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To: Mayor Jim Bowlin  
Wildwood City Council Members

From: Mike Hartwig, Assistant City Engineer  
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Re: Construction Project Updates

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Following is an update on all active City construction projects. The Departments of Public Works and Planning/Parks will be available for any questions at the May 9, 2016 City Council Meeting.

**Manchester Road Resurfacing & Bike Lanes:** This project will resurface Manchester Road from the Route 109 intersection to the western intersection with Route 100. The project will include some shoulder widening to provide two 11' driving lanes and two adjacent 5' shoulder/bike lanes. The contractor is scheduled to begin clearing and placing fill material in the widening areas in May, and will be placing asphalt base and surface mix during the months of June and July, when school is not in session and bus traffic is greatly reduced in the area. There will be no road closures or nighttime work on the project. The City's Contractor, N.B. West Contracting Company, will contact residents and businesses adjacent to Manchester Road prior to impacting their driveways and will arrange for continuous access to their property.

**Sinkhole on Melrose Road:** The contractor completed the repair work in the area and Melrose Road was re-opened on Friday, February 19. That section of Melrose Road will remain a gravel surface to allow any settlement that may occur to be monitored. Asphalt will be placed after the area is observed to be stable with no settlement.

**Community Park Access Road Extension:** The contractor has begun work to extend the Community Park Access Road to connect to the Pond-Grover Loop Road Extension west of Route 109. The contractor will continue grading of the new extension roadway over the next few months. The extension roadway is scheduled to be completed later this year.

**2016 Street Slab Replacements:** The contractor has almost completed slab replacement work in Westridge Oaks, Lake Chesterfield, and Timber Ridge Subdivisions and has begun work in Westglen Farms, Winding Trails, Winding Woods, and Highland Summit Subdivisions. They plan to continue

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working in these subdivisions over the next few weeks and also plan to begin work in Westhampton Woods Subdivision in the next few weeks.

**Caulks Creek Trunk Sewer Project by MSD:** The contractor for MSD has completed clearing of the sewer line sections along Strecker Road from south of Church Road to McBride Pointe and from south of Woodcliff Heights Drive to Clayton Road and will begin installing the sewer mains in the next few weeks. Clearing and work for the section along Strecker Road between McBride Pointe and south of Woodcliff Heights Drive will not begin until this fall. The contractor and MSD have been notifying affected property owners in the area and are planning a Neighborhood Construction Meeting on May 12, 2016 at City Hall.

**Forby Road and Alt Road Project in Eureka:** Utility relocation work began for this City of Eureka project in late January and will continue through May. Road construction work is expected to start after utility work is complete. Sections of Alt Road and Forby Road will be closed at times to complete the work, with the first closure of a section of Alt Road expected later this summer. Signed detour routes will be in place during closures and the City of Wildwood will be notified in advance of the closures as the scheduled dates are made available. Forby Road west of the Alt Road intersection will remain open and accessible at all times to at least one lane of traffic. This project is expected to be completed by the end of 2016.

**Manchester Road Great Streets Project:** The contractor will continue completion of the final planting work as weather allows.

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