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Subject: 2024 South Forestview Area Improvements - Project Update – November 1, 2024

Residents and Project Stakeholders:

The contractor began clean-up and punch list work at various locations throughout the project area.

Project Schedule/ Upcoming Work:

The Contractor's tentative schedule for upcoming work includes:

• The contractor will have staff on site within the coming weeks to continue project clean up.

Irrigation or other Miscellaneous Repairs:

Please contact Shane Murphy (<u>smurphy@sehinc.com</u> or 612.226.7984) to discuss any outstanding miscellaneous action items such as irrigation repair, mailbox work, or other general items that may need attention at your property.

Sod/Seeding Repairs:

The contractor will continue turf restoration next spring. This will include additional topsoil along roadway shoulders and repairs or touch up sod/seeding next spring.

Sewer and Water Service Connections:

The contractor has completed installation and testing of necessary components at each sanitary sewer lift station in the South Forestview neighborhood. All water distribution systems throughout the project area have been inspected and tested as well. At this time, residents may begin to connect to the City water and sewer systems. If you have any questions or concerns regarding sewer and water connections, please contact City of Baxter staff listed below:

Luke Evans Engineering Inspector 218-454-5176 levans@baxtermn.gov

Trevor Thompson Assistant City Engineer 218-454-5179 tthompson@baxtermn.gov

Water Ponding in Ditches:

Water accumulation in ditch bottoms is a normal condition following rain events, especially in areas of newly placed sod or seed. As turf restoration continues and roots extend into the soil, the duration of ponding in ditch bottoms will begin to decrease. We appreciate your patience and understanding while root development takes place. If you have any additional questions or concerns regarding storm water storage, please contact Shane Murphy at 612.226.7984 or smurphy@sehinc.com

Project Website:

Please note the link below, which includes the information about the project.

Link: https://www.sehinc.com/baxter2024southforestview

Please reach out to me if you have questions related to the project.

Regards,

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