

HEADS UP!



A message from Clark County Public Works about an upcoming project in your area

MAY 2016

CARTY ROAD CULVERT REPLACEMENT AND PAVING

From Northwest Hillhurst Road east to Northeast 10th Avenue

PROJECT

Thompson Bros. Excavating, a Vancouver-based contractor working for Clark County Public Works, will replace the culvert carrying Gee Creek under the road just east of Northwest Ecklund Road. The project also includes repaving more than two miles of Carty Road and installing or upgrading guardrails.

WHY IS CLARK COUNTY BUILDING THIS PROJECT?

The existing culvert is undersized and has partially collapsed in several locations. Portions of the roadway embankment have sloughed off toward Gee Creek.

If the county does not replace the culvert this summer, it runs the risk that the culvert will completely fail, triggering a prolonged closure on a road that carries close to 1,300 vehicles a day.

WHEN WILL THE WORK BE DONE?

Preliminary work is scheduled to begin on Monday, May 9. Actual culvert replacement won't begin until after Wednesday, June 15, which is the last day of school in the Ridgefield School District. Construction should be finished in fall 2016.

HOW WILL CONSTRUCTION AFFECT ME?

During construction, Carty Road will be closed, except to local traffic. Residents will be able to access their homes, but they could experience some delays from lane closures during paving work.

During culvert replacement, a 1,200-foot length of Carty Road will be closed to all vehicles. Signs will guide drivers who need to detour around the culvert work. A map showing detour routes is on the back of this flier.

Thompson Bros. Excavating typically will work during daylight hours on weekdays, although the contractor could work some evenings and weekends. Residents living near the construction zone may experience some dust, vibration and noise, including backup alarms on construction vehicles.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Emergency responders will be alerted to the upcoming construction. Flaggers will give priority to police cars, fire engines and ambulances responding to emergencies.

BUDGET

Clark County awarded a \$1.59 million contract to Thompson Bros. Excavating. Federal and state grants are expected to cover most construction costs.

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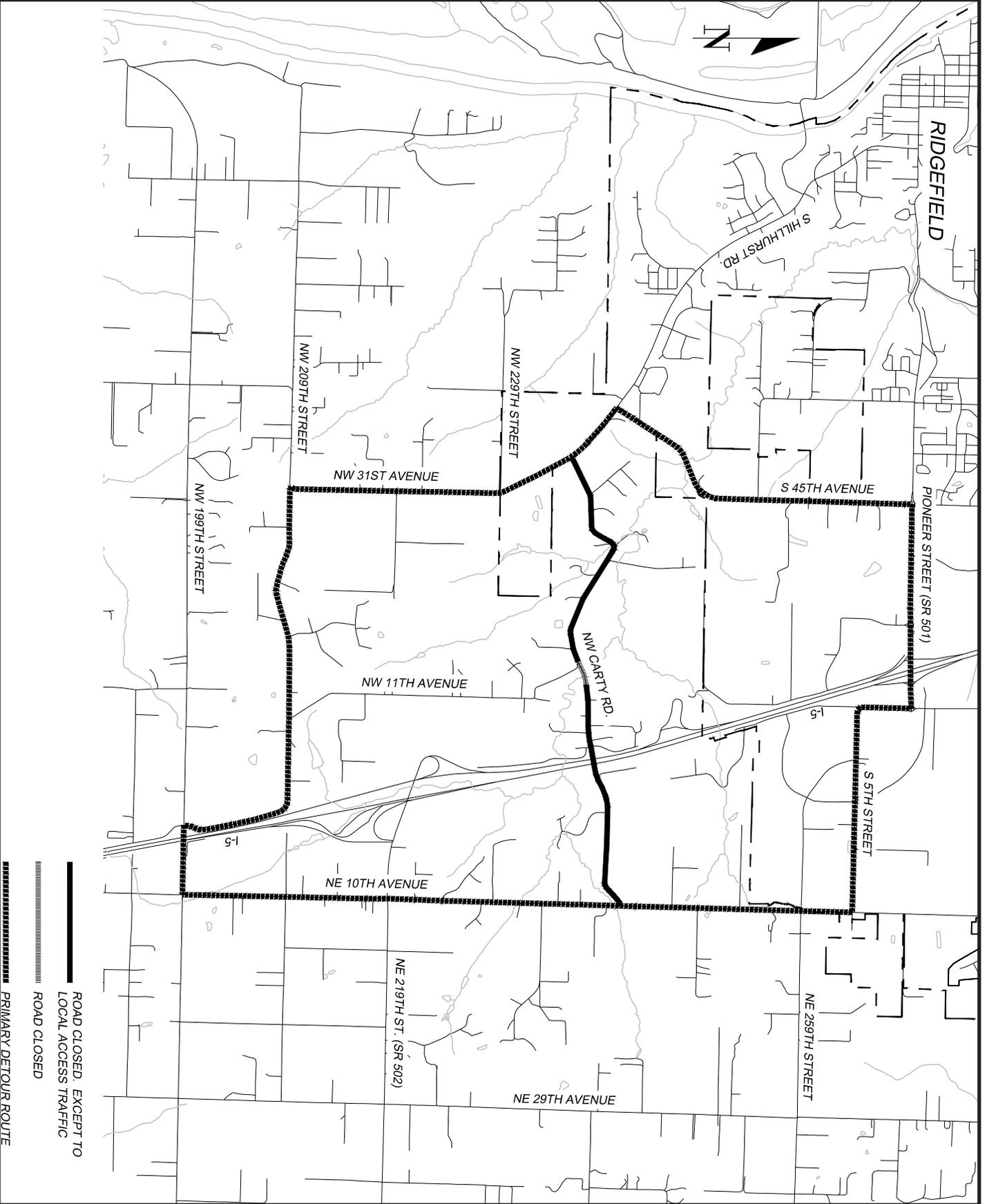
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Detour route during Carty Road culvert replacement



ROAD CLOSED, EXCEPT TO LOCAL ACCESS TRAFFIC

PRIMARY DETOUR ROUTE