

Lawrence Drain Storm Drainage Improvements

Project Fact Sheet



March 2019

Project Goals

1. Improve drainage and reduce property flooding on Melbourne Court and Kenton Lane by making improvements to the Lawrence Drain;
2. Utilize properties previously purchased by the City of Fort Wayne to widen the ditch on the east side of the existing channel so the ditch can hold more stormwater runoff.

Project Description

The project will employ a two-state ditch design that will widen the main channel of the ditch and create an area beside the main channel to hold more stormwater. Regrading and reshaping the ditch will be done generally from the south end of Paveys Glenn Road, along the west side of Melbourne Court where properties have been purchased by the City of Fort Wayne to Maurane Drive.

Project Information may be found at:

www.cityoffortwayne.org/stormwater-projects then click the link for the Lawrence Drain Project

Project Time Line

March 2019 - Construction begins

Late Summer 2019 – Construction complete

Estimated Project Cost

\$798,000

Contractor

Crosby Excavating, Inc.

Project Construction Manager

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