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FROM: Grand Traverse County Road Commission

DATE: July 10, 2014

**SUBJECT: SUPPLY ROAD BETWEEN BROWN BRIDGE ROAD AND
WILLIAMSBURG ROAD
LANE CLOSURE, ROAD CLOSURE & DETOURS**

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WHAT:	Emergency culvert replacement
WHERE:	Supply Road, Brown Bridge Road and Williamsburg Road
WHEN:	Contingent on weather and contractor proposed scheduling: Project will begin on Monday, July 14, 2014 with detouring of traffic anticipated Tuesday and Wednesday, July 15-16, 2014.
WHY:	The failed culvert extends 20' below the road. The culvert will be removed and replaced by contracted crews.
IMPACT TO TRAFFIC:	Lane closures will take place the first day of construction with traffic directed by flaggers. <u>The second two days of construction require the full closure of Supply Road between Brown Bridge Road and Williamsburg Road. See map.</u> Detour route: The detour will be noted in multiple locations. Motorists unfamiliar with the area are requested to closely follow signs. The detour route is lengthy due to the amount of state forest properties and limited cross roads.

Traffic fines are doubled in work areas. The Grand Traverse County Sheriff Office and the Michigan State Police have teamed up to provide patrol cars assigned to enforce traffic laws in work zones. Motorists are asked to slow down and give our road workers a brake!

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