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Progress continues on our Combined Sewer Separation (CSS) Project. The first stages are now complete which include First, Balsam, Alder, Second, Broadway and Railroad Streets along with Wabash Road. These areas are now operating on a separated sewer system as required by the Ohio EPA. We also completed some road widening and curbing work on Wabash Road to help control storm water and better allow the truck traffic to travel this area. We appreciate the patience and understanding shown by the residents and businesses in these areas over the past six months.

We now move on to the final stage of the project which consists of new sanitary and storm sewers on Boundary Street from N. Wayne Street all the way to Hull Brothers. Starting June 2nd there will be a detour for State Route 49 as the blocks between the IGA and Monument Park will be closed to traffic. This portion will likely take approximately 4-5 weeks to complete and will be reopened prior to any work that would occur on State Route 119 between the "point" and Hull Bros. We will do our best to keep the IGA accessible but accessing the IGA and the post office may require you to travel down Broadway and St. Clair Streets for a period of time. We will also try to accommodate those residents that live in this area as best we can. Again we will appreciate patience and understanding during the construction.

As always we ask that you obey the traffic signs and not drive through closed areas for everyone's safety!

I also want to report that the maintenance crew (Mitch, Paul & Ryan) have been working hard to complete the required repairs to the swimming pool. Unfortunately the leaks did not appear until the pool was completely filled and the pumps were running which has caused us a delay in opening. If all goes well we are targeting Thursday, May 29th as our opening day for the pool. Check our Facebook page for any updates.

I will do my best to provide weekly updates, pass on information, remind everyone of upcoming events and address concerns that affect the residents or businesses of Fort Recovery. Thanks for your continued support of the Fort Recovery community.

Randy Diller, Village Administrator