



CITY OF SHOREWOOD

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SUBJECT: Mill Street Trail Feasibility Report

Dear Property Owners,

As you may know, the City of Excelsior and Hennepin County are completing a feasibility report for a trail along Mill Street. The City of Shorewood completed a similar feasibility report with Hennepin County in 2013.

The Excelsior feasibility report process originally included holding individual meetings with Shorewood and Excelsior property owners, staff from both cities, and Hennepin County to generally discuss the impacts to properties. City and County staff are putting these meetings on hold due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Additionally, feasibility reports typically include general impacts to the project, not specific information on individual properties.

The purpose of this letter is to let you know that Hennepin County and Shorewood staff would schedule the individual meetings with the property owners whose properties directly abut the trail when the preliminary design phase is completed, likely in the spring of 2021. At that time, there will be more information related to specific property impacts to share with you.

In lieu of meetings to discuss general impacts, I've placed a copy of the Shorewood's Mill Street Trail Feasibility Report on the City's website for you to review, so you can see the level of information the City of Shorewood has on the trail corridor and what the known impacts are at this stage. The report may be found by typing the following link into your web browser: <http://www.ci.shorewood.mn.us/millfeasibility>.

We will contact you again once the preliminary design is further along to discuss any potential impacts to your property in greater detail.

The Shorewood City Hall is closed to the public during the pandemic, but staff are still working. If you have any questions on the report or any other questions, you can contact me by email at mdarling@ci.shorewood.mn.us or phone at 952-960-7912.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Marie Darling".

Marie Darling, AICP
Planning Director
City of Shorewood

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