

**Notification to the Residents of Amlin**  
**Amlin Area Improvement Project**  
**January 30, 2020**

The Washington Township Trustees have completed a study of transportation and drainage improvements throughout the Amlin area. The study considered opportunities to improve vehicular and pedestrian safety, as well as stormwater drainage improvements and community beautification. Based on the study, the Trustees have elected to proceed with preliminary engineering for the improvements listed below.

- Reconstructing the roadway and providing sidewalks along the portion of Rings Road east of the railroad track crossing. The full extent of the sidewalk improvements will be determined through the preliminary engineering effort.
- Replacing portions of the existing drainage system along Rings Road, both east and west of the railroad crossing.
- Reconstructing the alleyway behind the homes on the north side of Rings Road, east of the railroad crossing, and improving drainage along the alleyway. The alleyway is anticipated to provide for pedestrian and bicyclist access.
- Providing landscaping amenities along Rings Road, including new community signage and trees along the roadway.

The consulting team of EMH&T and MKSK have been contracted by the Trustees for the collection of field data by representatives of those two firms. Over the next two months, the field work summarized below will be completed. Staff working in the field will carry letters from the Township notifying residents of the project.

1. Consultants will be on-site with trucks to complete the underground inspection of the existing drainage system along Rings Road. This investigation includes cleaning of some portions of the system and video of the drainage pipes. This work should be completed during the month of February. The results of this effort will inform the consultant team and the Trustees on the extent of the drainage system that may need to be replaced.
2. Consultant field surveyors will be on-site with trucks and survey equipment to collect topographic and property boundary information along Rings Road and the alleyways within Amlin. This work should be completed during the month of March.

Occasionally, consultants may conduct on-site visits throughout the project area. Using the collected field data, the consultant team will work with the Trustees and other Township staff to develop the preliminary engineering plan for the proposed improvements. The trustees expect there to be a future public meeting where residents will have an opportunity to obtain information about and comment on the project. Based on the current project schedule, the public meeting is anticipated to occur summer 2020. The final design phase of the Amlin Area Improvement Project will begin at the direction of the Trustees, once the preliminary engineering phase is complete.

Should you require additional information at this time, please contact Eric Richter at 614-652-3929 or [erichter@wtwp.com](mailto:erichter@wtwp.com).