

HEADS UP!

A Message From Clark County Public Works About a Project in Your Area

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CONSTRUCTION ON NW TIMMEN ROAD/10TH AVE

From NW La Center Road in La Center south to Fifth Street in Ridgefield

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Clark County will work with Clark Public Utilities and the cities of Ridgefield and La Center to improve NW Timmen Road, including:

- Installing a 24-inch water line for Clark Public Utilities under the Timmen Road roadway.
- Crushing the roadway and using it as base material before applying a hot mix asphalt driving surface.
- Adding turn lanes at NW Timmen Road's T-intersection with NW La Center Road, specifically a westbound left-turn lane on NW La Center Road and northbound right-turn lane on NW Timmen Road.
- Upgrading and adding guardrails and making other safety improvements.

WHY IS THE COUNTY DOING THIS WORK?

Sections of the existing roadway have extensive cracking, along with an uneven driving surface. The project will improve safety on NW Timmen Road by creating a smoother driving surface. It also will improve safety by creating a turn lane on NW La Center Road, which will allow vehicles to queue out of the westbound travel lane.

WHEN WILL THE WORK BE DONE?

Rotschy Inc., a contractor working for the county, is scheduled to begin work in early June. Initial work will include installing signs and erosion control devices. Major construction is scheduled to begin in mid-June, when the contractor starts crushing the existing roadway.

WHAT SHOULD YOU EXPECT?

Construction will result in a 3.16-mile section of NW Timmen Road being closed to through traffic, from NW La Center Road south to Fifth Street, until September.

During this period, there will be limited access for local residents and businesses. Through traffic can bypass the construction area by diverting onto Interstate 5 between the La Center (Exit 16) and Ridgefield (Exit 14) interchanges. The detour length is 5.3 miles.

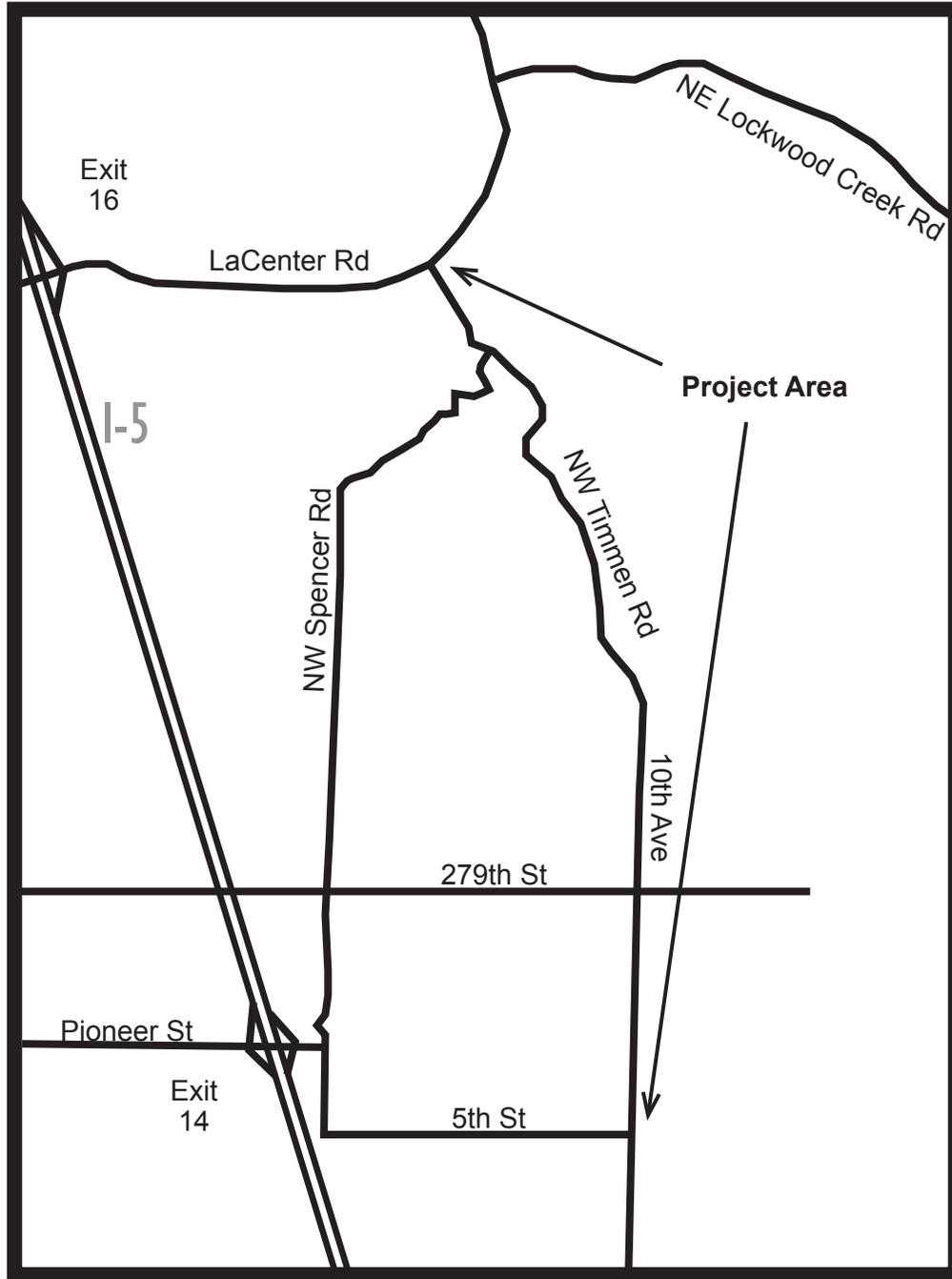
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