Department of Transportation



Monroe County, New York

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June 25, 2025

RE: PUBLIC NOTICE: UPCOMING ROADWAY IMPROVEMENTS ON THOMAS AVENUE

Dear Neighbor,

Monroe County is planning roadway improvements along Thomas Avenue, between St. Paul Boulevard and Pattonwood Drive in the Town of Irondequoit. This project is essential for enhancing safety, accessibility, and roadway conditions in the area.

Project Highlights:

- Pavement rehabilitation to improve driving conditions.
- New shoulders to better accommodate bicycles, deliveries, and emergency stops.
- Replacement of existing concrete gutters with new curbing.
- Upgraded storm sewer infrastructure to address deterioration.
- New sidewalk installation on the north/east side of Thomas Avenue between Eaton Road and Mt. Airey Drive, filling in a current gap.
- Installation of a Rapid Rectangular Flashing Beacon (RRFB) at the Eaton Road crosswalk to improve pedestrian safety.
- Traffic signal upgrades at the intersection of St. Paul Boulevard and Thomas Avenue to meet current standards.

Public Open House Meeting:

We invite you to attend a public open house to learn more about the project and provide your input.

- **Date:** Tuesday, July 15, 2025
- **Time:** 5:00 PM 7:00 PM
- Location: St. Paul Firemen's Exempt 690 Thomas Avenue Rochester, NY 14617

Prior to the meeting, we encourage you to review the enclosed project information sheet. Additional materials, including preliminary roadway plans, are available online at: <u>https://www.monroecounty.gov/dot-construction</u>

Construction Schedule:

Construction is tentatively planned to begin in **Spring 2027**, with completion expected by **Fall 2027**. Please anticipate some traffic delays near the construction zones during working hours.

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Comments or Questions?

If you are unable to attend the open house but would like to submit comments or ask questions, please contact me by phone or email by **August 5, 2025**.:

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We appreciate your cooperation and look forward to your participation in helping to shape this important community project.

Sincerely,

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