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PORTION OF WESTWOOD DRIVE REOPENS TO TWO-WAY TRAFFIC MARCH 4, CONSTRUCTION TO CONTINUE



ST. CHARLES COUNTY, MO – The St. Charles County Highway Department reopened a portion of eastbound Westwood Drive to two-way traffic today, Wednesday, March 4, 2020, following construction of new pavement, enclosed drainage, curb and gutter, and sidewalks. The area, which has been restricted to one-way traffic since August 2019, is between South Breeze Lane and Motherhead Road. The Highway Department is using changeable message boards along the roadway to notify motorists about the reopening.

While two-way traffic has been restored, additional construction work along this portion of Westwood Drive will continue until May 2020. Motorists are advised to use caution while driving through the area.

This road project is part of a continuing effort by St. Charles County Government to improve the County's road system for the safety of the travelling public. For more information about road projects underway in unincorporated St. Charles County, please call the Highway Department at 636-949-7305 or visit sccmo.org/Road-Projects.

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About St. Charles County:

Founded in 1812, St. Charles County is one of the fastest growing counties in Missouri, and the state's third largest county in both population and economic share. It is home to 15 scenic county parks encompassing more than 3,643 acres with additional land under development and more in reserve for future development.

With a population of 395,504, St Charles County is home to large employers including General Motors, Citi, MasterCard Worldwide and Boeing. It is ranked among the top 25 counties in the nation in high-tech job growth by the Progressive Policy Institute and consistently has the lowest unemployment rate in the Metropolitan St. Louis area.

St. Charles County Government employs nearly 1,100 in more than 30 departments and offices, who work to make the county an excellent place to live, work and shop. For more information, please visit sccmo.org.