

INTRODUCTION

Good news! The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) and Village of Mount Prospect will soon begin construction of the Rand-Central-Mount Prospect (RCMP) Intersection Improvements Project. It is well known that the RCMP triangle experiences blocked intersections and poor vehicle progression on a daily basis. This project is intended to address these concerns and improve the transportation system for motorists, pedestrians, bicyclists, transit riders, nearby businesses, and the community.

In 2017 the Village began the process of evaluating various alternatives, developing plans, and securing funding to improve the intersection. In 2019 the Village applied for Congestion Mitigation & Air Quality (CMAQ) funding and Invest in Cook (IIC) funding. A Federal Grant of \$7.169 million was awarded to the Village for the RCMP project, which will cost \$8.961 million in total. The Village's share of the amount is \$1.792 million.

The project consists of modernizing the three signalized intersections, installing a new traffic signal at the entrance to the Mt. Prospect Plaza entrance on Central Road, and improving the signalized intersection at the west Walmart entrance on Rand Road. In addition to the traffic signal work, there will be roadway widening, new sidewalk and crosswalks, a new bike path along Rand Road, and improved roadway lighting. Rand Road, Central Road, and Mount Prospect Road will also be resurfaced with new asphalt at the end of the project.

SCHEDULE

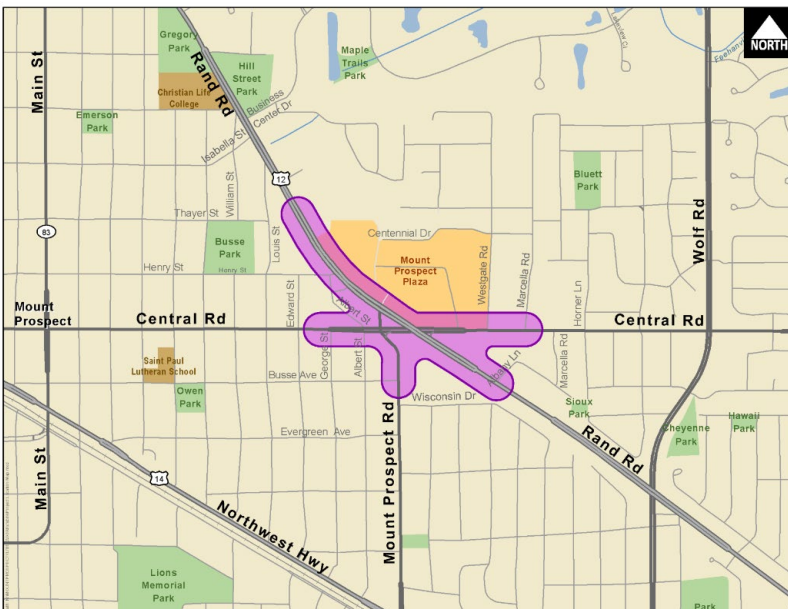
IDOT has awarded a construction contract to Alliance Contractors, Inc. of Woodstock, Illinois. Utility companies have been working since last fall to relocate their facilities and temporary traffic signals will be installed in March. Soon after, should weather permit, the contractor will begin construction. Most work will be accomplished in 2023; however, it is anticipated that the project will not be fully complete until the spring/summer of 2024.

As the project progresses motorists can expect daily lane closures and delays. We will work with the contractor to minimize the inconveniences created by the project and appreciate your patience.

PROJECT INFORMATION

Additional information on the project can be found on the Village website at www.mountprospect.org/RCMP. The website includes construction plans, a schedule of upcoming work, contact information, and a history of the project.

PROJECT LOCATION MAP



STAY INFORMED

In addition to the checking out the website, there are numerous ways to get project updates delivered straight to you:

1. Sign up for the project-specific email newsletter at www.mountprospect.org/notifications
 - a. Select Rand-Central-Mount Prospect Project Updates under "E-newsletter Mailing Lists."
 - b. Note that e-newsletters will be sent when there are updates to be provided.
2. Follow Public Works on social media at facebook.com/MountProspectPW (@MountProspectPW) and twitter.com/MountProspectPW (@MountProspectPW).
 - a. Updates will be posted periodically on social media pages.

QUESTIONS DURING CONSTRUCTION?

Please visit the project website page for updated information throughout the project or sign up for one of the communications methods listed above. Should you have additional questions, please contact us.

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