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PRESS RELEASE **CULVERT REPLACEMENT ON CTH B**

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FROM: Mark Servi, Barron County Highway Commissioner

Replacement of a deep culvert on CTH B just west of 24 ½ Avenue is scheduled to start on Monday, September 14th, 2020 at 7 am.

Work will consist of removal of the existing culvert and installation of new culverts. The existing culvert has reached the end of its useful life and is showing signs of failure. New culverts will be installed and the disturbed area of the road will be reopened on gravel. New asphalt surface will be placed later in the fall.

Due to the depth of the pipe and the complexity of the installation, CTH B will be closed for approximately 2 weeks for this project. The official detour will be to use STH 63 south to Cumberland, STH 48 east to CTH V and CTH V north to CTH B. The detour will be signed.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Barron County Highway Department at 715-637-3755.

As a reminder, when you encounter work zones, please pay attention as conditions may change. You are also reminded that the use of hand-held devices, such as cell phones, in a work zone is against the law. Please help protect yourself and all construction personnel by putting down your phone and paying attention to the road.