

# **Questions, Comments, and Information**

Written comments and opinions may be submitted during the Public Meeting or mailed to the Village of Tinley Park, postmarked by February 19, 2019, in order to become a part of the official Public Meeting Record.

Correspondence should be addressed to:

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After today's Public Meeting, questions regarding the project can be submitted in writing to the address above, or direct to Mr. Zemaitis at the Village by calling 708-444-5500.





### 175th Street

Oak Park Avenue to Ridgeland Avenue

## **Ridgeland Avenue**

175th Street to Oak Forest Avenue

Public Meeting for Proposed Improvements to:

175<sup>th</sup> Street: Oak Park Avenue to Ridgeland Avenue and Ridgeland Avenue: 175<sup>th</sup> Street to Oak Forest Avenue

Tuesday, Feb 5, 2019 4 pm -7 pm

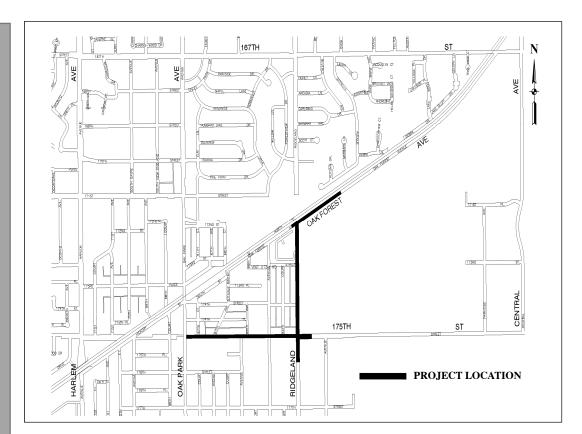
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## Welcome

The Village of Tinley Park welcomes you to this Public Meeting for the proposed improvements to 175th Street from Oak Park Avenue to Ridgeland Avenue and Ridgeland Avenue from 175th Street to Oak Forest Avenue in the Village of Tinley Park, IL

The project is being planned and designed in coordination with the Cook County Department of Transportation and Highways (CCDTH). We invite you to inspect the project exhibits on display at the meeting and visit with the personnel from the Village, CCDTH and the project consultant.





Your comments and opinions are important, and you are encouraged to provide them in writing or orally while in attendance. Written questions or comments should be directed to the Village and placed in the comment box, emailed or mailed to the address shown on the last page of this brochure. In order for your correspondence to become a part of the official record of this public meeting, it should be postmarked by February 19, 2019.



# **Purpose of Meeting**

#### To present:

- Proposed improvements along 175<sup>th</sup> Street from Oak Park Avenue to Ridgeland Avenue and Ridgeland Avenue from 175<sup>th</sup> Street to Oak Forest Avenue
- · The project schedule

### To obtain from the public:

- Comments
- Concerns
- Suggestions

# **Project Goals**

- Improve traffic flow
- Enhance traffic safety
- Improve the condition of the roadway pavement
- Improve the drainage system along the roadway
- Enhance pedestrian and bicycle accommodations

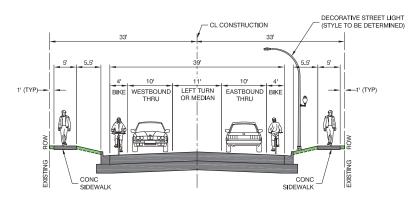
# **Scope of Work**

- Reconstruct and widen 175<sup>th</sup> Street and Ridgeland Avenue to provide a three-lane road (one lane in each direction with a center lane for left turns)
- Elimination of the roadway shoulder and ditches
- Installation of new curb and gutter
- New storm sewer drainage system
- Construct new water main and sanitary sewer force main
- Provide improved pedestrian and bicycle facilities via sidewalks on 175th Street and Ridgeland Avenue, onstreet bike lanes along 175th Street west of Ridgeland Avenue, off-street multi-use path along Ridgeland Avenue
- Installation of a permanent traffic signal at 175th Street and Oak Park Avenue; maintain stop signs at 175th Street and Ridgeland Avenue intersection

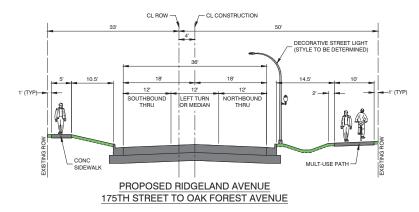
## **Other Features**

- Decorative street lighting will be installed along project corridor
- Right-of-Way will be acquired at 175<sup>th</sup> Street's intersections with Oak Park Avenue and Ridgeland Avenue, and at the intersection of Ridgeland Avenue and Oak Forest Avenue for the purpose of intersection widening
- Temporary easements will be needed at various locations for driveway apron replacements and sidewalk replacement

# **Cross Sections**



PROPOSED 175TH STREET
OAK PARK AVENUE TO RIDGELAND AVENUE



# **Project Schedule**

PHASE I: (2017-2019)

PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING & ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

PHASE II: (2019-2020)

FINAL DESIGN & LAND ACQUISITION

PHASE III: (18-24 MONTHS)

CONSTRUCTION — PENDING FUNDING AVAILABILITY

This schedule is dependent upon project readiness (preparation of detailed contract plans) and the availability and obligation of construction funds.

Maintenance and jurisdiction of 175<sup>th</sup> Street and Ridgeland Avenue will be transferred to the Village of Tinley Park after construction is complete.

# **Construction Highlights**

The improvements will be completed with stage construction, keeping one lane of traffic open at all times. 175<sup>th</sup> Street will be maintained eastbound, while Ridgeland Avenue will be maintained northbound during construction. Driveway access to the numerous residences and commercial entrances shall be maintained during the duration of construction.

Recommended Detour During Construction:

- 1. Oak Park Avenue from 175th Street to 167th Street
- 2. 167<sup>th</sup> Street from Oak Park Avenue to Central Avenue
- Central Avenue from 167th Street to 175th Street