

Ms. Walsh-Malloy,

I wanted to take this opportunity to thank you for your information updates concerning road construction projects here in Novi. Your updates have been useful and your communication deserves some feedback.

The recent concrete road replacements on Jason and Burton Courts has been a significant improvement since each court has been deteriorating for some time. While the traffic volume may not warrant these cul-de-sacs a priority, each of our community streets has a useful lifespan and these streets were in need of some attention.

Neighbors I have talked to were all impressed with the quality of the work completed by the Mattioli Cement Company team. During demolition particularly and the entire process, the team often swept any debris from the remaining roadway throughout each day and minimized the inconvenience of the entire process for the residents. The team was courteous and accommodating. Replacement driveway curbs and approaches were also sited by some residents as welcomed changes.

If the City of Novi should entertain other bids for new concrete or replacement concrete, I would recommend that the City seriously consider including the Mattioli Cement Company.

Cranbrook drive reconstruction has also been a challenge for the contractor (?) however, the new roadway from 10 mile to 9 mile is a welcome improvement.

Please extend my thanks to the Novi Roads Committee and Novi City Council members for identifying and prioritizing the quality road improvement projects for our community.

Ken Rettmann