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SUPER LOADS CONTINUE ALONG JOHN BEERS ROAD

TOWNSHIP: Lincoln Township & Royalton Township

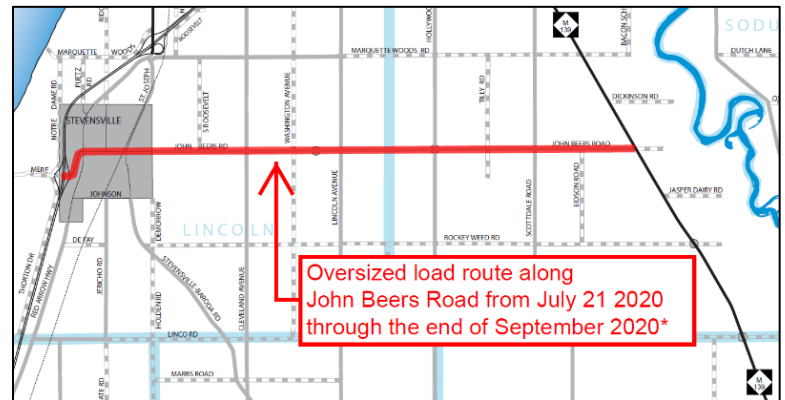
LOCATION: John Beers Road, between I-94 and M-139

CLOSEST CITIES: Stevensville

FIRST TRAVEL DATE: Tuesday, July 21st 2020

END TRAVEL DATE: End of September 2020

OVERSIZED LOAD TRANSPORTATION: Drivers should expect some delays along John Beers Road this summer. Large generator components will be transported through Berrien County to the Niles Gas Power Plant. These super loads will result in stopping or slowing traffic along their route.



One oversized caravan planned for transport along John Beers Road on Monday, 7/27/2020, approximately between 10am and 1pm.

1) A WB caravan is expected between approximately 10am and noon (going from M-139 to I-94).

Two oversized caravans planned for transport along John Beers Road on Tuesday, 7/28/2020, approximately between 10am and 2pm.

1) A WB caravan is expected between approximately 10am and noon (going from M-139 to I-94).

2) An EB caravan is expected between approximately 11am and 1pm (going from I-94 to M-139).

TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS: John Beers Road between I-94 to M-139 will see temporary closures for super load moves. These oversized loads move very slowly and will take up both lanes of John Beers Road. Be prepared for possible delays and temporary closures to occur between I-94 and M-139 while trailers are being transported EB or WB along John Beers Road.

Oversized moves will take place Monday through Friday between 9am and 3:30pm. Moves will not occur during inclement weather. Only one trailer will be traveling John Beers Road at a time.

Pilot vehicles will be escorting the oversized loads and state law enforcement will be assisting with traffic control during operation. The Road Department advises that any motorists or public in the area during these moves to drive cautiously and heed all directions from law enforcement and road escorts.

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