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# Press Release

## Forest Avenue Closure Planned to Allow for Rail Maintenance

**Ypsilanti, MI, May 19, 2016:** The City of Ypsilanti would like to inform those living and working in the Ypsilanti area that there will be a three day closure of Forest Avenue, beginning at 8 a.m. on Monday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> and ending at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, May 25<sup>th</sup>.

During the three day closure, Amtrak will be performing maintenance on the rails to , allowing for safe operations once the rail is running.

All traffic travelling westbound on Forest Avenue will be detoured to go North on Prospect to Clark Road, West on Clark Road, South on Leforge Road and West on North Huron River drive.

All traffic travelling eastbound on Forest Avenue will be detoured to go North on Leforge Road, East on Clark Road, South on Prospect and back to Forest Avenue.

It is critical to close down Forest Avenue next week since this step needs to be finished as soon as possible.

Please see the attached westbound and eastbound detour maps to know what way you should take during the three day closure of Forest Avenue.