



CITY OF ORONO: OLD CRYSTAL BAY ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

In the coming months, a full reconstruction of Old Crystal Bay Road between 6th Avenue North (CSAH 6) and Wayzata Boulevard (CSAH 112) will take place. This will include watermain replacement, storm sewer installation, intermittent curb and gutter, improved pedestrian crossings, and new turn lanes in an effort to improve traffic flow in the area.

To accomplish this, Xcel Energy needs to relocate power poles on the west side of the road to make room for the new facilities. To clear room for the new power poles and electrical utilities, approximately 50 trees (the majority of which are ash trees) along Old Crystal Bay Road will need to be removed. **Tree removal will take place on Monday, May 14**, in an effort to expedite construction in the summer. The Orono School District will be temporarily closing select parking stalls as part of this process. The school will notify impacted parkers directly. Trees will be planted near completion of the project to replace some of the trees that were removed.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the project hotline at **612-554-5855**.