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# Project Update

## Village of Machesney Park ALPINE ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

*Build Machesney... A Blueprint for the Future*

### Week of June 7<sup>th</sup>

Pre-stage work will wrap up with the placement of temporary pavement in the center lanes between Pine Al and Terrang Trail.



The Contractor will then close the outside lanes of Alpine Road, and will close off the side streets to the following intersections:

- Cross Country Drive
- Minahan Drive
- North Huskie Circle
- Gladys Drive
- Van Stone Drive
- Apollo Drive
- Terrang Trail
- West Juniper Lane (**West Juniper will then remain closed through the duration of the project**)

These intersections will remain closed approximately 2-3 weeks to allow crews to work on the approaches to Alpine Road and to complete improvements on Alpine Road itself. The Contractor will place signs within the neighborhoods to help direct traffic during the closure.

The inner lanes of Alpine Road will be open to traffic; however, the speed limit will be reduced to 35 MPH within the construction zone, and the lanes themselves will be 11 feet wide. Left turns will be allowed at the intersections that will remain open to traffic, but the turn bays will be shortened.

### Looking Ahead: Schedule for Week of June 14<sup>th</sup>

The following side streets will remain closed to traffic:

- Cross Country Drive
- Minahan Drive
- North Huskie Circle
- Gladys Drive
- Van Stone Drive
- Apollo Drive
- Terrang Trail
- West Juniper Lane (West Juniper will then remain closed through the duration of the project)

The Contractor will begin to mill the outside lanes of Alpine Road, and milling operations are expected to take 4-6 days to complete. Wedges will be placed between transitions in pavement in order to make it easier to drive across the milled area, however, there will be uneven surfaces to cross so motorists with low riding vehicles may wish to avoid using the side streets. Crews will then begin to remove and replace curbing, make inlet repairs and begin patching operations in the outer lanes of Alpine Road.

The Contractor will also begin to remove pavement at all of the side streets. Again, the Contractor will provide wedges to help transition between the uneven driving surfaces.

**Future updates will be posted to the Village of Machesney Park's website at <https://machesneypark.org/construction-alerts-updates/>. At least one update will be posted every week, so we urge you to check the website often.**

**Finally, we ask that area residents use alternate routes (i.e., IL 251, Orlando/IL 173, or Forest Hills Road) to access their neighborhoods through construction.**