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City Council Approves Drainage Project

At Tuesday night's meeting The Colony City Council approved a drainage improvement project for the southwest corner of North Colony and Main Street. The project is expected to improve storm water runoff at the intersection.

Beginning Monday August 8th at 9:00 a.m. workers will begin saw cutting on the roadway from the CVS drive to just west of Fire Station 3. Only the southernmost east bound lane will be affected. City officials said the roadway would be fully open during peak traffic hours. "Once school starts back up construction times will be limited to school hours to ease any congestion caused by the construction" said Brant Shallenburger, construction communications facilitator for the city. "All lanes will be available for citizens during the morning rush hours as well."

City officials had planned for drainage work on this section to be completed in the future, but decided that because money was currently in place from the ongoing North Colony Widening Project, that now was the time. The North Colony project is being funded entirely by Denton County through Regional Toll Revenue. The project is expected to be complete in four weeks.

If you have questions about this project you may email Brant Shallenburger at bshallenburger@thecolonytx.gov or call 972-624-3108.

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