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Indy DPW begins work on new roundabout at 79th Street and Dean Road

INDIANAPOLIS – This week, the Indianapolis Department of Public Works (Indy DPW) will begin construction work on the 79th Street and Dean Road intersection. This new infrastructure project includes the construction of a new roundabout with pedestrian features and an underground stormwater detention system. This project is a \$1.3 million investment into the city's northside.

"Investing in our infrastructure is crucial for enhancing safety and improving traffic flow," said Mayor Joe Hogsett. "The new roundabout at 79th Street and Dean Road will streamline transportation in a neighborhood that has historically has heavy traffic during peak hours."

The new roundabout is designed to improve traffic efficiency and reduce congestion at this busy intersection. Additionally, the underground detention system will help manage stormwater runoff, reducing the risk of flooding and improving environmental sustainability.

Indy DPW Director Brandon Herget highlighted the technical aspects of the project.

"The inclusion of an underground detention system in the roundabout design ensures that we address stormwater management," said Indy DPW Director Brandon Herget. "Our team is dedicated to delivering a project that meets the highest standards of safety and functionality for all users."

The project is part of a broader initiative to upgrade infrastructure throughout the city. On top of improving daily commutes, the roundabout will contribute to the overall aesthetics and functional appeal of the neighborhood.

"I am thrilled to see the development of the roundabout at this intersection," said Councilor Dan Boots. "This project will maintain the character of our neighborhood while significantly enhancing stormwater safety and mobility. It's a testament to the city's commitment to thoughtful and effective infrastructure improvements."

The roundabout is expected to be completed in Summer of 2025.

Residents are encouraged to stay informed about the project's progress and any potential traffic impacts by visiting the [dedicated project page](#).

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