

## Old Halls Ferry Project

At the annual meeting that was held last Saturday Sept. 26, 2026, we discussed the OHF project that is proposed by St. Louis County. This project will directly impact the Villages of Barrington Downs and you as a homeowner. We took a straw poll at the meeting, but it was questioned if the poll we took would be the voice of the entire subdivision.

St. Louis County has held several meetings regarding this subject, and mailers were sent to solicit the thoughts of the people who live in this area. We are sending this notice to try one more time to get your thoughts on this subject. I will try to summarize the project in layman's terms:

Proposal Project will repair and resurface the pavement and sidewalks along OHF. Bicycle lanes will be created by reducing the travel lanes from 4 lanes to 2 lanes with medians and dedicated left turn lanes. This project will upgrade signals along the entire corridor as well. Smart technology will be installed at traffic signals, to enhance emergency vehicle response times.

### Pros from the county perspective:

- Will reduce speeding along our stretch of OHF

- Will give better visualization of cars in both direction by allowing cars to enter further into the intersection by using the bike lane.

- The county will resurface OHF along that stretch with asphalt including new curbs improving the driving and appearances of OHF.

### Cons from homeowners attending the meeting that was held:

- There are not a lot of bikers in this area to warrant this project.

- The asphalt will not hold up very long and will look bad in a couple of years.

- Cars will use the bike lane to go around cars who are driving the speed limit harming bikers who are in that lane.

There were other opinions both for and against this project, but our Council Woman, Shalonda Webb wants to hear from you one more time. Therefore, we are sending this information requesting your opinion one more time. Please research this project proposal by going to

<https://stlouiscountymo.gov/st-louis-county-departments/transportation-and-public-works/active-construction/old-halls-ferry-ar-1899/>

After doing your research, please complete the following questionnaire and respond via email to [barringtonclubhousemgr@yahoo.com](mailto:barringtonclubhousemgr@yahoo.com) OR drop off the attached questionnaire to the clubhouse by folding and putting it in the box by the door. Each homeowner is encouraged to complete this form.

St. Louis County OHF project opinion.

- YES, my vote is yes to this proposed project by St. Louis County.
- NO, my vote is no to this proposed project by St. Louis County.

Signed by \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Village \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

**Please complete this and email it to our office or you can just email our office with your thoughts, reference this email and say yes or no with your name, address and village indicated OR drop off your response at the office (clubhouse in box by the door, or give to staff if the office is open) by **Monday OCT.12, 2026****