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June 16, 2020

Mr. Thomas Woodin, Town Manager
Town of Bowdoinham
13 School Street
Bowdoinham, ME 04008

Subject: ADA Improvements in MaineDOT Region 2
Project Number: 024811.00
Route 125

Dear Mr. Woodin:

The Maine Department of Transportation is currently working on estimating a Sidewalk Ramp Safety Improvements project on Route 125 (Main Street) in the Town of Bowdoinham and other towns in Region 2 for advertisement of the subject project for competitive bids in March of 2021. **Construction will occur during the Summer months of 2021**; exact start and completion dates will be forwarded once a schedule from the Contractor has been reviewed and approved.

The sidewalk ramp locations that are currently being evaluated for upgrade include the following:

- Route 125 (Main Street) crosswalk north of Route 24 existing crosswalk crossing Main Street, reconstruct pedestrian ramps at existing east and west sidewalk ramps.
- Route 125 (Main Street) and Church Street existing crosswalk crossing Church Street, pedestrian ramps at existing east and west sidewalk ramps.
- Route 125 (Main Street) and Center Street existing crosswalk crossing Center Street, construct new pedestrian ramp at existing east ramp and reconstruct pedestrian ramp at existing west ramp.
- Route 125 (Main Street) existing crosswalk from west side of Center Street and north side Route 24 (Main Street) to south side of Route 24 (Main Street) and west side of Back Hill Street, construct new pedestrian ramp.
- Route 125 (Main Street) and School Street existing crosswalk crossing School Street, reconstruct pedestrian ramps at east and west sidewalk ramps.

The purpose of this letter is to make the necessary notifications of the project to abutters, municipal officials and occupants of the highway. We hereby request that you provide a copy of this notice to all municipal officials, employees and boards with responsibilities for utility and/or land-use planning/permitting, and that you post this letter on any municipal public bulletin boards, media outlets and/or municipal websites as a public meeting will not be held regarding this project unless specifically requested by the municipality.

The Department would like to know if there are any events or known traffic generators that would impact this project. Should you have any questions, concerns or other areas of interest, we would appreciate your comments and input. Please feel free to contact me at (207)-215-4051 with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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