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# NEWS RELEASE

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### UPCOMING PROJECT INFORMATION: TRUMBULL COUNTY ENGINEER PLANS BRIDGE REPLACEMENT ALONG HOUSEL CRAFT ROAD IN FARMINGTON TOWNSHIP

PID: 114350

Trumbull County Engineer, Randy Smith, has identified the desperate condition of many of the 377 bridges throughout Trumbull County and is committed to providing the necessary resources to address this problem. The project proposes to replace the existing Farmington #16 Bridge on Housel Craft Road (T.H. 222, Section B) over Mud Run between Stroups Hickox Road and Hoffman Norton Road. All work will be completed within the existing roadway right-of-way and the project is scheduled to begin construction in the fall of 2023 or the spring of 2024.

During construction, Housel Craft Road at the bridge site will be closed to traffic for a maximum of ninety (90) consecutive calendar days. The official detour for this project will utilize Stroups Hickox Road, Geauga Portage Easterly Road, and Hoffman Norton Road. Construction and bridge closure/detour information will be posted along Housel Craft Road, along intersecting side roads and on the Trumbull County Engineer webpage, <http://engineer.co.trumbull.oh.us>, prior to the start of construction activities. Access shall be maintained to all properties within and adjacent to the project construction limits for the duration of project construction.

While the proposed project will not result in any substantial impacts to environmental resources, Trumbull County Engineer, Randy Smith, is seeking any comments you may have regarding the proposed project. Project-related issues the public may wish to comment on include, but are not limited to, the effect of the project on residents, the local economy, historic or cultural resources, etc.

Any questions or comments concerning the proposed project should be directed to Mr. Gary W. Shaffer, P.E. by February 3, 2023, at the Trumbull County Engineer's Office, 650 North River Road N.W., Warren, Ohio 44483, by electronic mail at [hwshaffe@co.trumbull.oh.us](mailto:hwshaffe@co.trumbull.oh.us) or by telephone at 330-675-2640.