

LCDU updates trustees on sewer projects

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MADISON TOWNSHIP - The trustees were updated on a couple of Lake County Department of Utilities projects in the Township at the June 9 trustees meeting.

Denis Yurkovich, deputy sanitary engineer with LCDU, explained the county was working on replacing aging infrastructure throughout the county.

The first project he addressed was the Maple/Lakeshore Waterline Project estimated to cost about \$500,000. It involves replacing about 2,500 feet of 6-inch pipe with 8-inch pipe on the west side of Maple and the north side of Lakeshore.

"The existing waterline will remain in service during construction," Yurkovich said. "There'll be short periods of shutdown when they make the crossover connection to the new waterline as well as when they make the actual physical connections to each resident along there."

The contract was awarded to CIR and should be completed about

the end of September.

The other LCDU item is the Sandgate, Stirling and Falkirk Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project.

Yurkovich said the project would be more complicated since most of the sewer lines were under the center of the narrow streets.

There will be some regular open cut trenching done in some areas.

The project includes replacing about 300 feet of 12-inch pipe and about 800 feet of 8-inch pipe.

About 2,500 feet will be done with a cured-in-place pipe method, which is actually a trenchless way to repair old or leaking pipes, by installing a liner in the current pipe.

S.E.T. Inc. was awarded the project and should be done by the end of September.

Additional construction projects in the Township are:

- Red Bird Road Phase 3 Project (OPWC - MT & LCEO)

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The road will be closed to all through traffic June 9 through Aug. 7.

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