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TRUMBULL COUNTY

UPCOMING PROJECT INFORMATION TRUMBULL COUNTY ENGINEER PROPOSES SIDEWALK ALONG BELMONT AVENUE IN LIBERTY TOWNSHIP

PID: 116846

The Trumbull County Engineer, in cooperation with Liberty Township, proposes to install 5-foot-wide concrete sidewalk along the west side of Belmont Avenue (State Route 193) from the Churchill Street (State Route 304) north to the Churchill Commons. The project consists of installing approximately 1,400 feet of new sidewalk, new curb ramps/truncated domes to meet Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards, and the application of new crosswalk lines, as necessary throughout the project limits. The proposed project will link residential neighborhoods east of Belmont Avenue to the commercial corridor along Belmont Avenue. No new permanent and/or temporary right-of-way is needed to construct the project. This proposed sidewalk project is tentatively scheduled to begin construction in the Summer of 2025.

During project construction, a minimum of one lane of traffic shall be maintained in each direction at all times utilizing flaggers. Road closures and detours are not proposed to construct the project. Access shall be maintained to all adjacent properties, businesses and intersecting side streets for the duration of the project. Maintenance of traffic information will be posted within the project limits prior to the start of construction.

While the proposed project will not result in any impacts to environmental resources, Trumbull County Engineer, Randy Smith, is seeking any comments the public 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 December 18, 2024, at the Trumbull County Engineer's Office, 650 North River Road N.W., Warren, Ohio 44483, by electronic mail at <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/jhws.nc.1007/jhws.n