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TO: Essential/Emergency Services and News Media
FROM: Grand Traverse County Road Commission
DATE: June 9, 2017
SUBJECT: ROAD CONSTRUCTION and DELAYS
 WORK STARTING JUNE 10 AND ONGOING
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Traverse City.

Weather permitting, this is Grand Traverse County Road Commission's updated road construction report as of June 9, 2017. This notice is prepared on information supplied by our contractor and staff.

Baggs Road near Lakeside Trail. Whitewater Township.

- *The Grand Traverse County portion is being resurfaced.
- *Work is scheduled to begin Monday afternoon and last two days.
- * Lane closure with flag control?

North Arbutus Lake Road. From East Arbutus to Four Mile Road Intersection. East Bay Township.

- *Crush-and-shape portion of the work is back on its original start date of Monday, June 12.
- *Perishable items located within the road right-of-way should be relocated to avoid damage from operations.
- *This project is scheduled to take 18 work days.
- *Motorists will encounter lane closures under flag control and should anticipate delays.

Oak Terrace Drive, Garfield Road to the West. Garfield Township

- *Contractor will continue work into next week.
- *Lane closure with traffic directed via flag control.
- *Motorists should anticipate delays.

Maple Terrace. Peninsula Township.

- *Continued utility work this week.
- *Lane closures will be directed by flaggers.

M-72 West, west of M-22. Garfield Township.

- *Lane shift on M-72, west of M-22.
- *Contractor crews will be removing/replacing pavement as part of the drain repairs.
- *Work is expected to last two days.
- *Traffic will be directed by cone placement.

Various County Roads

- *Special Markings (RR, School, etc.) will continue this week in various locations throughout the county. *Watch for cones along the newly painted areas to avoid paint splatter on vehicles.

GTRC Maintenance Activities

- *Mowing – Blair, Grant and Green Lake Townships.
- *Shoulder Work - East Bay and Garfield Townships.
- *Shoulders will be closed and traffic will be directed by flaggers as this operation moves along its route.
- *Grading - Seasonal roads.
- *Durapatching - River Road bridge decks in East Bay Township.
- *Hauling in WINTER SAND!
- *Pothole patching – just about everywhere.

***MOTORISTS: Traffic will be directed by flaggers through the lane closures.
Please plan ahead or use alternate routes as delays are likely.***

Our mission is to upgrade and maintain a safe and efficient road system.