

**Butler Warren Road and Western Row Road/  
Barret Road Roundabout**

January 3, 2019

RE: BUT/WAR BUT-WAR & WESTERN ROW RD PID 103371  
Project Notification and Request for Public Comments

Dear Property Owner, Resident, or Business Owner:

The City of Mason, in conjunction with the Butler County Engineers Office, will be reconstructing the Butler Warren Road and Western Row Road/Barret Road four-way stop intersection as a single lane roundabout. The project will also include a culvert replacement on Western Row Road at Muddy Creek as well as localized storm water system improvements. The project will also add a proposed sidewalk (connecting to existing sidewalk points on Butler Warren Road and Western Row Road) to the northeast corner of the intersection.

The purpose of this project is to improve vehicular safety, to reduce congestion, and to address the goals of the City of Mason Comprehensive Plan, and to follow the Action Plan of the City of Mason Bicycle and Pedestrian Way Master Plan.

Construction is expected to begin in March of 2021 and last approximately eight months. The intersection is anticipated to be closed to through traffic, detours will utilize Cox Road, US-42, and Tylersville Road. Access to adjacent properties will be maintained at all times. Prior to construction, advanced notification will be provided to inform roadway users about the anticipated dates of construction, anticipated road closure dates, detour routes and other major impacts to traffic.

As part of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and the project development process, the city conducts public involvement with residents, property owners and other interested parties. We are seeking comments about the social, environmental, and economic impacts of the proposed project. Environmental impacts include those associated with historic, archaeological and ecological resources, hazardous materials, and general concerns you may have with the project. The project will require some right-of-way acquisition. This letter is to inform such individuals that the city is currently developing the above described project.

Exhibits showing the proposed improvement can be viewed on the City of Mason's project website at the following link: <https://projectmason.com/butler-warren-western-row-roundabout/>. Hard copies of the exhibits can be made available by calling the city at 513-229-8520. Written comments or questions on the proposed project may be mailed to me at 6000 Mason-Montgomery Rd, Mason, OH 45040 or by email at [shartke@masonoh.org](mailto:shartke@masonoh.org). Any comments should be received by February 4, 2019.

Respectfully,



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*The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable Federal environmental laws for this project being, or have been, carried-out by ODOT pursuant to 23 U.S.C. 327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated June 6, 2018, and executed by FHWA and ODOT.*