

PRESS RELEASE
WAPAKONETA AVENUE RECONSTRUCTION PHASE I
June 27, 2011

The Ohio Public Works Commission, Ohio Department of Transportation, City of Sidney, and Shelby County Engineer have joined to reconstruct Wapakoneta Avenue from Parkwood Street north to I-75 overpass. VTF Excavation LLC from Celina, Ohio has been awarded a Contract for this project which consists of widening and reconstructing Wapakoneta Avenue including curbing and storm sewer & water modifications.

During this construction, portions of Wapakoneta Avenue from Parkwood to Hoewisher Rd will be closed to through traffic beginning July 11, 2011 and will remain closed for approximately 75 days, weather permitting. Local businesses and residences will have access maintained from either the north or south during various phases of construction. Emergency vehicles will have access via a single lane at all times. The designated State Route detour is Russell Road to State Route 29 to I-75 and back to Wapakoneta Avenue as shown in the map. Local traffic may use the following streets for detouring: Parkwood Street, Main Avenue, and Hoewisher Road. Routes will be marked with detour signs. Parkwood and Hoewisher Rds will have signage noting the local detours.

The City/County suggests that businesses with large fleets or deliveries request from their suppliers and customers the use of alternate routes when possible during the construction.

Please remind your drivers to use caution and be aware of workers in this congested construction area. We appreciate the anticipated support and understanding to this traffic inconvenience.

If you have any questions or concerns during this project, please contact Nick Miller, Shelby County Engineer's Office at 937-498-7244 or the City Engineering/Public Works Dept. at 937-498-8142.

Phase 1A Wapakoneta Ave. Reconstruction Between Parkwood St. & Hoewisher Ave.

75 Day Maximum Road Closure for Thru Traffic

Legend

- Wapakoneta Reconstruction
 - Phase 1A Project Area
 - Road Closed to Thru Traffic
- Wapakoneta Detour
 - State Route Detour
 - Russell Rd, St. Marys Ave. (SR 29), & I-75
 - Northbound
 - Southbound
 - Local Detour
 - Parkwood St. & Hoewisher Ave.
 - Northbound
 - Southbound
 - Corporation Limit

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March 24, 2011

1 inch equals 1,000 feet

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