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To: Egelston Township Residents along Hall Road between Maple Island & Broton
RE: Force Main Construction

Dear Resident:

As you have been made aware, Muskegon County Wastewater Management System (MCWMS) is preparing to install a 60" diameter force main that will be located in Marquette Avenue from US-31 to Dangl Road, in Dangl Road from Marquette Avenue to Hall Road, and in Hall Road to the Metro WWTP east of Maple Island Road. The force main in Egelston Township will be installed by Kamminga & Roodvoets Inc. We apologize in advance for the inconvenience and will attempt to limit disturbances. Your cooperation will help to complete these jobs with minimal disturbance.

Below is information regarding several topics that may be of concern. If you have questions regarding any of these items or have other concerns during the course of construction, please contact **Rex Milliron of Prein&Newhof at (231) 578-1312, Mark Eisenbarth, Deputy Director of Muskegon County Wastewater Management System at (231) 724-3440**, or talk to one of the engineers that will be on-site during construction. Information regarding the progress of the project will also be posted on the Muskegon County Wastewater Management System website at <http://muskegoncountywastewater.com/>. A link to this information has also been placed on the township's web site at www.egelstontwp.org.

Construction Schedule

Kamminga & Roodvoets is preparing to begin work in your area of the project soon. They have scheduled pavement removal of Hall Road from west of Maple Island Road to just east of Broton Road for the week of April 6, 2009. Maple Island Road will remain open except for a two day period yet to be determined. The intersection at Hall & Broton Road will remain open. Hall Road traffic between Maple Island and Chatterson will be detoured south to Apple Avenue. Final completion of road restoration is anticipated in late May. Please bear in mind these dates are targets and may be affected by weather or other unforeseen circumstances. Work will generally be conducted between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Monday through Friday and possibly on some Saturdays.

The following details are important to residents who live on the construction route.

Access

The project requires removal of the entire paved surface of your street, in phases as mentioned earlier. As work in each phase begins, the road will be closed to through-traffic and a detour will be posted. A temporary gravel surface will be provided for access to your home. Access may not be from the same direction which you are accustomed to.

The Contractor is required to provide access to all residences at the end of each workday. If you have a medical condition that requires access to your home at certain times, please contact the engineer at the number listed above, and special provisions will be made.

Emergency vehicles are required to have access at all times.

Driveways and Restoration

Driveways which are disrupted during construction will be replaced at the same location, with the same material, and equal to the size of the existing drive. Temporary driveway material will also be placed and maintained to accommodate access to residences during construction. Disturbed grass areas will be restored with topsoil, seed, fertilizer, and mulch.

Garbage Pick-up

The contractor is required to work with the waste haulers in the area to provide continuous garbage service. If necessary, the contractor will be responsible to transport your waste container to a central pickup location, and return it to your residence at the end of the day it is emptied.

School Buses

As work progresses, we will be working with the school district to ensure safe transportation of your children to and from school each day. The location where your children are picked up and dropped off may be changed during construction within your phase. Revised locations will be developed by the schools and communicated to you at a later date.

Mailboxes

If the United States Postal Service requires mailboxes to be relocated to continue mail service, we will notify you prior to the relocation to advise you of the temporary location.

The Contractor will provide temporary mailboxes for mailboxes disturbed during construction so that mail service is not interrupted. The Contractor will work with the United States Post Office to determine this location.

Your help with the items outlined above will be greatly appreciated, and will help minimize disturbance to the area, providing for a safer and earlier completion of the project. Thank you in advance for your efforts!

Sincerely,

Prein&Newhof

Muskegon County DPW

Rex A. Milliron, P.S.

Mark Eisenbarth

cc: Mr. Dave Kendrick, Director of the MCDPW
Mr. Mike Thompson, Egelston Township
Ms. Deb Ackerman, Egelston Township
Mr. Dan Ringnalda, Kamminga & Roodvoets, Inc.
Mr. Karl Klynstra, Kamminga & Roodvoets, Inc.
Mr. Timothy Bergstrom, P.E., Prein&Newhof