Construction Begins Monday on US 40 Project in Brazil

CLAY COUNTY, Ind. – The Indiana Department of Transportation (INDOT) announce construction is scheduled to begin on or after Monday, June 2 on the US 40 project in Brazil, weather permitting. US 40 traffic will be maintained at all times.

State Road 340 (S.R. 340) will close from US 40 to just west of Waterworks Road on Monday. The contractor will be re-constructing the pavement on S.R. 340 including new storm drainage structures. The intersection of US 40 and S.R. 340 will be realigned. This section of the roadway is scheduled to reopen in early October of this year.

The US 40 Pavement Replacement project was awarded to Gradex, Inc. for $19.7 million.

This project will replace the pavement on US 40 from S.R. 340 to Wal-Mart and on S.R. 340 from west of Waterworks Road to US 40. The drainage will be improved with new storm drainage structures, curbs and gutters. New sidewalks will be constructed with ADA compliant curb ramps throughout the project. The US 40 project is scheduled to be completed in the summer of 2016.

OASIS (PLAINFIELD) DINER

Plainfield, IN—Nearly five years after the restaurant closed, Indiana Landmarks declares that the Streamline Modern-style Oasis Diner saved. Thanks to a collaborative effort, the building now belongs to Indiana Landmarks, and it’s headed to a new site on the National Road in Plainfield’s downtown historic district.

Wally Beg, the property’s owner, donated the restaurant to Indiana Landmarks. Supported by a generous grant from the Efroymson Family Fund of the Central Indiana Community Foundation, Indiana Landmarks will move the diner to a site made available by the Town of Plainfield. Once relocated, private developers Doug Huff and Don Rector are poised to buy the place and begin restoration.

Indiana Landmarks protective covenants will protect and ensure long-term preservation of the property.

For more information, contact Mark Dollase at 317-639-4534 or mdol-lase@indianalandmarks.org

OWN A PIECE OF NATIONAL ROAD HISTORY

702 E. Main St., Centerville, IN
Built: Circa 1900
Size: 1,826Sq. Ft.
Bed: 3
Style: Vernacular
MLS#: 10022643
List Price: $149,000
Contact: Realty One Real Estate (Alex Dickman) 765-935-4100

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