Engineering Department

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N E W S R E L E A S E

7th Avenue Reconstruction

The 7th Avenue Reconstruction project is currently under way with the installation of new water main. Because of the Contractor's construction methods, 7th Avenue will be closed for a block at a time as the water main installation progresses. 7th Avenue will be reopened with two lanes of traffic at the end of each day. 6th Avenue from Hawthorn Drive to Decorah Road is being used as a detour route. The detour route will remain throughout the life of the project to help guide motorists who may wish to avoid the construction area. The reconstruction project is expected to continue until the end of October.

Motorists are asked to exercise caution, observe construction signs, obey flagmen, and be alert for heavy construction equipment, while work is in progress. Alternate routes should be selected if possible.

Heartland Construction, Inc., of Slinger, Wisconsin, is doing the work in 7th Avenue under contract with the City of West Bend.

If you have any questions about this news release, please contact the City's Engineering Department at (262) 335-5130.

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