

INTRODUCTION

The Village of Mount Prospect will soon begin construction of the IL 83 (Main Street) and Busse Avenue Crosswalk Project in downtown Mount Prospect. This project will provide a modern crossing with a median island for pedestrians across IL 83 (Main Street), improving circulation in the downtown area and increasing safety. As part of these improvements, IDOT requires the left turn from southbound IL 83 (Main Street) onto eastbound Busse Avenue to be removed. Additionally, westbound Busse Avenue at IL 83 (Main Street) will be a right turn only. This crosswalk will be similar in design to the crosswalk at Central Road and Emerson Street.

SCHEDULE

The Village has awarded a construction contract to Alliance Contractors of Woodstock, Illinois. Construction is scheduled to begin the end of June 2024 and should be substantially complete in August 2024 with final completion in January 2025, weather permitting. The Contractor will complete the pedestrian island and sidewalk improvements first. Overhead sign installation will be one of the last items due to long lead times to fabricate and deliver the signs and posts.

TRAFFIC CONTROL AND PROPERTY ACCESS:

Two-way traffic will be maintained at all times on IL 83 (Main Street). Busse Avenue may have intermittent closures as required for construction, including restricting left turns. Portions of the sidewalk along both sides of IL 83 (Main Street) near Busse Avenue will need to be temporarily closed when brickwork is being done. However, we will ensure that pedestrians will always have access to businesses within the area.

At the completion of the project, left turns will be prohibited from southbound IL 83 (Main Street) onto eastbound Busse Avenue. Motorists are encouraged to turn left from southbound IL 83 (Main Street) onto eastbound Central Road and right onto Emerson Street as an alternate route to downtown Mount Prospect.

QUESTIONS DURING CONSTRUCTION?

Please visit the project web page for updated information throughout the project. It can be found at www.mountprospect.org under Departments, Public Works, Village Infrastructure Projects, Pedestrian Improvement Projects, Main Street (IL 83) & Busse Avenue. You can also scan the QR Code below. Should you have additional questions, please contact us.

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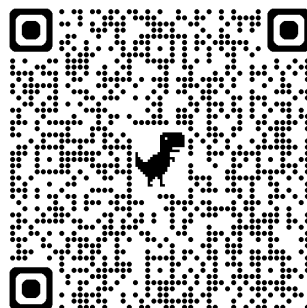
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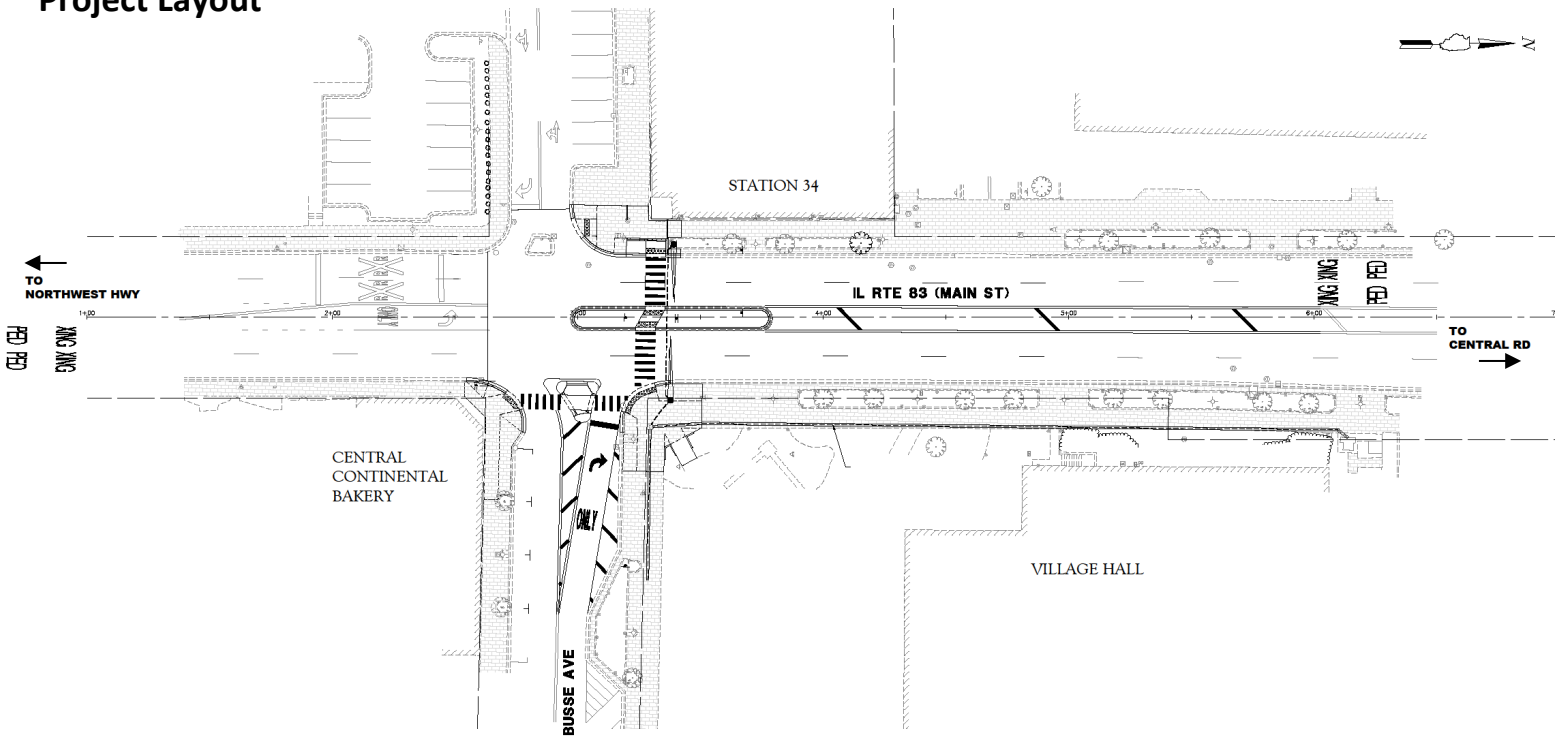
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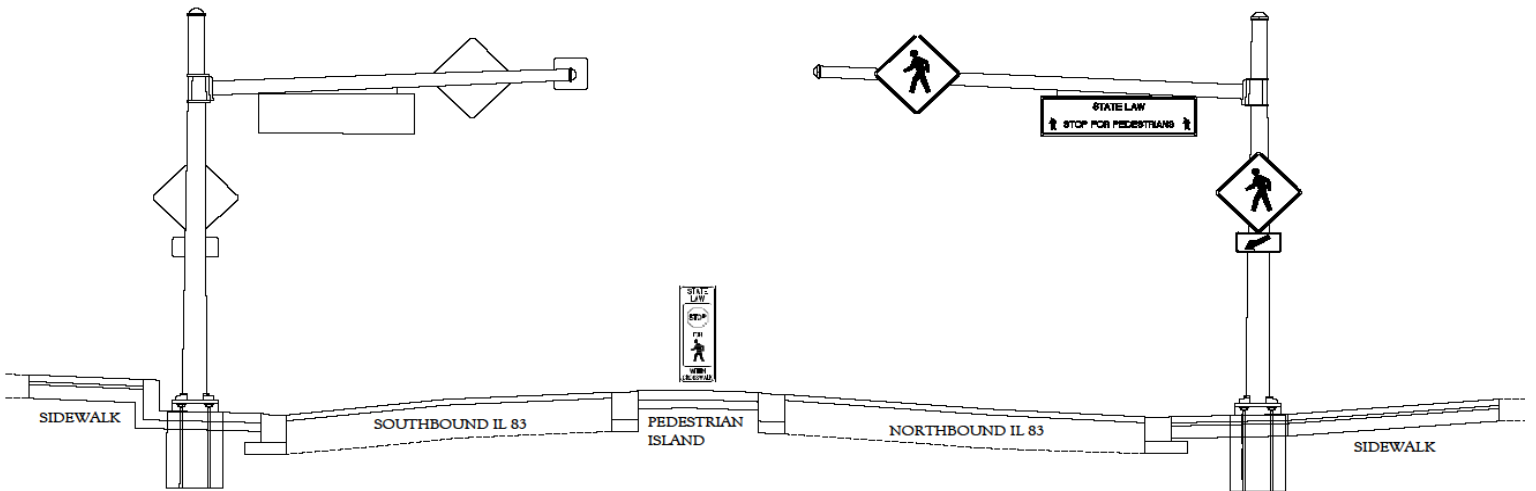
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Project Layout



Typical Section at Crosswalk



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