

# NEWS RELEASE

## TRUMBULL COUNTY ENGINEER

650 NORTH RIVER ROAD N.W. WARREN, OH 44483

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### TRUMBULL COUNTY

## UPCOMING PROJECT INFORMATION: TRUMBULL COUNTY ENGINEER PLANS TRAFFIC SIGNAL PROJECT

**PID: 122870**

Trumbull County Engineer, David DeChristofaro, in cooperation with the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT), proposes to replace or remove the existing traffic signals at twelve (12) intersections along various routes in Howland, Bazetta, Warren, Brookfield and Weathersfield Townships, Trumbull County. At six (6) intersections, the proposed project will replace existing traffic signals with new signals, improve signal phasing and implement other minor improvements. At the remaining six (6) intersections, the unwarranted signals will be completely removed and will become 4-way stop controlled intersections.

Existing signals will be replaced with new signals at the following six (6) intersections:

1. Warren-Sharon Road and Bedford Road SE
2. N River Road and N Park Ave
3. N River Road and Larchmont Ave NE
4. Salt Springs Road and Niles Carver Road
5. Salt Springs Road and W Liberty Street
6. Salt Springs Road and Ohio Machinery Boulevard (Petro Travel Center drive entrance)

Existing unwarranted signals will be removed and will become 4-way stop controlled at the following six (6) intersections:

1. Warren-Sharon Road and Yankee Run Road/Brookfield Ave
2. Larchmont Ave NE and the eastbound State Route 5 entrance/exit ramp
3. Larchmont Ave NE and the westbound State Route 5 entrance/exit ramp
4. Larchmont Ave NE and the 7 17 Credit Union drive entrance
5. N River Road NE and the Aptiv parking lot drive entrance
6. Salt Springs Road and the Petro Travel Center truck lot drive entrance

Following the conclusion of this comment period, three (3) of the unwarranted signals will be placed on flash-mode. These include:

- Larchmont Ave NE and the eastbound State Route 5 entrance/exit ramp
- Larchmont Ave NE and the westbound State Route 5 entrance/exit ramp
- Larchmont Ave NE and the 7 17 Credit Union drive entrance

Construction for this \$1,500,000 project is anticipated to begin in the summer of 2027 and will be completed in the fall of 2028. Road closures and detours are not proposed to construct the project. During project construction, a minimum of one lane of traffic in each direction shall be maintained at all times, however, temporary lane restrictions and/or short-term stoppages may be necessary. All necessary signage will be posted within the project construction limits and all intersecting side roads. Access to all adjacent properties will be maintained throughout construction.

Environmental studies are ongoing, however, no impacts are anticipated. No permanent and/or temporary right-of-way is expected to be needed to construct this project. Utility impacts are anticipated and will be coordinated during plan development.

As part of the environmental process for the project, Trumbull County Engineer, David DeChristofaro, 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.

Information about upcoming Trumbull County projects, including this project, can be found on the Trumbull County Engineer's website at [www.co.trumbull.oh.us/engineer/eng\\_up.html](http://www.co.trumbull.oh.us/engineer/eng_up.html)

Any questions or comments concerning the proposed project should be directed to Mr. Gary W. Shaffer, P.E. by **April 1, 2026**, 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.