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# Smothers Road Bridge over Hoover Reservoir Construction Notice

February 13, 2017 through July 2017



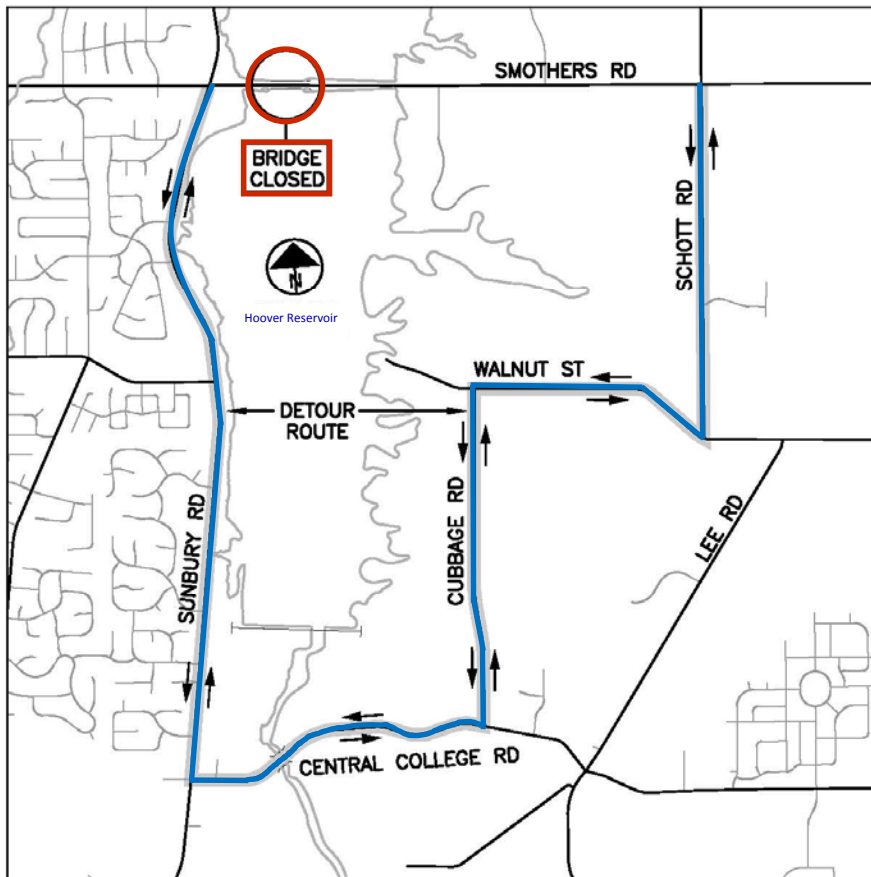
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## Project Area Map



## Smothers Road Bridge Construction Detour

February 13, 2017—July 2017

A detour will be in place during the construction of the bridge. The posted detour route for westbound motorists on Smothers Road will follow Schott Road south to Walnut Street, west to Cabbage Road, south to Central College Road, west to Sunbury Road, and north to Smothers Road. Eastbound motorists will follow the same detour in the opposite direction.

Dear Neighbor,

A bridge rehabilitation project on Smothers Road over Hoover Reservoir will begin in February 2017 and be completed in July of 2017. This project includes improving 0.6 miles of Smothers Road in Franklin County and Delaware County including replacement of the bridge superstructure, abutments, pier caps and other associated bridge and roadway work.

Below is an estimated project schedule with work descriptions. All work is weather dependent:

- Site clearing and road closures will begin during the week of February 13, 2017.
- Traffic will be detoured for this closure through July of 2017.

The Franklin County Engineer's Office will supervise this project. Work will be performed by Kokosing Construction Co. Funding is provided by the County Engineers Association of Ohio and Franklin County license plate fees.

Thank you for your patience and understanding of our efforts to improve Smothers Road bridge over Hoover Reservoir. For updates or additional information, please call our office at (614) 525-3074 or visit our website at: [www.franklincountyengineer.org](http://www.franklincountyengineer.org) and follow us on Facebook and Twitter.

Sincerely,

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*Please Note: The Smothers Road bridge construction may overlap the City of Westerville's Sunbury Road improvements planned for 2017. For questions regarding the Sunbury Road project, please contact the City at (614) 901-6845, [Streets@Westerville.org](mailto:Streets@Westerville.org) or visit [www.westerville.org](http://www.westerville.org).*