

# VILLAGE OF ROSCOE

## AGENDA ITEM - STAFF REPORT



**Agenda Item:** Sprague Road Maintenance Presentation

**Date:** May 7, 2024

**Meeting:** Committee of the Whole

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**Department:** Public Works/Engineering

### Overview/Background Information

The Public Works Department has compiled cost estimates for maintenance options of Sprague Road. Sprague Road is low-speed, low traffic volume roadway which is located east of the intersection of Roscoe Road & Old River Road.

### Key Issues

This is a low traffic volume roadway primarily used by residents outside of the Village limits as a cut-through to Roscoe Road. This roadway is also sometimes used as a walking route for pedestrians in the area. The roadway edge is deteriorating and requires maintenance to preserve the life of the roadway. Substantially, the condition of the road is good with limited maintenance required.

The road is currently 18' wide which is allowed per IDOT standards for low speed, low traffic volume rural roadways. The Public Works Department has presented two options for maintenance, and one of those options includes widening the existing roadway 2'.

### Fiscal Note/Budget Impact

EOPC (No Widening): \$151,571.78

EOPC (2' Widening): \$174,065.84

**This project was not budgeted for FY2024.**

### Prior Legislative Actions

N/A

### Action Required/Recommendation

Staff recommends the roadway widening option (\$174k) but believes the project can be delayed until FY2025 when the project is appropriated. This would also allow the Public Works Department to complete pavement cores or exploratory digging to ensure that the existing road shoulder would allow for pavement widening.

### Attachments

- Estimate of Costs
- Jurisdictional Map
- Photos of existing roadway condition