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The purpose of this note, and the many that will follow, is to provide you with recent and immediate future activity concerning the Second Street TIGER grant project.

- We have had several meetings with the Frankfort Independent Schools' Superintendent and Board to present and discuss the project's impacts on Second Street School property.
- The following have been submitted to the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet (KYTC) for their review and approval: Archaeological Resource Survey Report, Phase I Environmental Site Assessment, Socioeconomic Baseline Study, and the KYTC Categorical Exclusion Checklist.
- The major first phase of the Frankfort Electric and Water Plant Board's (FEWPB) waterline project on East Main Street has been completed. The Frankfort Sewer Department (FSD) has started its sanitary sewer line project on East Main Street between Glenn's Creek Road and East Broadway.
- The Strand Associates has completed and submitted the project's preliminary design including roadway, storm water, and sanitary sewer infrastructure. The preliminary line and grade plans have been provided to KYTC for review and comment. A project team meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday, August 13th to address KYTC's comments.
- At this point in time, we anticipate presenting the preliminary design and environmental document to the Frankfort City Commission during the August 26th regular meeting. The City Commission will be asked to approve the preliminary design so that final design may begin.
- The project schedule (see attached), which is part of the TIGER grant agreement, shows the preliminary engineering design and the environmental document being approved by August 1, 2019. Due to a later than scheduled Notice To Proceed being issued to Strand Associates and a few minor challenges during this phase of the project, the current anticipated date for gaining these approvals is August 26, 2019. Final project design will begin shortly after these approvals. As with any project of this scope and complexity, there are sometimes competing factors affecting the design and implementation. It is our goal to find a reasonable balance between these competing factors.
- We continue to develop a project stakeholder list with contact information so that we may keep interested parties informed of project status. We are also developing a separate property owner list with contact information.

For those of you who did not receive the previous update note, attached for your information is a project map and the overall project schedule. Please understand that the attached project schedule is the schedule included in the USDOT/KYTC and KYTC/City TIGER grant agreements. As with many complex and lengthy projects such as the Second Street TIGER grant project, there are numerous factors that may alter the schedule as the project progresses. It is the City's expressed intent to follow the attached schedule as closely as possible.

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