VBCRC'S WEEKLY UPDATE FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 17

OPERATIONS

- Patching continues countywide on both Primary and Local roads.
- Gravel roads are being graded across the county.
- · Crews are sweeping intersections in Lawrence Township and will work their way through the county.
- Crews are repairing shoulder drops county-wide.
- Primary de-berming continues this week in Hamilton and Decatur Townships. De-berming is the process of removing sod, soil, and material that builds up along the shoulder of the roadway. De-berming assists in prolonging the life of a road by allowing water to drain from the road surface. It also helps various surface maintenance applications such as an asphalt overlay or sealcoat adhere to the road.

NOTE: ALL operations tasks are dependent on current weather conditions, equipment availability, and staffing and are subject to change. For detailed information regarding operations tasks, please contact our office.

ENGINEERING

- Work site clean-up continues on 30th Street between M-43 and CR 653 in Almena Township as weather allows.
- · CR 352 between CR 687 and 60th Street in Keeler Township will continue with road and drainage work this week.

MISCELLANEOUS

- · Sealcoat and fog seal locations were due March 31st. The following Townships have not yet turned in locations:
- Covert Township
- Waverly Township
 Please contact Alyssa McAndrew at
 alyssamcandrew@vbcrc.org as soon
 as possible with locations or if the
 Township has determined to
 opt-out of local road system
 sealcoat this year.
- This week is National Work Zone Awareness Week (NWZAW)! This year's theme is "Work With Us. You play a role in work zone safety."

