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Re: Comments Requested - Trumbull County Traffic Signal Project
Project No. TRU-Signal-Upgrades, PID 122870

Dear Neighbor or Interested Party,

Trumbull County Engineer, David DeChristofaro, in cooperation with the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT), proposes to replace or remove the existing traffic signals at twelve (12) intersections along various routes in Howland, Bazetta, Warren, Brookfield and Weathersfield Townships, Trumbull County. At six (6) intersections, the proposed project will replace existing traffic signals with new signals, improve signal phasing and implement other minor improvements. At the remaining six (6) intersections, the unwarranted signals will be completely removed and will become 4-way stop controlled intersections. Project area location maps can be viewed on the reverse side of this page, including notations regarding which unwarranted signals will be removed.

Existing signals will be replaced with new signals at the following six (6) intersections:

1. Warren-Sharon Road and Bedford Road SE
2. N River Road and N Park Ave
3. N River Road and Larchmont Ave NE
4. Salt Springs Road and Niles Carver Road
5. Salt Springs Road and W Liberty Street
6. Salt Springs Road and Ohio Machinery Boulevard (Petro Travel Center drive entrance)

Existing unwarranted signals will be removed and will become 4-way stop controlled at the following six (6) intersections:

1. Warren-Sharon Road and Yankee Run Road/Brookfield Ave
2. Larchmont Ave NE and the eastbound State Route 5 entrance/exit ramp
3. Larchmont Ave NE and the westbound State Route 5 entrance/exit ramp
4. Larchmont Ave NE and the 7 17 Credit Union drive entrance
5. N River Road NE and the Aptiv parking lot drive entrance
6. Salt Springs Road and the Petro Travel Center truck lot drive entrance

Following the conclusion of this comment period, three (3) of the unwarranted signals will be placed on flash-mode. These include:

- Larchmont Ave NE and the eastbound State Route 5 entrance/exit ramp
- Larchmont Ave NE and the westbound State Route 5 entrance/exit ramp
- Larchmont Ave NE and the 7 17 Credit Union drive entrance

Construction for this \$1,500,000 project is anticipated to begin in the summer of 2027 and will be completed in the fall of 2028. Road closures and detours are not proposed to construct the project. During project construction, a minimum of one lane of traffic in each direction shall be maintained at all times, however, temporary lane restrictions and/or short-term stoppages may be necessary.

All necessary signage will be posted within the project construction limits and all intersecting side roads. Access to all adjacent properties will be maintained throughout construction.

Environmental studies are ongoing, however, no impacts are anticipated. No permanent and/or temporary right-of-way is expected to be needed to construct this project. Utility impacts are anticipated and will be coordinated during plan development.

As part of the environmental process for the project, Trumbull County Engineer, David DeChristofaro, is seeking any comments the public may have regarding the proposed project. Project-related issues the public may wish to comment on include, but are not limited to, the effect of the project on residents, the local economy, historic or cultural resources, etc.

Information about upcoming Trumbull County projects, including this project, can be found on the Trumbull County Engineer's website at www.co.trumbull.oh.us/engineer/eng_up.html

We sincerely appreciate your cooperation and assistance so this worthwhile project can be completed at the earliest possible date. A comment sheet is enclosed for you to provide any comments or concerns you may have regarding the proposed project. Please submit your comments to Mr. Gary W. Shaffer, P.E. by April 1, 2026, using the information below.

Mail:

Email:

Phone:

Trumbull County Engineer's Office
Attn: Gary W. Shaffer, P.E.,
650 North River Road N.W.
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Sincerely,

David DeChristofaro, P.E., P.S.
Trumbull County Engineer



Gary W. Shaffer, P.E.
Deputy Engineer

Attachment: Comment Form & Graphic

COMMENT FORM

Trumbull County Traffic Signal Upgrades Project ID 122870

Submitter Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Email Address: _____
Organization: _____
Organization Address: _____

**Contact information is not required but will ensure you are included in the response to comments and will allow us to contact you if additional information is needed.*

How did you hear about the project? (Please select all that apply):

- Newspaper/Notice Mailed Letter Word-of-Mouth
 Website Social Media Email Other _____

What is your interest in the proposed project? (Please select all that apply)

- I own or rent property near the project
 I work near the project
 I frequently drive through this area
 Other (Please describe) _____

General Comments (If more space is needed, please attach additional sheets):

Comments may be submitted to Mr. Gary W. Shaffer, P.E.:

- By email at hwshaffe@co.trumbull.oh.us
- By telephone at 330-675-2640
- By mail (Please see mailing address on the next page)

We appreciate your interest and value your input.

Please provide all comments by April 1, 2026



Fold and tape to mail. No envelope needed.

Thank you!



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