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IDOT To Host Public Meeting to Discuss the Construction of North Main Street (IL-2) – Illinois Department of Transportation Roadway Project (Yonge Street to just north of Riverside Boulevard)

ROCKFORD, Ill. – The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) will host a Public Informational Open House on Wednesday, April 27, 2016 to inform the public and local businesses about the construction work on North Main Street from approximately Yonge Street to just north of Riverside Boulevard. The informational meeting will be open from 3:30 pm to 6:30 pm at the Spectrum Progressive School located at 2909 N. Main Street in Rockford.

The public is welcome to attend the meeting to review the construction staging and traffic plans for the project. The North Main Street improvement is a complete reconstruction project providing new pcc pavement including storm sewer, curb and gutter, sidewalks, multi-use path, lighting, landscaping, and so forth. The meeting will also provide area residents and business owners an opportunity to meet IDOT personnel and contractor staff that will be working on the project.

William Charles Construction is the contractor for the \$32 million project that will reconstruct approximately 2 miles of North Main Street from Yonge Street to just north of Riverside Boulevard. This multi-year project has a planned completion date of August 16, 2019.

The meeting location is accessible to individuals with special needs. Anyone needing special assistance should contact John Wegmeyer, PI Engineer at 815/284-5302.

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