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PARMA SNOW ROAD REPAVING BEGINS

(PARMA) – The repaving of Snow Road in Parma will begin the first week of June and stretch from Ridge Road to Broadview Road. The two-year, three million dollar project will be paid mostly with federal funds. Parma and Cuyahoga County will each contribute about ten percent of the total cost.

Phase one will extend a full mile from Ridge to State Road. The curb-to-curb improvement program is scheduled to be completed in October. One lane of traffic in each direction will be maintained during construction, first on the north side of the road and then on the south side.

“This is one of those long overdue projects,” says Parma Mayor Dean DePiero. “In the short term, there may be some minor inconveniences. But when it’s all said and done, it’ll be worth the wait to attain a safer, smoother and more durable thoroughfare.”

The second phase of Snow Road repaving will begin next summer, stretching another full mile from State Road to Broadview Road. Phase two is schedule for completion in the fall of 2009.

“We’re working with the Parma Police Department, the Parma Service Department and the county to maintain traffic in a safe pattern,” says Mayor DePiero. “The good news is that we’re rebuilding several sidewalk intersections with user friendly curbing to accommodate people using wheelchairs, strollers or youngsters on bicycles.”

Parma Service Department crews say no work will be done during evening hours. Construction time is being limited from approximately 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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