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**MEMO**

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**To:** Residents of Randolph

**From:** Eric Grenier, EIT, HEB Engineers

**Re:** **Randolph Hill Road Reconstruction**

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**RANDOLPH HILL ROAD RECONSTRUCTION  
UPDATE #1 - 06/08/2011**

Good Afternoon Folks,

As most of you may know or have seen, construction is in full swing! A lot of progress was made during the first week of construction. The Contractor, Nelson Communication Services, Inc. has hit a milestone, so I figured this was a perfect time for the first update.

As of 06/07/2011, the road has been fully reclaimed from Route 2 to High Acres Road. If anyone had the chance to see the reclaim process, you would notice that it is quite the machinery! The reclaim will provide a stable and maintainable temporary road surface for the duration of the project. Some large boulders near the surface have been removed. It is especially pleasing that the canyon left from the washed out culvert near the corner has been repaired. I traverse this road numerous times a day, so I am glad this has been fixed, as I am sure you all are too!

Tree clearing has also progressed. A.D. Davis began clearing trees near High Acres Road and progressed toward Route 2. Most of the marked trees have been cut up to Route 2. A swath of trees still need to be cut on the Dunham, Lee and Stever properties. The Contractor plans to survey the extent of construction in these areas to pin down the extents of tree clearing. A.D. Davis will be back onsite to finish clearing trees once the survey is complete.

Several drainage basins near High Acres Road have been installed to date. These will help provide better drainage for the new road. In your travels, please be aware that these drainage basins are located near the edge of the road. They have been surrounded by cones, barrels, and caution tape.

Two construction trailers have been setup on Nekal Lane, which will be there for the duration of the project. Small materials may be stored here, and two-way traffic on Nekal Lane will be open most of the time. I can usually be found in the first trailer on Nekal Lane, or out observing construction progress.

The Contractor plans to continue installing drainage improvements, starting near High Acres Road and progressing toward Route 2. Relocation of the mailboxes is also anticipated in the next few days. As noted in the recent public meeting (5/26/2011), Nekal Lane and the corner of High Acres Road will be the temporary location for mailboxes.

There are a few items that I would like to address and wish to receive feedback. At the May 26, 2011 public meeting, we mentioned installing conduits under the road surface for future underground utility service. A separate agreement will need to be made between the landowner and the Contractor. At this time, I have only two (2) residents (Eisenberg and Wier) who would like these conduits installed. If any additional residents would like these conduits installed, please contact me as soon as possible. The Contractor will be doing this work in the near future. Additionally, the Contractor approached me

today looking for places to dispose of excess fill. If any residents would like some fill, please contact me and I will coordinate with the Contractor. Please note that dump trucks will deliver fill, and possibly damage grass areas.

Please remember to address all questions and concerns directly to me. I will then coordinate with the Contractor as necessary. I can be reached by phone at (603) 723-4693, by email [egrenier@hebengineers.com](mailto:egrenier@hebengineers.com), or by finding me in the construction trailer or somewhere onsite. Plans are available for public viewing on the Town of Randolph website or in the job trailer, if you wish to follow the construction progress.

At this time, I would like to give kudos to the Contractor, Nelson Communication Services, Inc. The Contractor was able to provide one-way traffic nearly at all times during the reclaiming process, which minimized traffic impacts. Additionally, the Contractor, who is based in Conway, NH, has hired **LOCAL** help for this project. A.D. Davis, the tree clearing contractor, is based out of Milan, NH. The Contractor has subcontracted dumpster service with Great North Woods Container Services based out of Berlin, NH. Additionally, the Contractor has hired two workers, both from Berlin, as part of this project. It is great to see the money go back to the local economy. Bravo!

Until next time, please drive safe!

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