



Illinois Department of Transportation

Office of Highways Project Implementation / Region 1 / District 1
201 West Center Court / Schaumburg, Illinois 60196-1096

Bureau of Design
Prefinal Plans
Route: FAP 344- IL 83 (Kingery Hwy)
Limits: At Chicago Ave.
Section: 2019-0161-BR
Contract No.: 62J38
County: DuPage

November 8, 2019

The Honorable Thomas Cauley, Jr.
Village President
Village Hinsdale
19 East Chicago Ave.
Hinsdale, IL 60521

Dear President Thomas Cauley, Jr.:

Enclosed for your information and review is one set of prefinal plans and special provisions for the Bridge Repair at the structure carrying Chicago Ave. over IL 83 (Kingery Hwy) within the Village of Hinsdale, Downers Grove Township.

The general scope of work for this improvement includes bridge repairs, joint repair, latex overlay, and all incidental and collateral work necessary to complete the project as shown on the plans and described herein. The contract is expected to commence in the summer of 2020 to accommodate the school summer holiday break. This contract will require an estimated of 14 calendar days to complete the scope of work.

Additionally, due to the bridge width constraints, this improvement will require the full closure of the bridge with a detour. During the time of construction, the traffic will be detoured around Chicago Ave. using municipal and state roads. Per the attached detour plans, traffic on Chicago Ave. will be routed using: Cass Ave., Ogden Ave., and Madison St.

This improvement is included in the Department's FY 2020-2025 Proposed Highway Improvement Program. Our current engineering efforts are targeted to enable a contract letting in the early years of our current multi-year program contingent upon plan readiness and funding availability through our future annual legislative appropriations. Please provide comments by **December 3rd, 2019**.