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Birmingham to Hold Public Information Session regarding South Old Woodward Reconstruction Project Monday, February 21, 2022 from 5:30 p.m. – 7 p.m.

BIRMINGHAM, MI, February 8, 2022 – The City of Birmingham will hold a Public Information Session regarding the South Old Woodward Reconstruction Phase 3 Project on Monday, February 21 from 5:30 p.m. – 7 p.m. The meeting will take place in the City Commission room at City Hall, located at 151 Martin Street. Residents and businesses are encouraged to attend and learn about the project, scheduled to begin this spring.

The community may attend the information session virtually or in person following COVID-19 protocols. Topics on the agenda include: project team introductions, project overview, maintaining traffic/access during construction, Birmingham Shopping District construction initiatives, and special assessments.



The South Old Woodward Reconstruction Phase 3 project will result in new underground infrastructure, streetscape and more between Brown and Landon. The project is the third phase in downtown infrastructure improvements and is a continuation of the work completed in 2018 on other areas along Old Woodward, and in 2020 on Maple. Design features will include:

- Curb bumpouts at each intersection to improve crosswalks for pedestrians, mid-block crosswalks, raised planter beds and landscape features.
- Enhancements such as: exposed aggregate concrete, granite bench seating areas and new streetlights.
- Improved on-street accessible parking spaces, each served with an individual sidewalk ramp to improve conditions for those needing accommodations.

Residents and businesses are encouraged to sign up for the South Old Woodward Reconstruction Phase 3 Constant Contact group at bit.ly/bhamnews to receive updates throughout the project. For detailed information about the project, including the Zoom link for the February 21 information session, visit www.bhamgov.org/oldwoodwardphase3.