

North Triphammer Road Corridor Reconstruction Committee

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Village of Lansing Newsletter Article:

North Triphammer Road Corridor Reconstruction Committee (NTRCRC)

We have all noticed both the traffic congestion and wearing of the road on North Triphammer. Your Board of Trustees is looking to address this issue with the financial help of our State government and the wisdom of our local and surrounding communities' businesses and residents alike.

The Board has created an ad hoc committee called the North Triphammer Road Corridor Reconstruction Committee (NTRCRC). This committee is made up of the following:

1. two members of the Board of Trustees, one of which shall serve as the Chairperson;
2. a Chairperson and one member of the Village of Lansing Planning Board,
3. a representative of the Village's engineering firm,
4. a representative from the Village's Board of Zoning Appeals,
5. two representatives of the Village's business community, specifically, two persons who are either owners, operators or managers of at least one commercial property located within the Village;
6. two representatives of the Village's residents, specifically, two persons who are owners of single-family residential dwellings within the Village, and preferably, who are members of community or homeowners associations;
7. a representative from the Village's Conservation Advisory Council,
8. a representative of the Town of Lansing,
9. a representative of the Village of Cayuga Heights, and
10. a representative from the County Planning Board.

The NTRCRC will meet on a regular basis until this fall at which time a recommendation as to how this key road should be constructed will be completed. The design will need to satisfy the needs and desires of both the residential and commercial property owners in the Village as well as adjoining communities.

The representation from areas 1 through 10 above is where the committee will obtain input in order to develop the goals and objectives. Historic proposals made for North Triphammer road will be reviewed to extract the benefits and detriments.

The recommendation will define the scope of the project sufficiently enough that the Board of Trustees is able to act promptly on the proposal and so that the Village Engineer can use the proposal as a basis for generating plans for the reconstruction of North Triphammer road. Furthermore, this proposal will provide the basis for a submission to the Metropolitan Planning Organization for ISTEA funding.

It is the possibility of ISTEA funding that is causing the Board to move quickly now since there is a chance we can obtain funding in 1997. Previously, the schedule suggested we could not apply until 1999. Since the Board expects North Triphammer to need rebuilding before 1999, it is important that we attempt to get financial

assistance at this time.

The following people are on the NTRCRC:

Tompkins County

Dooley Kiefer, representing District 10 on the Tompkins County Board, which includes the Village of Lansing and Village of Cayuga Heights

Tom Todd, representing District 6 on the Tompkins County Board, which includes most of the Town of Lansing, except for the Village

Town of Lansing

Jeanine Kirby, Town of Lansing, Supervisor

Village of Lansing

Cliff Buck, Village of Lansing Trustee

Larry Fresinski, Village of Lansing Trustee, Chair of NTRCRC

Ned Hickey, Chair of the Village of Lansing Planning Board

Jon Reis, Village of Lansing Conservation Advisory Council

Village of Cayuga Heights

Brent Cross, Village of Cayuga Heights Engineer

Village of Lansing Business District

Andy Sciarabba, Lansing Village Place

Jim Tull, Manager of Pyramid mall

Village of Lansing Engineers

Dave Herrick, T.G. Miller Engineer for the Village of Lansing

Kim Jacobs, T.G. Miller Engineer for the Village of Lansing

Given the importance of this piece of road to all of us the Committee will seek input and keep you abreast of the progress in a variety of ways as listed below.

Ways to provide input to the NTRCRC:

- USMail: NTRCRC; 2405 N. Triphammer Road; Ithaca, NY 14850
- Email: vlansing@clarityconnect.com

Ways to watch the progress:

- Meeting minutes in the Village office
- World Wide Web: <http://www.clarityconnect.com/webpages/vlansing/ntrcrc>

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