ave. & Oakdale Ave.

Dakota County and the City of West St. Paul invite you to the first open house for the County Highway Roundabout Intersection Improvement Project at County Highway 8 (Wentworth Avenue) and 73 (Oakdale Avenue). You will be able to learn about the project, ask questions, and provide feedback

Public Open House
Wednesday, June 3, 2015
5:30 – 7:00 pm
West St. Paul City Hall Council Chambers
1616 Humboldt Ave.
West St. Paul, MN 55118

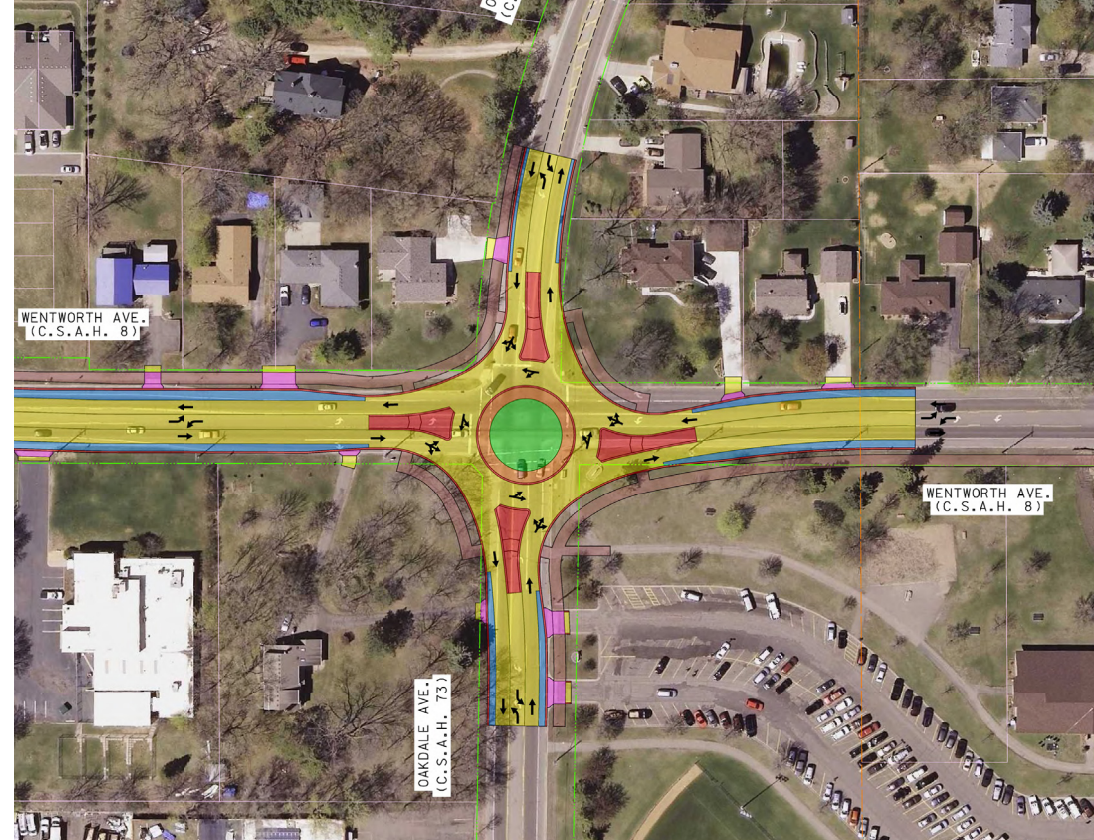
Project Background

Dakota County and the City of West St. Paul are proposing safety improvements at the intersection of County Highway 8 (Wentworth Avenue) and 73 (Oakdale Avenue). Currently this intersection is controlled by an all-way stop with turn lanes. The proposed improvement is the construction of a single lane roundabout including pedestrian facilities and median refuges. The roundabout will be constructed in 2017 following the Robert Street construction.

To determine the appropriate traffic control for the intersection, the County and City completed an intersection assessment. This assessment included a review of the crash data and it was found that the crash rate is 3 times the state average. The majority of crashes have been right angle crashes and a roundabout will best address this type of crash.

Area Roadway Improvements

The City of West St. Paul has contracted with Eureka Construction and begun work on the Robert Street Reconstruction Project. The project limits are Mendota Road (County Highway 14) north to Annapolis Street. Due to the complexity and length of the project, construction has been split into 2 construction seasons (2015 and 2016). The 2015 season consists of work from Thompson Avenue (County Highway 6) north to Annapolis Street and the 2016 season from Thompson Avenue south to Mendota Road.



As part of the Robert Street project, temporary signals have been installed to address increased traffic volumes along County Highway 73 (Oakdale Avenue) at County Highway 4 (Butler Avenue), Thompson Avenue, and County Highway 8 (Wentworth Avenue) due to detoured business traffic from Robert Street. These signals will remain in place during the 2 construction seasons but will be removed at completion of the project. At that time, traffic volumes are expected to decrease to near current volumes.

For more information about the Robert Street Reconstruction or to sign up for weekly updates, please visit the project website at <http://wspmn.gov/729/Robert-St-Improvements>. or call the hotline at (651) 764-6067.

Questions or Comments? Please Contact:

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Further Information:

Information regarding this project is available at: www.dakotacounty.us
Information on Dakota County transportation projects can be found by visiting: www.dakotacounty.us and clicking on "Transportation".

