



# *The City of Lorain, Ohio*

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### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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#### **LOR 120211 – The Partial Removal and Replacement of Sidewalks near Southview Middle School and Helen Steiner Rice Elementary School in the City of Lorain**

#### **Press Release**

The City of Lorain proposes to improve sidewalks around Southview Middle School and Helen Steiner Rice Elementary Schools within the City of Lorain, Lorain County, Ohio. The work includes removal and replacement of sidewalk that is past its useful life, upgrading all noncompliant curb ramps to the current ADA standard, improving crossings at intersections, addition of rapid rectangular flashing beacons, and restoration landscaping. The project location spans the following City of Lorain roadways:

##### **Southview Middle School:**

Fairless Drive from Grove Avenue to Camden Avenue  
Goble Drive from Palm Avenue to Camden Avenue  
Palm Avenue from Fairless Drive to Goble Drive

##### **Helen Steiner Rice Elementary School:**

Andover Avenue from Fairless Drive to Goble Drive  
Tacoma Avenue from Fairless Drive to Goble Drive  
Camden Avenue from Fairless Drive to Goble Drive

Construction is currently scheduled to begin summer 2026 and will last approximately 6 months.

Due to the proximity to private property, the City is seeking public input about the project in general. Questions and/or comments regarding this project may be directed to Veronica Newsome, 200 West Erie Ave. 4th Floor – Engineering, Lorain, OH 44052, 440-204-2003, [Veronica\\_Newsome@cityoflorain.org](mailto:Veronica_Newsome@cityoflorain.org).

The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable federal environmental laws for these projects are being or have been carried out by ODOT pursuant to 23 U.S.C. 327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated June 6, 2018, and executed by FHWA and ODOT.