

SID UPDATE on Levee Restoration Project October 1, 2022

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The project has slowed down though progress has been made on many fronts. Updates to the different phases follow (all weather permitting and approximations):

Road Repair: Starting Monday October 3rd and continuing for much of the week, Omaha Paving will be onsite. KEU will be prepping the ramps from the levee to East Lake Drive and into Bull Frog Bay. The asphalt paving of these two areas is planned for Wednesday. Prior to that Omaha Paving will be milling and overlaying damaged areas of the levee road. They will also be removing and replacing certain sections of the chip seal road that were damaged during construction (east and west sides). **PLEASE FOLLOW ALL DIRECTIONAL SIGNAGE AND GIVE WAY TO THE CONTRACTORS.**

The One Pass Trench: The CORPS just recently got the approval for KEU to complete this work. There is still a couple of weeks of work where the river side of the levee will be cut and shaped to spec. This work will not interfere with anyone, we continue to keep the levee closed to any foot or vehicle traffic while the contractors are working.

North Lakeside and Noerllinger field: The next few weeks should see continued placement of topsoil on the inside of the levee at the north end and in the Noerllinger field. The contractors hope to have the completed areas fine graded and weed controlled in the next few weeks.

Seeding: Wenninghoff is currently waiting for ALL dirt work to be completed before commencing any seeding. Therefore, all seeding of all areas worked on during the project will be done as "dormant seeding".

Trailer Storage: The trailer storage area will begin to be reinstalled in the next couple of weeks. KEU will spread the stockpiled material thinly across the entire lot. The new lot will be 80 feet wide and 1000 feet long (250 feet longer than the old lot). There will be a 20 foot grass area along the levee that must remain clear. After the weather cools down, likely mid-November, we will bring in approximately 800-1000 tons of crushed rock and place on the entire lot. We will let everyone know when it is open and available. There will be a list of rules and regulations that will come from the HOA at that time.

The completion date extended to near the end of October, will likely be extended again.

We ask everyone to remain OFF of the newly graded areas.

We ask that you keep up with the latest by visiting this website and watching for notices from the SID and HOA boards.

This week KEU is working 7am-5pm Monday-Saturday. We are asking **EVERYONE to remain off of the earthen levee** and away from construction activity while workers are present. This means no bicycles, pedestrians, motorized vehicles, etc. **PLEASE OBEY ALL SIGNAGE.**

PLEASE NOTE:

The SID is also very concerned for the safety of the community and visitors to Waconda and for the protection and respect for the construction materials and equipment of KEU. During our preliminary

discussions, the SID informed both the CORPS and KEU that we will do all we need to expedite the project and are willing to close, restrict, reroute, traffic (vehicular and pedestrian) when and where we may need to. We will keep everyone posted on any of these decisions as they are made.

There is a lot of moving parts with this project and the SID, CORPS and KEU are going to do all we can to complete this in a timely and safe manner. We all are asking for everyone's cooperation, understanding, and patience as this project progresses.

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If you have any questions, you can contact Jim Noerrlinger, Matt Burnham, or Jon Meyers via phone or email. Contact information is on the contacts tab at www.sid1.org

Watch for continued updates here.

On behalf of the SID board, we thank you.

Jon Meyers