



Nick Caiafa
Mayor
9526 West Irving Park Road,
Schiller Park, IL 60176

Re: Illinois Tollway's Central Tri-State Tollway (I-294) Project

Dear Nick Caiafa,

As you are aware construction season is in full swing along the Illinois Tollway's Central Tri-State Tollway (I-294) corridor. CTS project construction is currently underway between Balmoral Avenue and 95th Street as the Tollway works to reconstruct and widen the roadway in both directions, replacing old infrastructure and providing congestion relief to meet future transportation demands and address regional needs.

We are making great progress, and project improvements can be seen throughout the corridor. Construction is over 40% complete for the entire project. We greatly appreciate all of your input to date and your continued cooperation which is necessary to successfully complete the CTS project. With all the work taking place, the project team is committed to continue to work together with communities and local agencies to help address construction impacts. Throughout early discussions with communities and stakeholders, we found that construction work hours were a subject of concern. In 2019, to address those concerns, the Tollway developed a Central Tri-State (I-294) Work Hours memo to clarify, define and outline the Tollway's standard operating practice and the approach the project team will take during construction.

The attached work hours memo and the Tollway's standard operating practice and approach remain unchanged. However, we have updated the contact information for the project team.

Below please find the communication project team's updated contact information. Feel free to contact the project team with any questions or concerns and/or share with your residents.

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- CTS project updates | <https://www.illinoistollway.com/projects/tri-state/central-tri-state-reconstruction>





We appreciate your continued support and partnership throughout the project.

Sincerely,

Sarah Kukadia

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