



## Stateside Drive Sidewalk Project

### Anticipated Construction Start - Week of August 19

#### PURPOSE

Montgomery County Department of Transportation (MCDOT) is installing sidewalk on the north and south sides of **Stateside Drive** from **Avenel Road** to **Stateside Court**.

Please see the project map located on the reverse side of this newsletter.

#### BACKGROUND

The Safe Routes to School (SRTS) Program is administered by MCDOT Division of Traffic Engineering and Operations (DTEO). The proposed Stateside Drive sidewalk was presented to impacted and neighboring residents on or about February 6, 2023, and was the subject of a Public Hearing on March 8, 2023. Based on community concerns, the sidewalk design was revised and presented to impacted residents on or about April 4 and November 14, 2023. On June 7, 2023, the recommendations for the sidewalk installation were approved by Director of MCDOT Christopher Conklin.



#### SCOPE OF PROJECT

A 5-foot wide concrete sidewalk with a variable 0 to 3 foot wide buffer will be constructed on the north and south sides of **Stateside Drive**. The sidewalk material used may vary to avoid construction impacts to tree root systems.

#### SCHEDULE

This project is tentatively scheduled to begin the final week of September 2023. The project duration is anticipated to be two to three weeks. Work hours will be between 7am and 5pm, Monday through Friday.

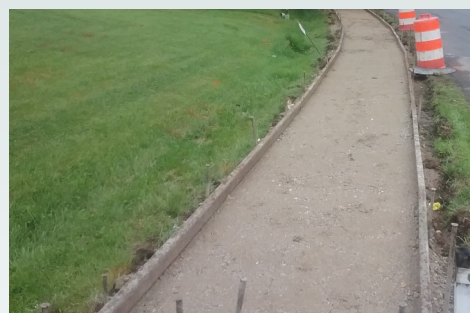
#### PROJECT WORK PLAN

The work plan will proceed as follows: **Tree Removal:** The trees that are slated for removal will be removed tentatively beginning September 25, 2023. Construction may take place simultaneously. No parking signs will be placed around the subject trees prior to removing.



#### Markings in Right of Way & No Parking:

**Signs:** Sidewalk locations will be marked out in white paint in the public right of way. "No Parking" signs will be installed along the limits of sidewalk installation.



#### Excavation for Setting of Sidewalk Forms:

The excavation will begin for sidewalk construction and the placement of concrete forms for the pouring of concrete sidewalk, lead-walks and driveway aprons, if applicable.

**Pouring and Curing Concrete:** Concrete will be poured using a mixture truck and should cure in 24 to 48 hours. Once the concrete has cured, forms will be removed and topsoil, seed and straw will be backfilled to meet with existing grade.

**Sealant:** Sealant will be applied to the new sidewalk and driveway aprons to preserve and protect the concrete from harsh winter chemicals.

#### BEFORE:



#### AFTER:



Access to residences will be available, however minor delays may be experienced.

We apologize in advance for any unavoidable inconvenience and thank you for your cooperation and patience as we work to improve the County infrastructure for residents and users.

**IF VEHICLE IS TOWED, PLEASE CONTACT THE POLICE NON-EMERGENCY NUMBER: (301-279-8000).**

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# NOTICE OF SIDEWALK INSTALLATION STATESIDE DRIVE

## SAFETY NOTICE

Please stay alert, drive slowly through the work site and kindly remember that while installation work is underway, construction personnel and construction vehicles will be moving around the site. Some materials may be stored in the neighborhood while the sidewalks are being installed. Please use caution when walking or driving through the construction zone. Children may be attracted to the noise and machinery, so please keep all children under close supervision at all times, even after the work is completed for the day. Also, please follow the direction of flaggers, temporary signs and other traffic control devices. We appreciate your patience and cooperation. **If, for some reason, you have a medical condition that could be potentially impacted by the construction activities, please alert the below-listed inspector.**

## SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL PROGRAM

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Should your questions be of a more general nature, please contact: [TrafficOps@montgomerycountymd.gov](mailto:TrafficOps@montgomerycountymd.gov) or the MC311 Call Center by dialing 311 or 240-777-0311.

## SRTS Sidewalk Proposal Webpage:

<https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/DOT-PedSafety/SRTS/SidewalkProposals/joannleleckES.html>

