

May 2, 2011

**BAXTER ROAD**  
**SAINT LOUIS COUNTY PROJECT NO. AR-856**

**PROJECT UPDATE LETTER**

**OVERALL STATUS:**

General Contractor: Pace Construction Company

Total Cost: \$5,200,980.00

Approximate Completion: 0.6%

Anticipated Completion: Based on the contractor's schedule, all lanes of traffic are anticipated to be completed by late fall 2012 with final project completion by December 2012. Extended periods of adverse weather may delay project completion.

**WORK PERFORMED THROUGH APRIL:**

**UTILITIES:**

- Laclede Gas Company relocated the 8" main from Manor Creek Drive to Royalbrook Drive, the 4" main at the southwest corner of Isleview Drive and bored and relocated the 2" main and service lines at Chateau Village Drive.
- AmerenUE set utility poles and transferred overhead lines throughout the majority of the project. They worked on underground facilities north of Claymont Estates Drive and removed some abandoned utility poles.
- AT&T bored new cable along the side streets at Country Ridge Drive to bypass the Baxter Road-Country Ridge Drive intersection. AT&T also bored new cable from Isleview Drive to 2271 Baxter.
- Missouri-American Water Company poured thrust blocks on their 20" main across from Royalbrook Drive and Chateau Village Drive, relocated the 8" main at Royalbrook Drive, relocated fire hydrants at 2010 and 2040 Baxter Road and started their relocation of the 6" main at Chateau Village Drive.

**CONTRACTOR:**

- Subcontractor continued with clearing operations on the project with emphasis on the necessary clearing required for the utility relocation work.
- Set up the project trailer and prepared materials and equipment storage area for the project.

**WORK ANTICIPATED THROUGH MAY:**

**UTILITIES:**

- Laclede Gas Company will continue with relocations at the northeast corner of Isleview Drive and on Baxter Road between Claymont Estates Drive and Royalbrook Drive.
- AmerenUE will remove abandoned utility poles after Charter has transferred their cable to new poles.
- Charter Communications will transfer their overhead lines to new utility poles.
- AT&T will bore new cable under the proposed box culvert between Country Manor Creek and Isleview Drive and begin splicing connections for new cable throughout the project.
- Missouri-American Water Company will finish relocating 6" main at Chateau Village Drive, cap a portion of their 6" water main on Country Ridge Drive, and complete investigative work by Country Field Drive.

**CONTRACTOR:**

- Contractor will start grading and construction of the Phase 1 Detour, east side of roadway from Country Ridge Drive to Summer Ridge Drive.
- Subcontractor will continue with clearing operations as needed.
- Subcontractor will start work on new storm sewer installations.
- Subcontractor will start water service relocations at Country Ridge Drive and Chateau Village Drive.

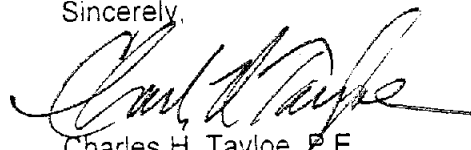
**NEXT UPDATE:**

Early June 2011

This letter is posted on the Saint Louis County Highway Construction Website under Project Status Letters <http://www.stlouisco.com/YourGovernment/CountyDepartments/HighwaysandTraffic/Construction/ConstructionProjectStatus>, and will be revised monthly.

If you have any questions about the project, please call David Wrone, the Department's Public Information Coordinator, at 314-615-8173.

Sincerely,



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