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UPDATE ON CTH K CULVERT REPLACEMENT PROJECT:

The Iowa County Highway Department continues to be performing culvert and pavement replacement on portions of CTH K north of Barneveld during the 2017 construction season. **CTH K between Mounds Park Road and CTH KK will have continue to have periodic spot improvement road closures. These closures occur during the weekdays of Monday and Thursday and the daytime hours of 6AM to 4PM, inclusive.** The work is of a nature which results in the roadway being impassable for periods of time during the given days. Traffic has been detoured onto a route consisting of CTH ID from Barneveld to Blue Mounds, then follow CTH F and FF in Dane County to CTH KK, then follow CTH KK to CTH K. The reverse run for traffic travelling south in lieu of north.

The work has been delayed due to a number of other issues with other culvert locations across the county of a more urgent nature due to the recent rain events. The Department has corrected those issues and returned to the CTH K project to complete the culvert installs there. At this time the Department intends to complete the CTH K culvert replacements on Thursday June 29th, at which point the road will be reopened to normal traffic.

CTH K will return to normal traffic flow on or about June 29th for the remainder of the summer until after Labor Day. In mid to late September, a pavement replacement project will commence for the same locations from Mounds Park Road to the Orcutt bridge just north of Knight Hollow Road. The pavement replacement project will consist of reducing the existing roadway to a gravel surface for a period of 6 to 8 weeks, then replacing the asphalt driving surface. **Commencing sometime after Labor Day, work will occur weekly during the daytime hours of 6AM and 5PM Mondays thru Fridays inclusive.** Delays and localized detours can be expected for these locations during the timeframes provided. The roadway is anticipated to be completed and returned to normal traffic flow in late October of 2017.

If you have any questions or concerns; please contact the highway offices. The Department does send daily road closure notices through the NIXLE text message notifications. For interest in becoming a Nixle subscriber to receive the text notices please go to the Iowa County Emergency Management webpage at:

<http://www.iowacounty.org/departments/emergencymanagement/emergencymanagement.shtml#nixle>

Respectfully Submitted,

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