



CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

County Road 96

April 5, 2010

Thank you for your patience while we make important improvements to County Road 96.

WHAT'S BEING DONE?

County Road 96 from County Road 23 (Eveleth Avenue) to Trunk Highway 3 is being reconstructed. The current gravel road will be reconstructed to a two-lane paved roadway with paved shoulders. In addition, the two railroad crossings on County Road 96 will be reconstructed and outfitted with flashing warning lights. Private utilities (underground and overhead) will also be relocated further away from the roadway.

WHEN WILL WORK TAKE PLACE?

Reconstruction of the roadway is scheduled to start on April 12. At that time, County Road 96 between County Road 23 and Trunk Highway 3 will close to thru traffic. Weather permitting, the project should be completed by August of 2010.

WHAT SHOULD I EXPECT?

The majority of the tree removal and private utility relocation was completed over the winter. The remainder of this work will be completed with the road work. The major grading work and culvert installations will begin on the east end of the project and progress to the west. This work will be followed up with paving the roadway and seeding areas disturbed by the construction.

Access to residences will remain open throughout the majority of construction. However, in June there will be a 20-day closure of the County Road 96 and County Road 23 (Eveleth Avenue) intersection. This full closure is necessary to reconstruct and realign the intersection. A detour will be posted for this closure.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

- Visit www.dakotacounty.us search *Road Construction*
- Construction updates will be delivered periodically to residents and businesses during construction.
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